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GLOUCESTER INSCRIPTIONS.

ANCIENT BURYING GROUND.

THE ancient burial-place in Gloucester, situated near the railroad station, was used very early. The oldest gravestone now standing and decipherable bears date of 1711. The following are all the inscriptions to be found there bearing dates prior to 1800.

COIT ALLEN SON
TO M^r THOMAS &
M^{rs} ELIZABETH ALLEN
AGED 1 MONTH &
6 DAYS DEC^d SEPT^r
Ye 22^d 1728.

Here Lyeth Buried y^e Body
of M^r EBENEZER ALLEN
who departed this Life
Feb^{ry} 24th 1766
In the 29th Year
of his Age.

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF
JEREMIAH ALLEN STUDENT
AT HARVARD COLLEGE
AGED 20 YEARS 2 M^o & 24^{ds}
DEC^d AUG^t Y^e 23^d 1737

HERE LYES BURIED
Y^e BODY OF CAP^t
JOSEPH ALLEN AGED
71 YEARS DEC^d OCT^r
Y^e 6 1 7 2 4

JOSEPH ALLEN SON
TO M^r JOSEPH &
M^{rs} MARTHA ALLEN
AGED 3 WEEKS
DEC^d AUG^t Y^e 28th
1 7 3 5

Here Lies Buried
The Body of
JOSEPH ALLEN ESQ^R
who Departed this Life
APRIL y^e 6th 1750.
In the 69th Year
of his Age.

JOSEPH ALLEN
SON OF M^r
NATHANIEL & M^{rs}
MARY ALLEN
AGED 4 YEARS
DIED MARCH 4th
1 7 5 2.

JOSEPH ALLEN
SON OF M^r
NATHANIEL & M^{rs}
MARY ALLEN
AGED 27 DAYS
DIED MARCH 30th
1 7 5 2.

HERE LIES Y^e BODY
OF JOSHUA ALLEN
SON OF M^r NATHANIEL
& M^{rs} MARY ALLEN
DIED APRIL 18th
1 7 5 *
AGED 8 MONTHS
& 11 DAYS

*Unintelligible.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF MARY ALLEN
DAU^R OF M^r NATHANIEL
ALLEN & MARY HIS WIFE
AGED 4 MONTHS &
15 DAYS DIED AUGUST
THE 23^D 1747.

MARY ALLEN
DAUGHTER OF M^r
WILLIAM AND M^{rs}
MARY ALLEN
WAS BORN MARCH
THE 29th & DIED
APRIL Y^e 5th
1747 4 6.

Here lies Buried
the Body of M^{rs}
MARY ALLEN
the wife of M^r
NATHANIEL ALLEN
Died June the 4th
1753. Aged 29
Year and 9 Days.

Here lies the Body of
M^{rs} MARY ALLEN wife
of M^r BENJAMIN ALLEN
who Departed this Life
JUNE Y^e 4th 1761
Aged 56 Years.

Here lyes the Body of
M^{rs} MARY ALLEN, the
Vertuous & amiable Wife
of Deacon DAVID ALLEN;
She departed this Life
Aug^t y^e 29. 1765. in the
43 Year of Her Age.
The memory of y^e Just is Blessed.

Here lyeth Buried y^e Body
of M^{rs} SARAH ALLEN
the wife of M^r EBENEZER
ALLEN who departed this
Life Feb^{ry} 10th 1765.
In the 27th Year
of her Age.

Here lies the Remains of
M^{rs} SARAH ALLEN
the Vertuous and agreeable
Confort of Cap^t JACOB ALLEN
who Died June 9th 1772
in the 38th Year of her Age
My Body feels Death conquering hand
Is summoned to the Grave
My breath Refigns at thy command
And CHRIST my Life will Save.

Here lies Interr'd the
Remains of
M^r ZERUBBABLE ALLEN
who departed this Life
February y^e 4th 1749
In y^e 47th Year of his Age.

In Memory of
ANNE MARIA BABBIT
Dau^{tr} of Doc^{tr} THOMAS
& M^{rs} MARY I. BABBIT,
Born June 10th 1788
died Oct^r 16th
Æt 4 Months.

Here lies the Body of
BENJAMIN BABSON
Son of Cap^t JAMES &
M^{rs} REBECCA BABSON
Departed this Life
A u gst 1 7 7 8
A g e d 4 Y e a r s.

Here lyes y^e Body of
M^{rs} HANNAH BABSON
Widow to Cap^t
JAMES BABSON;
Who Departed this Life
November the 26th 1759,
Aged 43 Years.



Sacred
to the Memory of
Cap^t JAMES BABSON
who departed this Life
Oct^r 10th 1790,
Æ^t 49

Here lies the Body of
REBECCA BABSON
Dau^r of Cap^t JAMES &
M^{rs} REBECCA BABSON
Departed this Life
O c t^r 1 7 7 4
A g e d 4 Y e a r s

Here lies Interr'd
the Body of
MILES BARNES of *Boston*,
Master of the Ship Industry,
who departed this Life
Together with all said
Ships company which was
wreck'd on Salt Island in a
Storm on the 11 of January
1796
In the 54 Year
Of his age.

Remember man you are but dust.

H e r e L y e t h
Buryed the Body
of R o c h B e

*

5th of Juⁿe AD 1731
In y^e 8th y^r of her Age

*Unintelligible.

HERE LYES Y^e
BODY OF M^{rs}
ABIGAIL BENNET
AGED 68 YEARS
DEC^d OCTOBER
y^e 26th 1734

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF M^r JOHN BENNET
DEC^d FEBRUARY THE
1st 1 7 2 4 / 5
IN THE 39th YEAR
OF HIS AGE

Here Lies
Buried the Body of
M^{rs} Mary Bennet
the Wife of M^r
Stephen Bennet f he
Died june 10th
1788 in the 79th
year of her age.

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^r
PETER BOUDREE WHO
DIED JAN^{ry} y^e 18th 1738,
IN y^e 21st YEAR
O F H I S A G E

In Memory of
M^{rs} MARY BROWN
wife of
M^r JONATHAN BROWN
Died May 21st
1786.
in the 38th Year
of her Age.

Sacred
to the Memory of the
REV. SAMUEL CHANDLER,
Pastor of the first Church
in Gloucester,
who died April 16
1775. Æ. 62.

*The memory of the just is
blest.*

IN
Memory of
MRS. SARAH BURNHAM
And her Children
Samuel Betsy Samuel Davis
Aaron and Moses.

MRS. AARON BURNHAM
Endured an agonizing sickness
without a murmur, and closed a
well spent life April 25, 1814;
Æt. 59.

*Remembrance shall her story tell,
Affection of her virtues speak,
With beaming eye and burning cheek;
Each action word and look recall,
The last the loveliest of all.
When on the lap of death she lay
Serenely smiled her Soul away,
And left surviving friendships breast
Warm with the sunset of her rest.*

Samuel died Aug. 29, 1788;
Aged 21 days.

Betsy died May 30, 1792;
Aged 8 months & 5 days.

Samuel Davis died Dec. 14, 1795;
Aged 5 months & 20 days.

Aaron died at sea Dec. 8, 1805;
Aged 23 years

*All more than common Menaces an end
A blaze betokens brevity of life.*

Moses died at Plymouth England
Oct. 1812; Aged 26 years.

*Death oppressed thee far from home;
An helpless stranger no familiar voice,
No pitying eye, cheered thy last pangs.*

Sacred
to the Memory of
Miss BETSEY COFFIN
Youngest Daughter
of the Hon^{ble} PETER COFFIN Esq^r
who departed this Life
Oct^r 27th 1793
Aged 29 Years.

Be it Remembred
that here lies the Body
Of the Hon^{ble} PETER COFFIN Esq^r
who died Feb^{ry} 14th
1796
Aged 72 Years.

He was a true Patriot a Pacific Magistrate
An Exemplary Christian and a Friend to
Mankind.

Here lies Y^e Body of
M^{rs} HANNAH COIT
the wife of Cap^t
NATHANIEL COIT
Aged 89 Years

*

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF CAP^T
NATHANIEL COIT
AGED 84 YEARS
WHO DIED JAN^{ry}
y^e 10th 1742/3

Sacred
to the Memory of
M^{rs} POLLY COLLINS
the amiable confort of
Col^o DANIEL COLLINS,
who departed this Life
March the 19th 1793
In the 40th Year of her age

Here lyes y^e Body of
M^{rs} REBECCA COLLINS
Confort of Cap^t
JAMES COLLINS,
Who departed this life
Feb^{ry} y^e 17th 1770 Aged
44 Years 1 Month 29[†] D^s

JOHN CORNY y^e
SON OF M^r JOHN
& M^{rs} ABIGAIL CORNY
AGED 3 YEARS 4
MON^{ths} & 23 DAYS DEC^d
JULY Y^e 1st 1744

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF M^{rs} MARY CORNY
WIFE TO M^r JOHN
CORNLY AGED 39
YEARS DEC^d APRIL
y^e 25th 1728

*Broken.

†This number is uncertain.

HERE LIES †
REMAINS OF
ROLAND COTTON
SON OF THE REU^d
M^r JOSIAH COTTON
OF SANDOWN WHO
DIED DEC^r Y^e 21^t A. D.
1768 IN THE 21^t
YEAR OF HES AGE

Sacred to the memory of
MR. JOHN DANE
who departed this Life
July 21st 1793. In the 74th
year of his age.

In Memory of
M^{rs} MARY DANE
the virtuous and
Agreeable Confort of
M^r WILLIAM DANE
who Departed this Life
Nov^r the 8th 1778
Aged 28 Years

In Memory of
MARY DANE Dau^r of
M^r WILLIAM &
M^{rs} MARY DANE
Died Jan^{ry} 12th 1779
Aged 2 Years & 17 Days

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF ABRAHAM DAVIS
SON OF M^r ABRAHAM
& M^{rs} MARY DAVIS
AGED 6 YEARS
DIED APRIL 28th
1741.

HERE LYES BVRIED
THE BODY OF
M^r BETHIAH DAVIS WIFE
TO LEV^T JAMES DAVIS
AGED 72 YEARS
DEC^D AUG^T Y^e 20th
1733

†Broken.

HERE LIES THE
BODY OF M^r
ELIAS DAVIS
AGED 41 YEARS
DEC^D FEBRUARY
Y^e 13th 1734/5

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF DEACON
EBENEZER DAVIS
DEC^D OCTOBER Y^e 29th
1732 IN Y^e 52^D YEAR
OF HIS AGE

HERE LYES BURIED THE
BODY OF M^{rs} ELIZth DAVIS
WIFE TO M ELIAS DAVIS
DEC^d JULY Y^e 28 1732,
IN Y^e 38th YEAR
OF HER AGE

*
& 9 MO
APRIL Y^e 27
1731

LEIU^T JAMES
DAVIS†

HERE LYES Y^e BODY OF
CAP^T JAMES DAUIS
AGED ABOUT 80
YEARS DEC^D MAY
1715

JOANNA DAVIS
DAUGHTER OF
M^r MARK &
M^{rs} MARY DAVIS
AGED 1 YEAR
AUG ST 28th
*

M^r EZEKIEL
DAY Y^e THIRD
1735†

*Broken.

†Footstone.

HERE LIES Y^e BODY OF
EZEKIEL DAY Jun^r
DIED JUNE Y^e 8th
1 7 3 7
IN Y^e 48th YEAR
OF HIS AGE

In memory of
Petsey Amealy Dexter
dau^r of Mr. William
& Mrs BETSEY DEXTER
died Sept^r 12 1798
Ætat 1 year

She is gone; the suffering angel's fled
In tomb'd, her ashes with the silent dead
But O the joyfull day will suetly come.
When we shall meet again & meet at home
Then part no more but there supremely blest
Live & enjoy eternal peace & rest.

Beneath
this turf lies Buried
the mortal remains of
William Henry Dolliver
Son of William &
Elizabeth Dolliver
who died Nov^r 5 1794
Aged 16 Months

*Short was his life to Heaven his spirit's flown
Rests with its God, & finds a peaceful home*

ABIGAIL ELLERY
DAU^r TO M^r WILL^m
& M^{rs} ABIGAIL
ELLERY AGED 5
MONTHS & 3 D^s
DIED JULY 10th 1743

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^{rs} DORCAS ELERRY WIFE
TO M^r WILLIAM ELERRY
AGED 37 YEARS & 5 M^o
DEC^d FEBRY Y^e 1 3th
1 7 3 2

Here Lyes y^e Body of
M^{rs} MARY ELLERY,
Wife to M^r
JOHN STEVENS ELLERY,
Who departed this Life
Nov^{br} Y^e 25th 1770
Aged 21 Years.

Here lies Buried the
Body of Cap^t
NATHANIEL ELLERY
who Departed this Life
May the 30th 1761
In the 78th Year
of his Age.

Here Lies Buried y^e Body
of M^{rs} RACHEL ELLERY
the Virtuous and amiable
Confort of M^r NATHANIEL
ELLERY jun^R who Departed
this Life JULY the 1st
1750. In the 19th
Year of her Age.

The Memory of y^e Just is Blefsed.

Here lyes Buried
the Body of
Cap^t WILLIAM ELLERY;
Who departed this Life
Sept^r the 20th 1771
Aged 78 Years.

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r ELIAS ELWELL
DEC^d MAY y^e 14th 1737
IN THE 69th YEAR
OF HIS AGE.

Here Lyes Buried
the Body of Cap^t
ELIAS ELWELL;
Who Departed this Life
May the 14th AnnoDomⁿⁱ
1752. Aged 43 Years.

In
tender Remembrance
of
M^{rs} LYDIA FOSTER
Consort of
Col JOSEPH FOSTER,
who died July 27th 1784:
Aged 52.

*Her faultless heart receives
the High reward of an unblemished
SOUL.*

This stone is to perpetuate
the memory of
Cap^t WILLIAM FULLER
died at sea 1777.

Æ. 35.

And
his virtuous consort
M^{rs} MARY FULLER
died Augst 16th 1804,
Æ. 62.

—
M^{rs} SARAH
GARDNER*
—

Here lies
Buried the Body of
DANIEL GIBBS ESQ^r
who Departed this Life
March the 21st
1 7 6 2
Aged 60
Years

—
Here lies Interred
the Body of
M^{rs} MARY GIBBS
Widow of
DANIEL GIBBS
who departed this Life
January 27th 1769
Aged 60 Years

—
In Memory of
ELIZA GORHAM
Dau^r of M^r SOLOM^o &
M^r SARAH GORHAM
died Augst 29th
1774 Aged 10 M^o

—
In Memory of
Mr. SOLOMON GORHAM
who died Dec^r 21
1 7 9 5
Ætat 47.

—
DANIEL GROVER
1 7 6 1*

*Footstone.

To perpetuate the
memory of
Cap^t FREDERICK GILMAN
who on a Journey
for the recovery of his health
died at *READING*
on the 19 of may 1798
Ætat. 33

His mortal remains were thence remov'd
to his deserted dome and
on the next day
were in solemn Procefsion
attended by
the artillery company of this Town
of which he was
their much respected commander
the Officers of the 3^d Regiment
and by a numerous train of
sympathizing Friends & Citizens
the tender husband affectionat Parent
the Benefactor of the poor
the Generous friend & patriotic citizen
were conspicuous traits
in his character
*as he lived Beloved so he died
greatly Lamented*

—
Memento Mori.

Here lies the Body of
Deacon EL^{zr} GROVER;
who departed this Life
Dec^r 25th 1795,
in the 86th Year of his Age.
As he lived the Christian,
so he died in the Christian faith
in a good old Age. full of Days
and fatiffied with Life.

*Hear what the Voice from Heaven proclaims
For all the pios Dead;
Sweet is the Savor of their Names,
And soft their fleeping Bed.*

—
Here lies the Remains of
M^{rs} MARY GROVER
Late wife to M^r SAMUEL
STEVENS, which Departed
this Life June the 1st 1758
In the 82^d Year
of her Age.

Here lies Buried
the Body of
M^{rs} THANKFUL GROVER
the very Agreeable &
virtuous wife of
Deaⁿ ELEAZER GROVER
who Departed this Life
May 18th 1786.
Aged 73 Years.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY OF
M^{rs} HANNAH GYLES
WIFE TO M^r SAMUEL
GYLES DEC^d JAN^{ry}
Y^e 6th 1732/3
IN Y^e 20th YEAR
OF HER AGE

Here lyes buried in the dust of death
not to rise until the Heavens be no more
the Body of
Cap^t WILLIAM HALES,
who departed this Life
on the Vth of June MDCCXC
Æ XXXIII.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF M^r ANDREW
HARADEN DEC^d DEC
Y^e 12 1724
IN Y^e 23^d YEAR
OF HIS AGE

ANDREW HARRADEN Y^e
SON OF M^r ANDREW &
M^{rs} MARY HARRADEN
AGED 16 MONTHS &
25 D^s DEC^d NOV^R
Y^e 15th 1 7 2 6

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF M^r JOHN HARADEN
DEC^d NOVEMBER THE
11th 1724 IN
THE 62^d YEAR
OF HIS AGE

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF M^{rs} SARAH HARADEN
DEC^d OCTOBER THE
10th 1 7 2 *
THE *
OF

In Memory of
PHILEMON HASKELL
who departed this Life,
May 12th 1792.
Aged 46 Years.

Death, thou hast conquer'd me,
I with thy Dart am slain,
But *Christ* has conquer'd thee,
And I shall rise again.

HERE LIES THE BODY
OF M^{rs} HANNAH HODGKIN
WIFE TO M. SAMUEL
HODGKIN AGED 64
YEARS & 4 MONTHS
DIED SEPT^r 16th
1 7 5 5

Here lies Buried
the Body of
Cap^t ROBERT HONNERS
who departed this
Life September y^e 7th
1763.
Aged 53 Years.

Here lies
the mortal Remains
Of M^{rs} ELIZABETH HOUGH;
Confort of
Mr BENJAMIN K. HOUGH,
& Second Dau^{tr} of Mr. DAVID PLUMER
who died July 19
1796
Aged 30 Years.

The greatest Purity
Attain'd on Earth I would deny;
Nor Good confests, in name or thing
But *Christ* my Lord my Life my King.

*Broken.

In
Memory of
Mr RICHARD FOSTER HOUGH
who died June 8
1780
Ætat 19

In Memory of
M^r BETHIAH INGERSOLL
Wife of
M^r JOSIAH INGERSOLL
who died Feb^{ry} 3^d
1778
In the 53^d Year
of her Age.

In Memory of
M^r JOSIAH INGERSOLL
who died Jan^{ry} 13th
1789,
in the 73^d Year
of his Age.

Here lies buried
the Body of
M^{rs} MARY JACKSON
Wife to M^r
JOSEPH JACKSON Jun^r
who departed this Life
July 12th 1766,
Aged 22 Years.

*This stone is erected, to
perpetuate the memory of
Cap^t Job Knights who was
lost at Sea 1786. Æt. 39
& his virtuos consort
M^{rs} Abigail Knights,
who died Feb. 3, 1803. Æt. 54,
The memory of the just, is blefsed.*

Here lies buried
The Remains of
M^{rs} PATIENCE LEIGHTON
Wife of
Cap^t SAMUEL LEIGHTON
who departed this Life
April 8th 1777 in the
43rd Year of her age

SACRED
To the memory of
Mrs MARTHA LOCKE
Confort of
Mr JOSEPH LOCKE;
who departed this Life
Nov^r 17. 1796.
Aged 23 Years & 6 months.

For earth too pure the pilgrim Angel flies
To blifs congenial in her native skies.
Of life though Youth a flattering picture drew
She sigh'd and bade a worthless world Adieu. ¶
Torn from her arms her Cherub Infant lies
Like a fallen flower and withering fades & dies
By angels borne it speeds to Heaven, & there
It blooms forever fresh forever fair,
Celestial Saint one parting tear forgive
While not for You, but for OURSELVES we grieve

Also MARTHA LOCKE their dau^{tr}
Died Jan^{ry} 22 1797. Æt 8 mons

In Memory of
M^{rs} SUSANNA LOGAN,
Confort of
M^r DAVID LOGAN
of Boston, who departed
this Life April 4th 1789,
in the 81st Year
of her Age.

In Memory of
CORNELIUS Low
son of M^r NATH^L
& M^{rs} ELIZth Low
Died Sep^r Y^e 7th
1767 Aged
4 Months & 1 D^y

In Memory of
Eliza Daughter of
David & Eliza Low
who died March 20.
1794 aged 3 years
8 ms. & 22 days.

In Memory of
ELIZABETH Low
daughter of M^r
NATHANIEL & M^{rs}
ELIZABETH Low
Died Dec^r Y^e 15th
1765 Aged 5
Years 2 M^o & 19 d^s

Here lies Interr'd the Remains of
 M^{rs} ELIZABETH Low the Virtuous
 & Amiable Confort of M^r NATHANIEL
 Low who died *AUGst 11th 1770.*
 in Y^e 31st Year of her Age.
 While she lived was universally
 respected & her Death much lamented
 Blessed are the Dead
 who die in the LORD.

In Memory of
 Isaac Low, Son of
 David & Eliza
 Low. he died
 Sep^t 12, 1788
 aged 12. days.

In
 memory
 of
 JOHN Low Esq^r
 who
 died suddenly
 Nov^r 3. 1796
Ætat 68.

While passing through life he filled several
 Important offices both in church & state
 The duties of which he dischar'd with
 Punctuality exhibiting the true Christian the
 Warm patriot & benevolent Friend.

*Swift was his flight, & short his road
 He closed his eyes & saw his GOD.*

Here Lies the Mortal Remains
 of M^{rs} LUCY LOW
 Confort
 of M^r JOHN LOW Jun^r
 & Eldest daughter
 of DANIEL ROGERS Esq^r
 who departed this life
 February 7th 1793.
 in the 33^d Year
 of her Age.

The sweet Remembrance of the Just
 Shall flourish when They sleep in Dust

HERE LIES THE BODY OF
 M^{rs} MARY LOW WIFE OF
 DEACON JOHN LOW
 DIED MAY Y^e 3^d. 1748
 IN THE 41st YEAR
 OF HER AGE
 Favour is deceitful & beauty is
 Vain but a woman that feareth
 the LORD she shall be praised.

This Stone is erected
 to
 perpetuate the memories
 of *Mrs Sarah Low* the agreeable
 and virtuous confort
 of JOHN Low Esq^r
 and their amiable Dau^{tr}
Mifs Mary Low
 the former died
Oct^r 7 1775
Ætat. 49.
 the latter *Oct^r 5* the same year
Ætat 18
 and were Interd on the same day
 in on GRAVE.

*So sleep the saints and cease to groan
 When sin & death have done their worst
 Christ hath a glory like his own
 Which waits to clothe their waking dust*

HERE LYES THE
 BODY OF M^r
 SYMONDS LOW
 DEC^d JUNE Y^e 9th
 1767 in Y^e 49th
 YEAR OF HIS AGE

SACRED
 to the memory of
 MRS. LYDIA MASON
 Consort of *Mr. Thomas Mason*
 who died May 27, 1791.
Æt. 32.

*Fled from the cares and toils of life,
 No more a mother, no more a tender wife,
 Snatch'd in eternitys unbounded space
 Singing redeeming love and matchless grace.*

Sacred
to the Memory of
widow HANNAH M^cKEAN
who died
July 23, 1791:
Æ. 71.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY OF
M^r JOHN PARKMAN SON
TO M^r WILLIAM & M^{rs} ELIZTH
PARKMAN OF BOSTON
AGED 33 YEARS DEC^D
MARCH Y^e 27th 1727.

Here lies buried
the Body of
M^{rs} ABIGAIL PARSONS
Wife of M^r
SOLOMON PARSONS
who died Feb^{ry} 15th 1741
In the 35th Year
of her Age.

Here lyes Buried
the Body of *Elder*
EBENEZER PARSONS
Who departed this Life
Decem^r Y^e 19th 1763
Aged 82 Years.

Here lies buried
the Body of Deacon
ISAAC PARSONS
Who Departed this Life
July y^e 5th 1767
In the 54th Year
of his Age

HERE LYES Y^e BODY OF
M^{rs} HANNAH PARSONS
WIFE TO ELDER
JAMES PARSONS DEC^D
MARCH Y^e 11th 1732/3
IN Y^e 79th YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^{rs}
JEMIMA PARSONS
WIFE OF ELDER
EBENEZER PARSONS
DEC^D APRIL 25th
1752 IN Y^e 66th YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED THE BODY
OF JUDETH PARSONS
THE DAUGHTER OF
DEACON WILLIAM PARSONS
WHO DEPARTED THIS LIFE
NOV^R 20th 1753.
AGED 19 YEARS.

Here lies Buried
the Body of
LUCY PARSONS
au^r of M^r SOLOMON
GAIL PARSONS
* th 1750

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^{rs} LYDIA PARSONS WIFE
TO EBENEZER PARSONS
AGED 53 YEARS
DEC^D OCB^R Y^e 2^D
I 7 3 4

HERE LIES BURIED THE
BODY OF M^{rs}
MARY PARSONS WIFE OF
DEACON WILLIAM PARSONS
WHO DEPARTED THIS LIFE
NOV^R THE 24th 1751.
AGED 45 YEARS.
the memory of the Just is Blefsed.

*Broken

Here lies Buried
the Body of
MERIAM PARSONS
Dau^r of M^r SOLOMON
& M^{rs} ABIGAIL PARSONS
died April 25th 1742
Aged 10 Months

HERE LYES Y^e BODY OF
DEACON NATHANIEL
PARSON DEC^d MAY
ye 20th 1722
IN Y^e 47th YEAR
OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES Y^e BODY OF M^r
NATHANIEL PARSONS
DEC^d JUNE Y^e 16th
I 7 5 3
IN THE 31st YEAR
OF HIS AGE

Here lies buried
the Remains of M^{rs} SARAH PARSONS
the agreeable and virtuous Confort
of M^r SOLOMON PARSONS,
She died with the small pox
the 29th day of Jan^{ry} 1779
in the 65th Year of her Age.

The Righteous hath hope in their Death
And their expectation shall not be cut of.

Here lies buried
the Remains of that Sincere Christian,
M^r SOLOMON PARSONS,
who zealously supporting the character
of a disciple of Jesus Christ through the
series of Life departed in peace
on the 24th of March 1779 with the
animating prospect of future Glory,
Æ. 74

Be ye followers of them who through faith
and patience inherit the promises for
saith the spirit, they rest from their
labor and their works follow them

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF DEACON
WILLIAM PARSONS
WHO DEPARTED THIS LIFE
JULY Y^e 10th 1755.
AGED 55 YEARS.

the memory of the Just is Blefsed.

Here lies buried
the Body of
M^{rs} ABIGAIL PEARCE
who departed this Life
July 4th 1766
in the 83^d Year
of her Age.

In
Memory of
M^{rs} BETHIAH PEARCE
Confort
of DAVID PEARCE
died June 19th 1792.
in the 53^d Year
of her age.

In Memory of
FREDERICK AUGUSTUS
GILMAN PEARCE
Son of DAVID
& ABIGAIL PEARCE
died Febry 10th 1799,
Aged 4 Years.

*Peace to thy dusty Bed, thou lovely sleeping Clay,
There rest thy weary Head till the great rising Day
Then quit thy dark abode a Cherub blooming bright
To love and serve thy God in Beatific Light.*

In Memory of
HARIOT PEARCE
Dau^r of DAVID &
BETHIAH PEARCE
died June 6th 1778
Aged 10 Months

In Memory of
MARY INGERSOLL PEARCE,
Dau^r of DAVID & ABIGAIL PEARCE
died Sep^t 21st 1798
Aged 18 Months.

*Peace to thy dusty Bed, thou lovely sleeping Clay,
There rest thy weary Head till the great rising Day
Then quit thy dark abode a Cherub blooming bright,
To love and serve Thy God in beatific Light.*

In Memory of
ABIGAIL
Daughter of JAMES &
ABIGAIL PEARSON
who died Febry 18th 1796
Aged 15 Months.

In Memory of
ABIGAIL
Daughter of JAMES &
ABIGAIL PEARSON
who died July 27th 1784
Aged 8 months.

Here lie sweet babes, and wait th' A'mighty's will
Then rise unchang'd and be young Angels f'till.

Here lies Buried
the Body of
M^{rs} ANNA PEARSON
Wife of Cap^t
WILLIAM PEARSON
Died 11th Sep^t 1777.
Aged 32 Years.

In Memory of
M^{rs} ELIZABETH PEARSON
Confort of
Cap^t WILLIAM PEARSON
who departed this Life
22^d Sep^t in the Year
of our Lord 1788,
Aged 43 Years.

Blefsed are the dead who die in the Lord.

Here lyes Inter'd
The Remains of
Cap^t JAMES PEARSON;
who departed this Life
March 24th 1789 .
in the 77th Year
of His Age

To die to LIVE how happy such a death
To die to live in Blifs surpassing thought
To live in Blifs to all Eternity.

To the Memory of
Major JAMES PEARSON
who died *October* 14th
A D 1793
Ætat. 41.

Beneath this turf clad Mound,
a Fathom deep,
Sunk is the Bark of this once
Ventrours Seaman,
While joyous, to the Port of Heaven
has Sail'd,
Spirit conveye'd by Cherubic legions

Here lyes y^e Body of
y^e Widow MARY PERKINS,
y^e Amiable Confort of Capt.
BENJAMIN PERKINS;
who Departed this life
March y^e 21^{ft} 1759, in y^e
53^d Year of Her Age.

ELIZABETH PLUMER
DAU^R OF Doct^R
SAM^L & M^{rs}
ELIZTH PLUMER
DIED MARCH 29th
1 7 5 5.
AGED 7 MONTHS.

Here lies Buried y^e Body of
M^{rs} ELIZABETH PLUMER
the Virtuous & amiable Confort
of Doct^r SAMUEL PLUMER
who departed this Life
July y^e 14th 1760
Aged 30 Years.

Here lies the Body of
M^{rs} ELIZABETH PLUMMER
Wife of
M^r DAVID PLUMMER
who departed this Life
the 11th Sep^t 1781
Aged 40 Years & 6 M^o

HERE LIES THE BODY OF
M^{rs} HANNAH PLUMER
THE WIFE OF DOCT^R
SAMUELL PLUMER
DIED Augst 1st 1752.
IN THE 21st YEAR
OF HER AGE.

Here lies the Body of
M^{rs} JUDITH PLUMER
wife to M^r
DAVID PLUMER
who Departed this Life
March the 10th 1762
Aged 24 Years.

HERE LIES THE BODY OF
M^{rs} MARY PLUMER
THE WIFE OF DOCT^R
SAMUEL PLUMER
DIED Oct^R 15th 1749.
AGED 23 YEARS.

MARY PLUMER
DAU^R OF DOCT^R
SAM^L & M^{RS}
MARY PLUMER
DIED FEB^{RY} 24
I 7 5 0
AGED 5 MONTHS

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF DEBORAH POOL
WIFE TO JOHN
POOL AGED 32
YEARS & 8 MO DIED FEB^R
Y^e 2^D I 7 I 7/18

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF SARAH POOL WIFE
OF JOHN POOL AGED
56 YEARS DIED NOV^R
Y^e I 3th I 7 I 6

Here lies buried
the Body of
M^{RS} LYDIA PORTER
the Virtuous Wife of
M^R JAMES PORTER
who Departed this Life
4 Nov^r I 7 73.
Aged 31 Years.

Here lyes y^e Body of
M^{RS} ABIGAIL PRINCE Wife
to Cap^t JOHN PRINCE
Who departed this
Life, Dec^{br} 4th A. D. 1744
Aged 64 Years & 9 M^o

Here lies Buried
the Body of
Cap^t JOHN PRINCE
who Departed this
Life the 19th of April
I 7 6 .7
In the 92^d Year
of his Age.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF M^{RS} SUSANNAH
PULCIFER WIFE TO
CAP^T DAVID PULCIFER

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*Buried in the ground.

HERE LIES Y^e BODY OF
M^{RS} ABIGAIL RAY
THE WIFE OF DOCT^R
CALEB RAY WHO
DIED SEP^T Y^e 2^D
1749 IN Y^e 25th
YEAR OF HER AGE

HERE LYES THE BODY
OF M^{RS} ABIGAIL RIGGS
WIFE TO M^R JOHN RIGGS
DECD MARCH Y^e 30th
I 7 7 3
IN Y^e 31st YEAR
OF HER AGE.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY OF
JAMES RIGGS Y^e ONLY SON
OF M^R THOMAS RIGGS JUN^R
& M^{RS} SARAH RIGGS DECD^D
DECEMBER Y^e 4th 1730
IN Y^e 7th YEAR OF HIS AGE

Obedient Son & Free From Strife
At GODs Command Resigns his Life

HERE LYES Y^e
BODY OF M^R
THOMAS RIGGS JUN^R
DECD^D AUGUST 16th
1736 IN Y^e 47th
YEAR OF HIS AGE.

DOROTHY DAUG^r
OF STEVEN
AND SARAH
ROBINSON
AGED 10 DAYES
DIED NOVEMBR^R
Y^e 16th 1711

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^{RS}
REBECKAH ROBINSON
THE WIFE OF CAP^T
ANDREW ROBINSON
DIED NOVEMBER 11th
1743. IN THE 58th
YEAR OF HER AGE

Here lyes the Body of
 * IEL ROGERS, Son
 NIEL & M^{rs}
 ELIZA * ROGERS
 Who died De *
 1768. Aged 1 Year
 5 Months & 8 Days

Here lyes the Body of
 M^{rs} ELIZABETH ROGERS,
 the virtuous & amiable Confort
 of M^r DANIEL ROGERS,
 Who departed this Life
March the 14th 1769.
 Aged 29 Years.

In Memory of
 GEORGE ROGERS Son of
 DANIEL ROGERS Esq^r
 who was drowned
 July 4 1792
 Aged 6 Years & 2 mon^s

In memory of
 REV. JOHN ROGERS A. M.
*Pastor of the 4th Church in
 Gloucester;*
 who died very suddenly
 Oct. 4, 1782 :
 Æt. 63.

“ *The memory of the just is blessed.* ”

Here lyes y^e Body of
 M^{rs} LUCY ROGERS the
 Virtuous & Amiable Confort
 of M^r TIMOTHY ROGERS
 Who Departed this Life
 April 28th *Anno Domi* 1759, in y^e
 33^d Year of Her Age.

In
 Memory of
 Nancy Rogers
 Dau^r of Mr. *John Rogers*
 who died March 29
 1788
 Ætat 5 Years.

*Broken.

In Memory of
 RACHEL ROGERS Dau^{tr}
 of M^r DANIEL & M^{rs}
 RACHEL ROGERS who
 died Aug. 19th 1771. Aged
 7 Months & 5 Days.

In Memory of
 RACHEL ROGERS,
 Dau^{tr} of M^r DANIEL &
 M^{rs} RACHEL ROGERS
 who died *Oct.* y^e 11th
 1773. Aged 1 Year
 8 Months & 20 Days.

Beneath this Turf
 lies Buried
 All that was once mortal
 Of the amiable
Mifs SUSAN ROGERS
 who died Jan^{ry} 16 :
 1796
 Ætat 21 Years.

Thus early by her Heavenly Father was
 She recall'd from this World of Woe with
 Him to receive the reward of y^e Virtuous.
 A Blefsed Immortality.

*Friends murmur not, what ever is is right
 Blefs'd with her GOD she dwells in endlefs light.*

Here lyes Buried y^e Body of
 M^{rs} SUSANNA ROGERS,
 y^e Virtuous & Amiable Confort
 of the Rev^d M^r JOHN
 ROGERS; Who Departed
 this Life *April* 20th *Anno Domⁿⁱ* 1746
 in y^e 23^d Year of Her Age.

In Christ my Life lies hid & when he who is my life shall
 appear then shall I appear with him in Glory.

Here lyes y^e Body
 of Sufanna Rogers
 Daug^{tr} of y^e Rev^d M^r
 John Rogers & M^{rs}
 Sufanna his Wife;
 Who Died May 5th
 1746 Aged 17 Days

Here lyes Buried
the Body of Cap^t
TIMOTHY ROGERS;
Who departed this
Life *June 22^d 1766.*
Aged 45 Years.

In Memory of
HANNAH ROWE,
Daughter of John
& Esther Rowe:
who departed this Life
August 25th A. D. 1794,
Aged 19 Months & 15 Days.
*Let this be the parental consolation,
That,
as her Soul was spotless as purity;
its flight was
Heavenward.*

ried
* SAUNDERS
ife to
THOMAS SAUNDERS,
ho Departed this Life
February y^e 12th 1767.
in the 90th Year
of her Age.

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r JOHN SANDERS
WHO DIED JAN^{ry}
THE 17th 1742,
IN THE 30th YEAR
ON HIS AGE.

Here lyes y^e Body
of Joseph Sanders
son of M^r Thomas
& M^{rs} Judeth Sanders
Died *April 5th 1734*
Aged 25 Dayes

*Broken. "Abigail Saunders" is the name
on the footstone.

Here lies Buried
the Body of
Cap^t JOSEPH SANDERS
who departed this Life
December y^e 23^d 1761
Aged 25 Years.

Here lies buried
M^{rs} JUDITH SAUNDERS
the Wife to
Cap^t THOMAS SAUNDERS
who departed this Life
August Y^e 30th 1770
in the 60 Year
of her Age

Beneath this sod
Is deposited all that was mortal
Of Mrs LUCY SAUNDERS
wife of
The Hon^{ble} THOMAS SAUNDERS. Esq^r
Eldest Dau^{tr} of Rev^d D^r THOMAS SMITH
of Portland
She died June 5th
1780
In the 48 year of her age

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF CAP^t
THOMAS SANDERS
WHO DEPARTED THIS
LIFE JULY THE 17th
1742. IN THE 67th
YEAR OF HER AGE.

Here lies buried
the Body of
Cap^t THOMAS SAUNDERS
who Departed this Life
Oct^r 24th 1774
Aged 70 Years.

Here lies Buried
the Body of the Hon^{ble}
THOMAS SAUNDERS Esq^r
Who departed this Life
January the 10th 1774
in the 45th Year of his Age

In Memory of
 Mrs ABIGAIL SARGENT
 confort
 To Mr JOSEPH SARGENT
 who died Dec^r 18th 1781
 in her 67th Year
 of her Age.

HERE LYES THE
 BODY OF Mr
 JOHN SARGENT
 WHO DIED JULY
 Y^e 27th 1747
 IN THE 27th YEAR
 OF HIS AGE.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY OF
 Mrs MARY SARGENT WIFE
 TO Mr WILLIAM SARGENT
 DEC^D FEBRUARY Y^e 28TH
 1724 IN Y^e 65
 YEAR OF HER AGE

In Memory of
 Nathaniel son of Cap^t
 Nathaniel Sargent & Mrs
 Abigail his wife who died
 April 5th 1786 Aged 5 years

HERE LYES Y^e BODY OF
 Mr PETER SARGENT SON
 TO Mr WILLIAM &
 Mrs MARY SARGENT
 DEC^D FEBRUARY Y^e 11th
 1724 IN Y^e 44
 YEAR OF HIS AGE

BENJAMIN SAWYER
 SON OF Mr JAMES
 & Mrs DEBORAH
 SAWYER AGED 4
 WEEKS DIED MAY
 Y^e 1ST 1746.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY OF
 Mr JAMES SAWYER
 WHO DEPARTED THIS
 LIFE JULY Y^e 16th 1746
 IN Y^e 31st YEAR OF HIS AGE

also DEBORAH SAWYER Daur of Mr
 James & Mrs Deborah Sawyer Aged
 4 Years & 8 Mo Died July ye 17th 1846.

HERE LYES BURIED
 THE BODY OF
 NATHANIEL SAWYER
 DEC^D APRIL Y^e 11th 1741
 IN THE 64th YEAR
 OF HIS AGE

HERE LYES BURIED Y^e BODY
 OF Mrs DEBORAH SAYWORD
 WIFE TO Mr JAMES SAYWORD
 AGED 67 YEARS DEC^D
 JULY Y^e 13th 1734

She was to Us i' th' Days of her sweet Life
 A tender Mother and a golden Wife;
 But now She's gone unto a Place of Rest:
 God's Will in Life or Death is always best.
 Us left in Time for her to mourn and cry
 God grant that wee may all get good thereby

Here lyes Buried
 The Body of Elder
 JAMES SAYWORD
 who Died FEBRUARY
 the 13th 1736/7
 In the 68th Year
 of His Age.

Here lies the Body of
 Mr DANIEL SMITH
 who departed this Life
 August y^e 24th 1747
 Aged 54 years 9
 months & 24 days.

In Memory of
 that worthy good man
 Cap^t JOHN SMITH
 who deceased Jan^y 9th
 1789. in the 67th Year
 of his age.

The sweet Remembrance of the Just
 Shall flourish when they sleep in dust

HERE LYES BURIED
Y^e BODY OF M^r
JONATHAN SMITH
AGED 30 YEARS
DEC^d OCT^R Y^e 3^d
1 7 3 2

Here lyes y^e Body of
M^{rs} MARY SMITH y^e Amiable
Confort of M^r ALEXANDER
SMITH; Who Departed this
life *Sept^r* 12th 1759, in y^e
24th Year of Her Age.

In Memory of
NABBY SMITH
Daur of SARGENT
& LYDIA SMITH
died 23^d Sept
1784.
Aged 5 Weeks

In Memory of
SARGENT SMITH
Son of SARGENT
& LYDIA SMITH
died 11th June 1782.
Aged 12 Months
& 21 Days.

Here lay fweet babes & wait the almighty's will
Then rife unchang'd & be young Angels still.

In memory of
Mifs SALLY SMITH
the very amiable virtuous
and only Dau^{tr}
of Cap^t JOHN SMITH J^r
who departed this Life
Feb^{ry} 20 1795
Ætat 19.

Here lies Buried
the Body of
THOMAS SMITH Esq^r
late of Falmouth
who Died at Gloucester
on the 10th Day of Feb^{ry}
1 7 7 6.
Ætatis 40.

Man at his best estate is altogether Vanity,
Abi vive Deo.

HERE LYES THE BODY OF
M^{rs} ANNA SNOW WIFE TO
M^r MARMADUKE SNOW
AGED 23 YEARS
DEC^d JULY Y^e 20
1 7 3 1

M^{rs} ELIZth
SOMES*

In Memory of
M^{rs} POLLY SOMES, Confort
of M^r JOHN SOMES;
who departed this Life
Sept^t the 18th 1778.
Aged 25 Years.

In memory of
Cap^t SAMUEL SOMES
who departed this Life
March 27 1797
Aged 41 Years.

In Memory of
M^{rs} SUSANNA SOMES
Wife of
Cap^t BENJAMIN SOMES
who died Feb^{ry} 10th
1789.
Aged 55 Years.

Here lyes y^e Body of
M^{rs} Elizabeth Stacey
Wife to M^r John
Stacey Who Died
Octob^r 25th 1733
Aged 61 Years

Here lies the Body of
M^{rs} ELIZABETH STACY;
Wife of Deacon
NYMPHAS STACY
Who departed this Life
Sept^t the 9th 1768
Aged 39 Years.

Here lyes y^e Body of
M^{rs} HANNAH STACY
Wife to Dea^{con} NYMPHAS
STACY, Who Died
May y^e 1st 1761 in y^e
59th Year of Her Age.

*Footstone.

In Memory of
 Mrs. HANNAH STACEY
 Relict of
 Mr. John Stacey,
 who died July 8th 1771
 Æt. 39.

*Reclined beneath this humble Turf
 Sacred the dear Remains we trust
 Till the great Refurrection trump
 Reanimate and raise the just.*

Here lyes Buried
 y^e Body of M^r
 JOHN STACEY;
 Who Died Feb^{ry}
 22^d 1732, in y^e 67th
 Year of His Age.

Here lies Buried the Body
 of M^r JOHN STACY
 who Departed this Life
 July 13th 1766
 Aged 39 Years
 6 Months & 12 Days.
 Universally respected while Living
 And his Death as much Lamented.

Here lies y^e Body of
 JOHN STACY
 son of M^r JOHN &
 M^{rs} HANNAH STACY
 Died Dec^r 31st 1768
 Aged 11 Years & 4 M^o

In Memory of
 Mary Stacy Dau^{tr}
 of M^r Nymphas &
 M^{rs} Hannah Stacy
 Who Died Feb^r 21st
 1760 Aged 19 Years.

In Memory of
 Deacⁿ NYMPHAS STACY.
 who died Nov^r 14th
 1774.
 Aged 75 Years.

Here lyes y^e Body of
 Philemon Stacy Son
 of M^r Nymphas &
 M^{rs} Hannah Stacy
 Who Died Octo^{br} 4th
 1742 Aged 10 Years

In Memory of
 BETSEY STEVENS
 Dau^r of M^r ZACHARIAH
 & M^{rs} BETSY STEVENS
 who died June 12, 1795
 Aged 1 Year & 9 M^o

Here lies buried
 the Body of
 M^{rs} ELIZABETH STEVENS
 Wife of
 WILLIAM STEVENS Esq^r
 Died Augst 18th 1778
 in the 65th Year
 of her Age.

Here
 Lies the Mortal Remains
 of M^{rs} ELIZABETH STEVENS, who was
 first married to Coll JOHN GORHAM 1732
 and after his decease 1751, was married
 to Coll JOHN STEVENS 1755 and died
 on the 25th Day of December 1786,
 in the 73 Year of her Age.
 She Supported this Life the Christian Character,
 and moved in the Various Circles
 of Domestic Life with Honour & Dignity.
 The Affectionate Wife
 The Tender Mother.
 The Exemplary Widow
 And the Pious Friend.
 Write, Bleis'd are the dead who die in the Lord.

JOHN STEVENS
 SON TO M^r JOHN &
 M^{rs} RACHEL STEVENS
 AGED 3 YEARS 3 M^o
 & 21 DAYES DEC^r
 OCT^r Y^e 4th 1736.

Here
 Lies the Mortal Remains
 of Coll JOHN STEVENS
 who died April 13th 1779,
 Aged 72 Years,
 In whose Character was united
 The Firm Patriot
 The Utelful Citizen
 The Exemplary Christian
 The Affectionate Husband
 The Tender Parent. Social Friend
 And Honeft Man.

In memory of
 Mrs. MARY STEVENS
 who died March 27th

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*Buried in the ground.

Here lies Buried
the Body of M^{rs}
RACHEL STEVENS
the wife of M^r
JOHN STEVENS
Died July the 22^d
1753. in the 42^d
Year of her Age.

Here lies the Remains of
M^r SAMUEL STEVENS
who Departed this Life
November the 16th 1756
In the 92^d Year
of his Age.

Here lies Interr'd the Remains of
M^r WILLIAM STEVENS Jun^r
the amiable Son of WILLIAM
STEVENS ESQ^r & ELIZABETH his wife
who departed this Life Septem^r 27th
1763, In the 26th Year of his Age.
Universally respected while Living and
his Death as much Lamented.

Here lyes Buried
the Remains of
WILLIAM STEVENS Esq^r
Who departed this Life
May 10th 1767, in y^e
55th Year of His Age.

Here lies Buried
the Body of
M^{rs} ABIGAIL TARBOX
Widdow of
M^r JOSEPH TARBOX
who Departed this Life
Augst 1st 1771,
Aged 68 Years.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^r
WILLIAM TUCKER
DEC^d SEP^t Y^e 3^d
1 7 5 3
IN Y^e 33^d YEAR
OF HIS AGE.

In Memory of
John Tucker first son of
cap^t IOHN & MRS ELIZABETH TUCKER
he died Oct^r 1st

1775.

Ætat 3 Years.

also of Iohn their second son
who on the 29th of Sep^t 1796
In Latitude 35 & Longitude 68
made his watery grave.
In the 16 year of his age
On his homeward pafsage
from the west Indies.

*May they now toil & dangers o'er
Cast anchor on the Heavenly shore*

Here lie the Remains of
M^r JEREMIAH VASS;
Who departed this life
Octob^r the 11^{tn} 1770 in Y^e
61st Year of His Age.

Sacred to the Memory
of M^r ELIAS ELWELL WARNER,
of Boston Merch^t youngest son of
Elder PHILEMON WARNER. being
on a Vifit here for the Recovery of his
Health he departed this Life May 27;
1781 Æ^s 31.

He was a Gentleman of most engaging
Manners of strict integrity & undiscembled
Virtue. A tender Hulband, an affectionate
Parent & sincere Friend. He lived much
beloved & died greatly lamented.

In the midft of life we are in Death
Boaft not thyself of tomorrow for thou
knowest not what a Day may bring forth.

ISAAC WARNER SON
TO M^r PHILEMON &
Mrs MARY WARNER
BORN AUG^t 3^d 1735.
DIED SEP^{tr} ye 4th
1 7 3 7

JOHN WARNER SON
TO M^r PHILEMON &
M^{rs} MARY WARNER
AGED 10 YEARS
DEC^d OCT^r Y^e 9th
1 7 3 9

Sacred
To the Memory
of M^{rs} MARY WARNER,
the virtuous & amiable Confort
of Elder PHILEMON WARNER,
who departed this Life
December 11th 1784.
Aged 77 Years.

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r PHILEMON WARNER
DEC^d MAY THE 6th 1741
IN THE 66th YEAR
OF HIS AGE

Here lies buried the Body
of M^r
PHILEMON WARNER Jun^r
who departed this Life
June Y^e 4th 1766
in the 39th Year
of his Age.

Here rest in hope of a glorious Resurrection,
the Remains of Elder PHILEMON WARNER,
who for many Years discharged with Fidelity
to the Public & Reputation to himself, Several
important Offices, both in Church & State.
Industry & Fidelity in his Calling, Honesty
& Integrity in his Dealings, Sincerity in his
Profession, & Humility in his Deportment, were
the Ornaments of his Life; & the Doctrines
of the Gospel which he firmly believed, & on
which alone his Hope was founded were his
Support in Death. He was born Jan^y 7th 1698.
& died April 14th 1778. Æs 81.

In faith he lived, in Dust he lies;
But faith foresees that Dust shall rise,
When Jesus with almighty Word
Calls his Dead Saints to meet their Lord

Here lyes Buried
Y^e Body of Cap^t
WILLIAM WARNER;
Who departed this Life
at Sea in his return from
Cape Breton Nov^{br} 5th Anno
Domⁿⁱ 1745 Aged 45 Years.

BETCY WEST
died July 30th
1794
Aged 2 Months

*Within this grave here lies a babe
The object of is parents love
When struck by cruel death it made
Their souls the sense of sorrow prove*

Here lyes buried the
Body of M^{rs} ABIGAIL
WHITE the late pious
confort of the Rev^d M^r
JOHN WHITE who died
Y^e 10th of DEC^r 1748.
in the 71ST Year of
Her Age.

Here lies the Remains of the
zealous, faithful and excellent DIVINE
the Rev. Mr. JOHN WHITE, who died
Jan. 16, 1760, in the 83^d year of
his Age & 58th of his Ministry.
TO ZHN XPIETOE TO OXNEIN KEPAOE*

In Memory of
GEORGE WHITTEMORE
Son of M^r SAMUEL
and M^{rs} MARGARET
WHITTEMORE; who died
March 17th 1771. Aged
24 Years & 4 Months.

Here lies the Body of
M^{rs} MARGARET WHITTEMORE
the Virtuous & amiable Confort
of M^r SAMUEL WHITTEMORE
Who departed this Life
Febr^y the 25, 1773, in y^e
44th Year of Her Age.

The memory of the Just is Blessed.

In Memory of
SAMUEL WHITTEMORE
an Infant, Son of
M^r SAMUEL & M^{rs}
MARGARET WHITTEMORE
who died June 18th 1758.

* "The to live Christ, the to die gain."—*Phil.*
1: 21.

Sarah Winflow
Daugh^{tr} of
Joseph & Sarah
Winflow, Dec^d
July 9th 1723, Aged
about 1 Year.

Here Lyes Buried the
Body of M^{rs}
ABIGAIL WITHAM
The Wife of M^r THOMAS
WITHAM Dyed February
the 25th 1744/5.
In y^e 73^d Year of her Age.

In Memory o
M^r MOSES WITHAM
who died april 18
1 7 9 6,
Aged 20 Years
& 7 M^{os}

Here Lyes Buried
The BODY of M^r
THOMAS WITHAM
Aged 69 Years 10 M^o
Dec^d Aug^t Y^e 1st
1 7 3 6.

In Memory of
Cap^t ZEBULON WITHAM
who died June 22
1 7 9 4,
Aged 86 Years
& 5 months.

Here lies buried the Body of
M^{rs} ELIZABETH WOODWARD
the Pious & Virtuous Confort of
Deacon EZEKIEL WOODWARD
who departed this Life
Octo. the 1st 1766
Aged 64 Years.

Here lyes Buried
the Body of
EZEKIEL WOODWARD
Aged 73 Years
who departed this Life
Jan^{ry} y^e 16th 1743/4

Here lies buried the Body
of M^r
EZEKIEL WOODWARD Jun^r
who departed this Life
Sept^t the 2^d 1766
Aged 35 Years.

Here lies Buried
the Body of Deacon
EZEKIEL WOODWARD;
Who departed this Life
September y^e 4th 1771,
Aged 74 Years.

In Memory of
M^r JOHN WOODWARD; the amiable
& virtuous Son of
& M^{rs} AB

*
YORKE SON OF M^r
& MRS MARY
DIED IULY
* 1718 & IN Y^e
YEARE OF
HIS AGE

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF M^r RICHARD
YORKE SON OF M^r SAM
YORKE DIED MAY Y^e
2 1718 IN Y^e 29
YEAR OF HIS
AGE

HERE LYES Y^e
BODY OF M^r SAMUEL
YORKE WHO DIED
MARCH Y^e 17th 1717-18
& IN Y^e 73 YEAR
OF HIS AGE

NOTES.

Mehitable Berry published to Thomas
Touthwell March 25, 1792.

Sarah Berry (born in Middleton) pub-
lished to Moses Preston Nov. 4, 1785.

—*Danvers town records.*

*Broken.

REV. OLIVER PEABODY.

In 1646, the general court passed an act to encourage attempts to win the Indians within the territory of the colony to christianity. Rev. John Eliot, then pastor of the church in Roxbury, entered heartily into the matter, and became immediately a missionary to the aborigines. He was then forty-one years of age.

He preached to the Indians first at Nonantum, a part of Newton, but he soon found the place too near the white men, some of whom exerted a pernicious influence upon them.

In 1650, with the sanction of the general court, Mr. Eliot secured a grant of six thousand acres of land from the town of Dedham to the praying Indians, as they were called, and the next year the grantees removed to the new location, which subsequently became the town of Natick, the place occupied by the Indians being what is now South Natick. One public building was constructed for a schoolhouse, meeting-house, etc., and an apartment for Mr. Eliot.

He learned the language of the natives, and translated the entire Bible into their tongue. The New Testament was published in 1661, and the Old Testament subsequently. He has ever since been known as "The Apostle to the Indians." He died in 1690, at the age of eighty-six.

"Since the death of Paul," said Edward Everett, "a nobler, truer, and warmer spirit than John Eliot never lived. And taking the state of the country, the narrowness of the means, the rudeness of the age, into consideration, the history of the Christian church does not contain an example of resolute, untiring, successful labor, superior to that of translating the entire scriptures into the language of the native tribes of Massachusetts."

The severe treatment of the Indians by the colonial authorities, especially during King Philip's war, caused them to distrust the white men, though their faith in Eliot never waned.

The successor of Mr. Eliot as pastor was one of themselves, Daniel Tahawampait; but a white man's leadership and example were lacking, and the church grew smaller and smaller until its organization failed.

The Board of Commissioners for Propagating the Gospel in New England was anxious to revive the work that under the ministrations of Eliot had been productive of so much good. But it was difficult to secure a person fit to undertake the task. Eleven candidates had declined the mission. The reason was that the French were stirring up the Indians to commence hostilities against the English, and a war was imminent. The twelfth man, Oliver Peabody, of Boxford, accepted.

He was son of William and Hannah (Hale) Peabody, and was born in Boxford May 7, 1698. The house in which he was born stood a few yards from the present residence of Rev. Albert B. Peabody in the eastern part of the town. His father died when Oliver was less than two years old, he being the youngest of eight children. His mother reared him righteously, and he grew up pure minded and zealous to be a man of worth and to accomplish something. But his knowledge of the world was meagre; and in the forest around his early home, with the companionship of a true and devoted mother and excellent elder brothers and sisters, he grew into a thoughtful, earnest young man. What suggestions of strength and opportunity are found, what longings are discovered and developed among the hills, streams and forests!

Oliver's uncle, John Peabody, was the first schoolmaster of the town, and the succeeding masters lived in the neighborhood. From his mother and these teachers he must have received the instruction sufficient to enable him to enter Harvard college, from which he graduated in 1721, six years having elapsed apparently between his matriculation and graduation. He was the first college graduate of the Peabody family and the town of Boxford.

He accepted the invitation of the Board of Commissioners for Propagating the Gospel in New England to become a missionary among the aborigines, not knowing to how dangerous a place nor how far he would be sent. His field was the wilderness. He was ordained a missionary to the Indians, and was immediately sent to Natick to revive the work of Eliot that had so deteriorated since his death. He preached at Natick for the first time Aug. 6, 1721, when there were but two white families in the town.

After preaching there for eight years, in 1729, a church was gathered, consisting of three Indians and five whites, and he was formally ordained its pastor. Twenty-two persons were added to the church the first year.

He not only preached the gospel, but led the Indians to abandon savage modes of living, to make improvements in husbandry, to turn from drunkenness to sobriety, to cultivate good manners, and to read and write as well as to speak and understand the English language. He lived to see many of the aboriginal families enjoying comfortable homes, cultivated fields and flourishing orchards. He ever sought their best good.

Though naturally of a slender and delicate constitution, he went on a mission to the Mohegan tribe of Indians, but the fatigues he endured so impaired his health that it was never fully restored. He lived several years after, but at length fell into a decline.

During his ministry one hundred and ninety-one Indians and four hundred and twenty-two English were baptized. Thirty-five Indians and one hundred and thirty whites were admitted to his church.

In his last sickness the Indians expressed great anxiety for his health and happiness, and tendered him every service within their power. After his death sweetest memories of him remained in their minds, and they mourned for him as for a father. He fell asleep in the faith of Christ, on Sunday, Feb. 2, 1752, at

the age of fifty-three, immediately after repeating the words, "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith; henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me in that day."*

A monument, erected to the memory of Mr. Peabody at South Natick, bears a Latin inscription, an English translation of which is as follows:—

"Here are deposited the remains of the reverend OLIVER PEABODY, a man venerable for the faculties of his mind and for all needful learning. He delighted much in theological investigations. He discharged the pastoral office with great renown for thirty years;—ministering to the people of Natick, especially to the aborigines, in the cause of sacred learning. He was a model in social life. In benevolence and universality, he was pre-eminent. In the firm expectation of a future retribution, he was called from his ministry on the 2d of February, A. D. 1752, aged 54 years."

Two printed sermons of Mr. Peabody are extant, one being "An Artillery Election Sermon," and the other entitled, "The Foundations, Effects, and distinguishing Properties of a good and bad hope of Salvation, with Motives to excite all to labor and pray, that they may obtain a well-grounded hope, and some directions how to obtain it. Considered in a sermon, the substance of which was delivered at the evening lecture at the new North Church in Boston on Tuesday June 8, 1742."

Mr. Peabody married Hannah, daughter of Rev. Joseph Baxter of Medfield, a lady distinguished for her piety and good sense. She married, after Mr. Peabody's death, Dea. John Eliot of Boston Nov. 2, 1769. The children of Mr. and Mrs. Peabody were as follows: 1. Catharine, born Feb. 27, 1723-4; died, unmarried, in Boxford Sept. 17, 1802; 2. Oliver, born Jan. 15, 1725-6; graduated at Harvard college in 1745; ordained pastor of the First church in Roxbury Nov. 7, 1750; and died, unmarried, May 29, 1752, at the age of twenty-six; 3. William, born Feb. 20, 1727-8; died, unmar-

*II Timothy iv: 7, 8.

ried, Jan. 13, 1767; 4. Rebecca, born June 13, 1730; married Dr. William Deming of Needham Dec. 20, 1759; and died Jan. 18, 1822, at the age of ninety-one; 5. Mercy, born July 24, 1732; died, unmarried, Nov. 20, 1804; 6. Joseph, born Sept. 19, 1734; died, unmarried, at Newbury, N. C.; 7. Hannah, born March 12, 1736; married Rev. Elizur Holyoke of Boxford Nov. 13, 1760; and died Dec. 20, 1808, at the age of seventy-two; 8. Susanna, born Sept. 6, 1739; died March 20, 1740; 9. Susanna, born March 10, 1740; died March 28, 1741; 10. Elizabeth, born April 6, 1742; died April 24, 1742; 11. Thomas, born Dec. 27, 1743; died Jan. 15, 1744; 12. Sarah, born Sept. 23, 1745; married, first, Joseph Eliot of Boston; and, second, William Brown of Boston; and died April 5, 1808.

Several of the children lived in Boxford with their sister, Mrs. Holyoke, at the ancient Holyoke house, which was built in 1759 by Mr. Holyoke's father, a wealthy merchant of Boston, brother of Edward Holyoke, president of Harvard college. Here Rev. Mr. Holyoke passed his happy pastorate of nearly half a century. This is one of the oldest and largest and the most interesting of the houses of Boxford. When Mr. French bought the estate, nearly forty years ago, the house was greatly out of repair, and Mrs. M. L. Emerson wrote of it shortly after that time, as follows:—

'Neath sheltering elms the ancient dwelling
stands

Where several highways socially clasp hands;
Its general air speaks of the 'auld lang syne,'
And years have left their marks in many a line.

The moss-grown shingles, broken and decayed;
The loosened clapboards, where the winds have
played;
The shattered window-panes, the door-stone low,—
All tell the story of the long ago.

Within, what tales those mouldering walls could
tell,
If they could break their silence' mighty spell,—
Of childhood, age, of happiness and tears,
Of life and death through all these hundred years!

Old sunken floors, by many footsteps worn;
Paper once gay, but mildewed now and torn;
The embellished doorways, and the panelled hall,
The generations of the past recall.

Two antique portraits, older than we know,—
Perchance were old a century ago,—
Hang in the upper hall; faint shadows they
Of faces long since passed from earth away.

One of the ancient portraits mentioned in the above lines is that of an oil painting of Rev. Oliver Peabody, having been painted about 1730. The picture is about a yard square. It descended with the title of the house from Mrs. Holyoke to her daughter Hannah, who lived here and died, unmarried, in 1865. The portrait continued to hang in the upper hall, and when the estate passed to Mr. French the painting was permitted to remain. There it hangs today as it has hung for nearly a century and a half.

The painting is valuable aside from being the portrait of Rev. Oliver Peabody. It is the picture of the earliest Peabody and the earliest Boxford person that exists to-day; and reveals in a pleasing manner the character, culture and attractiveness of the man. It also shows the style of dress of that period better and more completely than any old painting known to the writer.

The frontispiece of this number of the *Antiquarian* is from a photograph of the portrait.

BERRY NOTES.

Joseph Berry married Hannah Millet July —, 1791 (published July 9, 1791).
—*Gloucester town records*.

Onan Berry, mariner, lived in Gloucester, 1786-1797, and in Newburyport, 1798-1799; married Lydia Stanwood Jan. 29, 1786, in Gloucester; and she was his wife in 1799. Children: Lydia born in Gloucester Sept. 6, 1789; Sally Crowell, born in Gloucester Aug. 19, 1791; Onan, born in Gloucester Aug. 3, 1793; Jennett, born in Newburyport Oct. 5, 1799.—*Registry of deeds, Gloucester town records and Newburyport town records*.

BLANCHARD GENEALOGY.

THOMAS BLANCHARD¹, the ancestor of the principal Blanchard family in New England, probably came from Andover, England. He sailed in the ship *Jonathan* of London, from London to Boston, in 1639, with his children, his wife, and her mother and the latter's niece. His children and his wife and her mother were sick on the voyage, and his wife died on the ship. Her mother lived until the ship came to anchor in Boston harbor, when she died. The following deposition is very interesting in this connection:—

The testimonie of vs Inhabitants now of Newburie whose names are here vnder written, who about thirteen yeares past came ouer in a ship called the *Jonathan* of london with Thomas Blanchard now of Charlestowne, at what time his wife dyed in the ship hee was conceiued to be very poore and in greate neceffity by reason of his wiues and his childrens sicknesse, that the passengers made a gathering for him in the shippe to helpe to put his child to nurse his wiues mother also being sicke all the while wee were at sea and wee knew no other man that looked to her but Thomas Blanchard, but there was a maide which was her neece tended her

ffurther I Anthony Somerby testifies that about the time the ship came to Anchor in Boston Harbor the woman his mother in law dyed, And Thomas Blanchard procured to cary her to shore to be buried, I know no other man that was about it but hee

ffurther Nicholas ||noyes|| testifies that old Goody Bent came vp from Andeuor to London in a waggon with the carryers, And Thomas Blanchard tooke care of her and her goods ffrom Andeuor to the ship and she was with Thomas Blanchards family about a month at London, and that there was a gathering among christians in england to help him ouer.

nicholas noyes

Anthony Somerby

taken vpon Oath in the court held at Ipswich the 28th of (7) 1652.*

Mr. Blanchard lived first in Charlestown, then, from 1646 to 1650, in Braintree, and subsequently in Malden. He married, first, ———; and, second, widow Agnes (Bent) Barnes. She died on the voyage to America in 1639. He married, third, Mary ———; and died May 21, 1654. His wife Mary survived him, and

was living on Noddle's Island in 1663. She died, his widow, before 3 (4) 1676, when her will was proved.

Children:—*

- 2—I. GEORGE², born in 1622; lived in Medford; m., first, — Hills; and, second, Mary —; he d. March 18, 1699-1700, having had a large family.
- 3—II. THOMAS², b. in 1625; m. Ann[Rolfe?]; he d. 12 mo: 1650; and she m., secondly, Richard Gardner of Woburn Oct. 18, 1651.
- 4—III. SAMUEL², b. Aug. 6, 1629.† See below (4).
- 5—IV. NATHANIEL², b. in 1636; lived in Weymouth; m. Susanna Bates 16: 10: 1658; he d. in 167—; and she m., secondly, Thomas Bass in 1680.
- 6—V. JOSEPH²,† b. 1639; probably d. on the voyage to America.

4

SAMUEL BLANCHARD², born in England Aug. 6, 1629. He was a husbandman, and lived in Charlestown until about 1683, when he removed to Andover, where he afterward lived. He owned land in Andover as early as 1662. He was a constable in Charlestown in 1657, and a selectman in Andover. He married, first, Mary Sweetser 3 (11), 1654-5, who was born about 1637; and she was living in 1665. He married, second, Hannah Doggett June 23, 1673; and died in Andover April 22, 1707, at the age of seventy-seven. His wife Hannah survived him, and died July 10, 1725, at the age of seventy-nine. In his will he mentions "my daughter Dorithy Storer which is my grandchild."

Children:—

- 7—I. SAMUEL³, d. of small pox in 1677-8.
- 8—II. JOSHUA³, b. about 1661; eldest son in 1704; housewright; lived in Charlestown; m. first, Elizabeth —, who d. July 15, 1688; and, second, Mehitable —, who d. in Malden Jan. 10, 1742, aged seventy-six; and he d. July 15, 1716, aged fifty-four.

*Dea. John Blanchard of Dunstable is stated to be a son of Thomas Blanchard in the History of Dunstable.

†Miss Charlotte H. Abbott gives the date of Samuel's birth and the name of Joseph.

*Essex County Court Files, book 2, leaf 32.

- 9—III. JONATHAN³, b. about 1664. *See below (9).*
 10—IV. ———³ (dau.), m. ——— Stratton before 1704.
 11—V. THOMAS³, b. April 28, 1674. *See below (11).*
 12—VI. JOHN³, b. July 3, 1677; lived in Billerica; m. Mary Crosby Aug. 7, 1701; she d. May 7, 1748; he d. April 10, 1750; and they had twelve children.
 13—VII. SAMUEL³, b. June 4, 1680. *See below (13).*
 14—VIII. HANNAH³, bapt. 2: 8 mo: 1681, in Charlestown; m. Stephen Osgood May 24, 1699.

9

JONATHAN BLANCHARD³, born in Charlestown about 1664. He was a yeoman, and lived in Andover. He married Anne Lovejoy of Andover May 26, 1685; and she died Feb. 29, 1723-4, in her sixty-fifth year. He married, second, Hannah, widow of Timothy Wyman of Woburn Feb. 1, 1725; and died Oct. 19, 1742, aged seventy-eight.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 15—I. JONATHAN⁴, b. Feb. 28, 1685-6; yeoman, bricklayer and housewright; lived in Andover, except in 1732, when he is called of Woburn; m. Sarah Paine Nov. 11, 1708; he d. Feb. 21, 1748-9; his wife Sarah survived him, and probably m., secondly, Capt. William Lovejoy Nov. 28, 1749. She d. Oct. 9, 1772, aged eighty-four. Mr. Blanchard probably had no children.
 16—II. DAVID⁴, b. June 8, 1687; weaver; lived in Andover; m. Rebecca Frost Aug. 10, 1725; he d. in Andover Oct. 13, 1732, aged forty-five; his estate was appraised at £705, 8s., 8d.; his wife Rebecca survived him, and m., secondly, Isaac Gray of Tewksbury Nov. 20, 1733. Mr. Blanchard had no children.
 17—III. JACOB⁴, b. Feb. 19, 1689; mason; lived in Boston; m. Abigail ———; and d. in or before 1732, leaving a daughter.
 18—IV. ANNE⁴, b. April 6, 1691; m. Timothy Mooar May 12, 1712; and d. Dec. 25, 1729.
 19—V. BENJAMIN⁴, b. Feb. 14, 1693. *See below (19).*
 20—VI. MARY⁴, b. Dec. 2, 1696; probably m. Thomas Phelps July 4, 1722; and d. before 1732.

- 21—VII. STEPHEN⁴, b. Jan. 8, 1730-2. *See below (21).*

11

THOMAS BLANCHARD³, born in Charlestown, April 28, 1674. He was a yeoman and cordwainer, and lived in Andover. He married, first, Rose Holmes of Marshfield March 22, 1698-9; and she died in Andover Aug. 26, 1714, aged forty. He married, second, widow Hannah Gowing of Lynn Sept. 21, 1715; and she died July 10, 1725, aged seventy-nine. He married, third, Judith, widow of Zachary Hills, of Malden Feb. 21, 1725-6; and died March 17, 1759, aged eighty-four. His wife Judith survived him, and died Dec. 1, 1767, at the age of ninety. The estate of Mr. Blanchard was valued at £299, 15s., 2d.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 22—I. THOMAS⁴, b. Jan. 15, 1700. *See below (22).*
 23—II. JOSEPH⁴, b. Feb. 19, 1701. *See below (23).*
 24—III. ISAAC⁴, b. Sept. 20, 1702; d. Jan. 25, 1722, aged nineteen.
 25—IV. JOSIAH⁴, b. Aug. 16, 1704. *See below (25).*
 26—V. ELIZABETH⁴, b. March 25, 1705-6; m. William Chandler Nov. 22, 1725; she d. July 15, 1735; and he d. April 15, 1741.
 27—VI. HANNAH⁴, b. May 6, 1708; living in 1756, perhaps a nurse in Boston.
 28—VII. ROSE⁴, b. Jan. 12, 1709-10; d. Nov. 22, 1724.
 29—VIII. DEBORAH⁴, b. April 18, 1712; m. Joseph Abbott Aug. 12, 1731; she d. July 21, 1773; and he d. in Wilton, N. H., Aug. 23, 1787.
 30—IX. LYDIA⁴, b. Aug. 22, 1714; probably m. Jonathan Holt Feb. 10, 1735.
 31—X. MEHITABLE⁴, b. Oct. 3, 1716; living in 1756.
 32—XI. NATHANIEL⁴, b. Feb. 2, 1718-9; living in 1756, when he was the youngest son.
 33—XII. ISAAC⁴, b. Oct. 9, 1723; probably d. before 1756.

13

SAMUEL BLANCHARD³, born in Charlestown June 4, 1680. He was a husbandman, and lived in Andover. He married Sarah Johnson March 31, 1709; and died in Andover June 17, 1754, aged seventy-

three. She survived him, and died, his widow, in Andover Aug. 10, 1769, aged eighty-eight.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 34—I. SARAH⁴, b. May 9, 1712; m. Josiah Blanchard (25) Dec. 23, 1730.
- 35—II. PHEBE⁴, b. May 29, 1715; m. James Brown of No. 2, N. H., yeoman, Dec. 5, 1734; and they were living at No. 2 in 1754.
- 36—III. SAMUEL⁴, b. Jan. 14, 1716-7. *See below* (36).
- 37—IV. HANNAH⁴, b. Oct. 7, 1719; unmarried in 1754; probably m. Isaac Fox Oct. 1, 1755.

19

BENJAMIN BLANCHARD⁴, born in Andover Feb. 14, 1693. He was a husbandman, and lived in Andover until about 1743, when he removed to Dunstable. He married Mary Abbott Dec. 29, 1718; and she was his wife in 1743.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 38—I. MARY⁵, b. Dec. —, 1719; probably m. Edward Taylor Jan. 11, 1743.
- 39—II. BENJAMIN⁵, b. March 13, 1720-1.
- 40—III. —⁵ (dau.), b. Nov. 22, 1722.
- 41—IV. JACOB⁵, b. May 11, 1723-4.
- 42—V. JOSHUA⁵, b. May 28, 1726.
- 43—VI. JONATHAN⁵, b. Feb. 7, 1727-8; d. Oct. 16, 1739.
- 44—VII. DORCAS⁵, b. March 28, 1729-30; d. Oct. 13, 1739.
- 45—VIII. DAVID⁵, b. Feb. 14, 1731-2; d. Oct. 19, 1739.
- 46—IX. ELIZABETH⁵, b. May 17, 1733-4.
- 47—X. ABIEL⁵ (son), b. Sept. 25, 1737; d. Oct. 15, 1739.
- 48—XI. DAVID⁵, b. Feb. 19, 1739-40; d. April 10, 1740.
- 49—XII. ABIEL⁵ (son), b. Oct. 20, 1741; d. Jan. 28, 1743.

21

STEPHEN BLANCHARD⁴, born at Andover Jan. 8, 1702-3. He was a yeoman, and lived in the West parish of Andover. He married Deborah Phelps Aug. 10, 1724; and died in Andover Jan. 2, 1769, aged sixty-six. The inventory of his estate amounted to £486, 16s., 11d., 2f. She survived him, and died, his widow, in 1777, her will, dated Dec. 20, 1775, being proved May 6, 1777.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 50—I. DEBORAH⁵, b. March 26, 1724-5; m. Zebediah Chandler, jr., of Andover June 19, 1750; he d. July 30, 1775; and she d. May —, 1799, aged seventy-four.
- 51—II. STEPHEN⁵, b. Aug. 9, 1726. *See below* (51).
- 52—III. MARY⁵, b. June 4, 1728; m. Jacob Barker Nov. 16, 1749; and d. before 1766.
- 53—IV. NATHAN⁵, b. March 30, 1729-30. *See below* (53).
- 54—V. DINAH⁵, b. Dec. 28, 1731; m. Joseph Blanchard (70) Sept. —, 1753.
- 55—VI. JAMES⁵, b. Dec. 5, 1733. *See below* (55).
- 56—VII. ANNIS⁵, b. June 26, 1736; d. Oct. 15, 1749.
- 57—VIII. JONATHAN⁵, b. March 8, 1737-8; living in 1775.
- 58—IX. DAVID⁵, b. April 10, 1740. *See below* (58).
- 59—X. JACOB⁵, b. March 28, 1743; d. Nov. 27, 1752.

22

THOMAS BLANCHARD⁴, born in Andover Jan. 15, 1700. He was a husbandman and cordwainer, and lived in Andover. He married Elizabeth Johnson Oct. 7, 1731; and died in Andover Nov. 25, 1779, aged seventy-nine. His wife Elizabeth survived him, and died in Andover April 22, 1783, at the age of seventy-one.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 60—I. ELIZABETH⁵, b. July 20, 1733; d. Oct. 8, 1733.
- 61—II. THOMAS⁵, b. Jan. 20, 1734-5; lived in Andover; m. Priscilla Russ Nov. 17, 1757; and d. at Lake George Oct. 9, 1758, at the age of twenty-three, childless; she m., secondly, Ebenezer Rand Jan. 10, 1760.
- 61—III. TIMOTHY⁵, b. Sept. 26, 1737.
- 63—IV. AARON⁵, b. July 27, 1740. *See below* (63).
- 64—V. SUSANNA⁵, b. March 19, 1742.
- 65—VI. ISAAC⁵, b. Feb. 18, 1744-5; d. Dec. 8, 1749.
- 66—VII. LYDIA⁵, b. Jan. 30, 1747-8; d. Nov. 28, 1749.

23

JOSEPH BLANCHARD⁴, born in Andover Feb. 19, 1701. He was a yeoman, house-carpenter and wheelwright, and lived in Andover until about 1759, when he removed to Tewksbury, where he was liv-

ing in 1771. In 1772, he lived in Wilmington, being then a yeoman. He married, first, Sarah Abbott April 4, 1722; and she died in Andover Nov. 11, 1757, at the age of fifty-five. He married, second, widow Mary Frost of Tewksbury (published May —, 1758).

Children, born in Andover :—

- 67—I. SARAH⁵, b. July 25, 1723; d. April 15, 1729.
- 68—II. ELIZABETH⁵, b. July 17, 1726; d. March 29, 1728.
- 69—III. HANNAH⁵, b. Oct. 8, 1728; m. Stephen Blanchard (51) May 19, 1748.
- 70—IV. JOSEPH⁵, b. Feb. 9, 1730—I. *See below* (70).
- 71—V. JEREMIAH⁵, b. June —, 1733. *See below* (71).
- 72—VI. DANIEL⁵, b. July 15, 1735. *See below* (72).
- 73—VII. JOHN⁵, b. July 19, 1737; carpenter; lived in Dunstable, and removed to Concord; m., first, Elenor Stevens Feb. 5, 1761; and, second, widow Hannah Page of Dunstable; he d. in 1823, aged eighty-six.
- 74—VIII. PHEBE⁵, b. Nov. 3, 1741; d. Sept. 29, 1749, aged seven.

25

JOSIAH BLANCHARD⁴, born in Andover Aug. 16, 1704. He was a husbandman and wheelwright, and lived in Andover. He married Sarah Blanchard (34) Dec. 23, 1730; and she was his wife in 1754. He died April 10, 1783, aged seventy-eight.

Children, born in Andover :—

- 75—I. SARAH⁵, b. Feb. 27, 1731-2.
- 76—II. ABIGAIL⁵, b. Sept. 23, 1734; m. Samuel Holt Feb. 14, 1760; lived in Watertown, Newton and Andover; and died in 1814, aged eighty.
- 77—III. ELIZABETH⁵, b. April 3, 1738; d. April 13, 1752.
- 78—IV. JOSIAH⁵, b. Oct. 10, 1740. *See below* (78).
- 79—V. EUNICE⁵, b. Oct. 30, 1742; perhaps m. Peter Johnson Aug. 26, 1773.
- 80—VI. JOSHUA⁵, b. Nov. 13, 1746; moved to Wilton, N. H., in 1769; m. Elizabeth Keyes in 1770; and was living in 1782. His children returned to Andover. He was ancestor of Rev. Amos Blanchard.
- 81—VII. BENJAMIN⁵, b. July 3, 1750; lived in Wilton, N. H.; and d. Nov. 28, 1828, aged seventy-eight.

- 82—VIII. SAMUEL⁵, b. in 1754; lived in Billerica; and d. Feb. 28, 1812, aged fifty-seven. (From records of Mrs. Clara Kimball of Billerica.)

36

SAMUEL BLANCHARD⁴, born in Andover Jan. 14, 1716-7. He was a husbandman, and lived in Andover. He married Ruth Tenney of Newbury May 25, 1748.

Children, born in Andover :—

- 83—I. RUTH⁵, b. Aug. 18, 1751; m. Benjamin Tenney of Hollis, N. H., Jan. 28, 1772.
- 84—II. SAMUEL⁵, b. Nov. 7, 1753. *See below* (84).
- 85—III. EUNICE⁵, b. Aug. 12, 1755.
- 86—IV. SOLOMON⁵, b. Feb. 26, 1756-7; d. Jan. 21, 1759.
- 87—V. CALEB⁵, b. March 18, 1760; lived in Dracut, Mass., and Antrim, N. H.; m. Lucy Gould of Chelmsford May —, 1787.
- 88—VI. MARY⁵, b. Feb. 4, 1762.
- 89—VII. SOLOMON⁵, b. Feb. 2, 1765; d. Dec. 23, 1765.
- 90—VIII. JOSHUA⁵, b. July 25, 1769; probably settled in Antrim, N. H.

51

STEPHEN BLANCHARD⁵, born in Andover Aug. 9, 1726. He was a yeoman, and lived in Andover. He married Hannah Blanchard (69) May 19, 1748; and lived in Andover as late as 1767.

Children, born in Andover :—

- 91—I. STEPHEN⁶, b. Jan. 4, 1748-9.
- 92—II. PHINEAS⁶, b. June 21, 1750.
- 93—III. HANNAH⁶, b. July 20, 1752.
- 94—IV. SARAH⁶, b. Feb. 27, 1754-5.
- 95—V. JACOB⁶, b. June 22, 1758.
- 96—VI. MARY⁶, b. Aug. 9, 1760.
- 97—VII. PHEBE⁶, b. Dec. 15, 1762.
- 98—VIII. JOHN⁶, b. Feb. 16, 1767.

53

NATHAN BLANCHARD⁵, born in Andover March 30, 1729-30. He lived in Andover until 1763, when he removed to Wilton, N. H. He married Bathsheba Abbot July 2, 1752; and she died Dec. —, 1784.

Children :—

- 99—I. BATHSHEBA⁶, b. April 20, 1754, in Andover.
- 100—II. MOSES⁶, b. in Wilton, N. H.
- 101—III. STEPHEN⁶, b. in Wilton.
- 102—IV. LUCY⁶, b. in 1776, in Wilton.

55

JAMES BLANCHARD⁵, born in Andover Dec. 5, 1733. He was a yeoman, and lived in Andover. He married, first, Elizabeth Pierce May 16, 1758; and, second, Abigail Smith March 9, 1762. He died in Andover March 11, 1769, at the age of thirty-five. His estate was valued at £510, 15s. His wife Abigail survived him, and married, secondly, Joseph Phelps (published Oct. —, 1772). Mr. Phelps died in Wilton, N. H., Oct. —, 1778.

Children, born in Andover :

- 103—I. JAMES⁶, b. Feb. 6, 1758-9; d. March 1, 1759.
- 104—II. ELIZABETH⁶, b. March 21, 1760; living in 1774.
- 105—III. JAMES⁶, b. March 16, 1763; living in 1781.
- 106—IV. ABNER⁶, b. May 23, 1764; d. Feb. 9, 1765.
- 107—V. ABIGAIL⁶, b. April 7, 1766; living in 1781.
- 108—VI. ANNA⁶, b. June 28, 1768; d. Jan. 26, 1769.

58

DAVID BLANCHARD⁵, born in Andover April 10, 1740. He was a husbandman, and lived in Andover as late as 1782. He was living in Wilton, N. H., in 1789. He married Margaret Doliver (of Marblehead?) Nov. 11, 1760.

Children, born in Andover :—

- 109—I. DAVID⁶, b. March 19, 1762.
- 110—II. NATHAN⁶, bapt. Sept. 12, 1763; d. Aug. 7, 1770.
- 111—III. PETER DOLLIVER⁶, bapt. June 16, 1765.
- 112—IV. ANNIS⁶, bapt. May 2, 1767; m. Rev. T. Rideout Sept. 28, 1784; and lived in Bradford, N. H.
- 113—V. DEBORAH⁶, bapt. May 30, 1769.
- 114—VI. NATHAN⁶, bapt. June 30, 1772; probably drowned in Connecticut river at Henniker, N. H., Sept. 24, 1806.
- 115—VII. NEHEMIAH⁶, bapt. Oct. 18, 1774.
- 116—VIII. CHLOE⁶, bapt. Oct. 17, 1776.
- 117—IX. RALPH⁶, bapt. July 6, 1780; d. Nov. 21, 1782.

63

AARON BLANCHARD⁵, born in Andover July 27, 1740. He was a blacksmith, and lived in Andover as late as 1793. He married, first, Nellie Holt Jan. 5, 1762; and she died May 5, 1788,

aged forty-four. He married, second, Mehitable (Mooar), widow of Emery Chase, Sept. 21, 1789; and she was his wife in 1793.

Children, born in Andover :—

- 118—I. THOMAS⁶, b. Nov. 11, 1762; yeoman and blacksmith; lived in Andover until about 1793, when he removed to Danville, Vt.; m. Lois Burt March 12, 1782; and he d. Feb. 11, 1836.
- 119—II. MARY⁶, b. Sept. 2, 1764; d. May 15, 1786, aged twenty-one.
- 120—III. AARON⁶, b. Aug. 12, 1766.
- 121—IV. SUSANNA⁶, b. May 23, 1768; d. Sept. 4, 1775, aged seven.
- 122—V. NELLY⁶, b. April 20, 1770; d. Sept. 26, 1775, aged five.
- 123—VI. JOHN⁶, b. June 1, 1772.
- 124—VII. LUCY⁶, b. Feb. 12, 1774; d. Sept. 3, 1775.
- 125—VIII. ELINOR⁶, bapt. June 7, 1776; m. Samuel Danforth of Lynnfield Aug. 21, 1794.
- 126—IX. AMOS⁶, b. Sept. 1, 1777; pub. to Alice Foster of Tewksbury July —, 1798.
- 127—X. LUCY⁶, b. June 10, 1780.
- 128—XI. SUSANNA⁶, b. June 18, 1782; d. Aug. 20, 1783.
- 129—XII. SUSANNA⁶, b. March 20, 1784.
- 130—XIII. MARY⁶, b. March 17, 1786.

70

JOSEPH BLANCHARD⁵, born in Andover Feb. 9, 1730-1. He was a house-carpenter and yeoman, and lived in Andover. He married Dinah Blanchard (54) Sept. —, 1753; and died before May 6, 1776, when administration was granted on his estate. She survived him, and married, secondly, Reuben Abbot of Concord, N. H., Jan. 12, 1786. She died March 11, 1826, aged ninety-four.

Children, born in Andover :—

- 131—I. JOSEPH⁶, b. May 20, 1754; d. Dec. 3, 1758, aged four.
- 132—II. JOSEPH⁶, b. April 10, 1765; probably settled in Lewiston, Me.; served in Revolution, enlisting in 1780 for three years; m. Hannah Mooar Feb. 27, 1786.
- 133—III. JOHN⁶, b. Feb. 20, 1768; living in 1777.

71

JEREMIAH BLANCHARD⁵, born in Andover June —, 1733. He was a soldier in the French war, being taken prisoner and

escaping; and, also, in the war of the Revolution. He lived in Andover, except from 1761 to 1766 and in 1781, when he lived in Wilton, N. H. He married, first, Dorothy Smith of Andover May 17, 1759; and, second, Susannah Martin (published Aug. —, 1769).

Children:—

- 134—I. JEREMIAH⁶, b. Oct. 10, 1759, in Andover.
- 135—II. PETER⁶, b. Aug. 12, 1767, in Andover.
- 136—III. EBER⁶ (son), b. Jan. 14, 1769, in Andover.
- 137—IV. HENRY⁶, b. July 25, 1773; d. before 1781.
- 138—V. SARAH⁶, b. Nov. 13, 1774.
- 139—VI. DOROTHY⁶, b. Nov. 3, 1776.
- 140—VII. JUDITH⁶, b. June 2, 1779.
- 141—VIII. HENRY⁶, b. Nov. 30, 1781, in Wilton, N. H.
- 142—IX. JOHN⁶, b. Nov. 24, 1782.
- 143—X. HANNAH⁶, b. March 27, 1785.
- 144—XI. WILLIAM⁶, b. Feb. 10, 1788; settled in Canton, N. Y.
- 145—XII. AARON⁶, b. July 20, 1791.

72

DANIEL BLANCHARD⁵, born in Andover July 15, 1735. He was a member of the Crown Point expedition, enlisting Nov. 17, 1755; and also a member of the company of Capt. Joshua Holt, when he marched to the Battle of Lexington April 19, 1775. He was a yeoman, and lived in Andover. He married Jerusha Eaton of Reading Sept. 29, 1757; and was living in Andover in 1772. A family record says that he died in the army of the Revolution in 1776.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 146—I. DANIEL⁶, b. Sept. 20, 1759; a soldier of the Revolution.
- 147—II. JERUSHA⁶, b. June 24, 1761.
- 148—III. ISAAC⁶, b. Sept. 14, 1763; a soldier of the Revolution.
- 149—IV. AMOS⁶, bapt. Feb. 2, 1766; school-master in Lynn; fine penman, and taught penmanship in Exeter and Andover Phillips academies; also, musician; d. in Lynn May 25, 1842.
- 150—V. REBECCA⁶, bapt. May 15, 1768.
- 151—VI. LUCY⁶, bapt. Jan. 20, 1771.
- 152—VII. ABIEL⁶, bapt. March 28, 1773; lived in Wilton, N. H., m. Hannah ———.

78

JOSIAH BLANCHARD⁵, born in Andover Oct. 10, 1740. He was a yeoman, and lived in Andover. He married Lydia Jenkins (published Sept. —, 1765); and died April 30, 1790. His estate was insolvent. She survived him, and married, secondly, Obadiah Wood; and, thirdly, Luther Bailey. She died in Andover May 21, 1819, aged seventy-two.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 153—I. LYDIA⁶, b. Aug. 3, 1766; probably m. Benjamin Shed of Tewksbury Feb. 23, 1796; and removed to Milford, N. H.
- 154—II. HANNAH⁶, b. Oct. 19, 1769; probably m. Samuel Gilman Woodbridge May 29, 1794.
- 155—III. JOSIAH⁶, bapt. Sept. 8, 1771; aged eighteen in 1790.
- 156—IV. ISAAC⁶, bapt. Dec. 7, 1770; d. young.
- 157—V. ISAAC⁶, bapt. in 1779; d. young.
- 158—VI. ISAAC⁶, b. in 1781; aged nine in 1790.
- 159—VII. MOLLY⁶, bapt. Feb. 6, 1783; aged seven in 1790.
- 160—VIII. SAMUEL JENKINS⁶, b. in 1786; living in 1790.

84

SAMUEL BLANCHARD⁵, born in Andover Nov. 7, 1753. He was a yeoman and shipwright, and lived in Andover until 1797, when he removed to Haverhill. He married Lucy Ballard (published June —, 1775); and he was drowned in Haverhill May 24, 1807. She survived him.

Children:—

- 161—I. FREDERICK⁶, b. Dec. 14, 1775, in Andover.
- 162—II. LUCY⁶, b. June 6, 1777, in Andover.
- 163—III. SAMUEL⁶, b. May 11, 1779, in Andover.
- 164—IV. WILLIAM⁶, b. July 8, 1781, in Andover.
- 165—V. JEDEDIAH⁶, b. Dec. 7, 1783, in Andover; lived in Boston, housewright, in 1807.
- 166—VI. CHARLOTTE⁶, b. Oct. 9, 1785, in Andover.
- 167—VII. JOHN⁶, b. March 17, 1787, in Andover.
- 168—VIII. JOSHUA⁶, b. March 1, 1789, in Andover.
- 169—IX. SOLOMON⁶, b. April 23, 1791, in Andover; d. April 12, 1796.
- 170—X. HANNAH⁶, b. April 19, 1793, in Andover.
- 171—XI. MARY BALLARD⁶, b. Dec. 14, 1794, in Andover.

- 172—XII. TIMOTHY⁶, b. Nov. 17, 1795, in Andover.
 173—XIII. SOLOMON⁶, b. Dec. 4, 1798, in Haverhill; d. Sept. 23, 1799.
 174—XIV. LEONARD⁶, b. Sept. 5, 1800, in Haverhill; d. Sept. 6, 1800.

BLANEY GENEALOGY.

The name of BLANEY is also spelled in the early records of Essex county *Blaner*, *Blano* and *Blany*. The head of the family here was

JOHN BLANEY¹, born about 1630. He was a planter, and lived in Salem as early as 1659. He married, first, Miss Hannah King of Lynn alias Salem (being that part of Lynn which is now Swampscott) July 11: 1660; and she probably died about 1676. He married, second, Elizabeth, widow of Thomas Purchase of Lynn Nov. —, 1678; and she died before 1696. He was living as late as 1709.

Children, born in Salem:—

- 2—I. JOHN², b. May 5, 1661. *See below* (2).
 3—II. DANIEL², b. 3: 6 mo: 1664.
 4—III. HENRY², b. 15: 6: 1666.
 5—IV. HANNAH², b. Nov. 11, 1667; m. Robert Devereux of Marblehead, cordwainer, before 1701. He was called a yeoman in 1725.
 6—V. JOSEPH², b. Oct. 2, 1670. *See below* (6).
 7—VI. ELIZABETH², b. 17: 6: 1673; m., first, Jonathan Felt of Salem, anchorsmith, before 1701; he d. in 1702; and she m., second, John Taylor of Salem, fisherman (pub. July 15, 1710).
 8—VII. SARAH², m. Robert Buffum Dec. 20, 1703.

2

JOHN BLANEY², born in Salem May 5, 1661. He was a yeoman and cordwainer, and lived in "Salem," probably in that part of Lynn which is now Swampscott. He was a Quaker, and married Elizabeth Purchase Dec. 20, 1683, in Marblehead. He died between Dec. 29, 1723, and Dec. 29, 1726.

Children, born in "Salem":—

- 9—I. DANIEL³, b. 8: 30: 1684; d. young.

- 10—II. JOHN³, b. 6 mo: 1: 1686; eldest son in 1723; husbandman, slaughterer, cordwainer, fisherman, mariner and innholder (1732); lived in Salem; m. Katherine Walker of Salem Nov. 20, 1712; and was living in 1735.
 11—III. THOMAS³, b. 3: 30: 1689. *See below* (11).
 12—IV. SARAH³, m. Benjamin Pecks (or, Pix) of Marblehead, cordwainer, before 1723; and she was his wife in 1729.
 13—V. ELIZABETH³, b. 10: 25: 1692; m. Walter Phillips, jr., of Lynn Jan. —, 1713-4; and she was his wife in 1729.
 14—VI. HANNAH³, b. 1: 31: 1694-5: m. John Reed of Marblehead, shoreman, June 13, 1721; and lived there in 1728.
 15—VII. HENRY³, b. 6: 20: 1698. *See below* (15).
 16—VIII. DAVID³, b. 5 mo: 6: 1701. *See below* (16).
 17—IX. PENELOPE³, m. John Dampney Oct. 31, 1728, in Marblehead.

6

JOSEPH BLANEY², born in Salem Oct. 2, 1670. He was a shipwright, and lived in Hingham until 1697, when he settled in Lynn. He married Abigail Andrews of Hingham Jan. 16, 1693-4. She was born in Hingham Jan. 6, 1669-70. He died Jan. 16, 1726-7, at the age of fifty-six. In his will he gave to the poor of the First parish in Lynn twenty pounds to be distributed by the deacons. His wife, Abigail, survived him, and died, his widow, Dec. 10, 1765, at the age of ninety-five years.

Children:—

- 18—I. JOSEPH³, b. March 4, 1694-5, in Hingham. *See below* (18).
 19—II. HANNAH³, b. Sept. 17, 1696, in Hingham; m. Benjamin James of Marblehead (pub. March 7, 1718-9).
 20—III. BENJAMIN³, b. Nov. 14, 1699, in Lynn. *See below* (20).
 21—IV. JEDEDIAH³, b. Nov. 21, 1701, in Lynn. *See below* (21).
 22—V. JONATHAN³, b. Jan. 6, 1703-4, in Lynn. *See below* (22).
 23—VI. AMBROSE³,* b. April 7, 1707; cordwainer; lived in Lynn; m. Judith

*The record of his birth gives his name "Andrews," and the name was corrupted to "Ambrose."

Curtis June 12, 1729, in Lynn; he was living in Lynn in 1741; she was his widow in 1760, and was then living in Roxbury.

- 24—VII. NEHEMIAH³, aged upwards of fourteen in 1726-7, being a minor; physician; lived in Salem; bought Thomas Roby's drug store, etc., in Salem in 1729; and d. before Oct. 4, 1733, when administration was granted upon his estate.
- 25—VIII. ABIGAIL³, b. in 1715; aged twelve in 1726-7; probably m. Ralph Lindsey (pub. Jan. 5, 1734-5).

II

THOMAS BLANEY³, born in "Salem" 3: 30: 1689. Quaker. He was a yeoman, shoreman, mariner, fisherman, shoemaker and cordwainer, and lived in Salem. He married, first, Miss Desire Dean Dec. 8, 1720; and she died Nov. 29, 1739. He married, second, Alice Peasley of Haverhill before 1763. He died in the winter of 1766-7, as his will, dated July 25, 1766, was proved Jan. 5, 1767. His estate was appraised at £736, 1s., 10d. His wife Alice survived him, and died, his widow, Jan. 16, 1783.

Children:—

- 26—I. THOMAS⁴, lived in Salem; m. Mary Estes of Salem Jan. 25, 1753; he probably d., childless, before 1792; and she d., his widow, between 1796 and June 24, 1799, the latter being the date of the probate of her will.
- 27—II. ABIGAIL⁴, m. John White, jr., of Salem June 4, 1745; and d. between 1766 and 1793.
- 28—III. ALICE⁴, m. James Needham in 1770.
- 29—IV. ROBERT⁴, living in 1766.

15

HENRY BLANEY³, born in Salem 6: 20: 1698. He was a husbandman, cordwainer, tanner, fisherman, and from 1735 to 1747 an innholder. He lived in Salem; and married, first, Lois Ivory of Lynn (published Oct. 15, 1727). She was his wife in 1733; and he married, second, Hannah (Rand) Graves of Lynn Sept. 8, 1748. He died before July 15, 1756, when administration was granted upon his estate, which was valued at £408, 9s.,

6d. His wife Hannah survived him, and was his widow, of Lynn, in 1782.

Children:—

- 30—I. IVORY⁴. *See below* (30).
- 31—II. ———⁴, d. between 1756 and 1761.
- 32—III. LYDIA⁴, b. about 1755; m. Jacob Collins, jr. (pub. Aug. 15, 1772).

16

DAVID BLANEY³, born in Salem 5mo: 6: 1701. He was a husbandman and tanner, and lived in Salem. He married Martha Mansfield of Lynn (published Aug. 2, 1724); and died in 1764, his will, dated Jan. 26, 1762, being proved July 14, 1764. His estate was valued at about £500. His wife Martha survived him.

Child:—

- 33—I. MARY⁴, m. Henry Trevett of Marblehead Dec. 24, 1747.

18

COL. JOSEPH BLANEY³ born in Hingham March 4, 1694-5. He was a tanner and esquire, and lived in Marblehead. He married Miss Elizabeth Cogswell of Chebacco parish, Ipswich (published 20: 8: 1717); and she was his wife in 1757. He was living in 1757, and administration was granted on his estate July 29, 1762.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 34—I. ELIZABETH⁴, b. Jan. 14, 1720-1; d. March 30, 1729.
- 35—II. HANNAH⁴, b. May 14, 1723; d. April 1, 1729.
- 36—III. ABIGAIL⁴, b. Dec. 5, 1724; d. Jan. 1, 1725.
- 37—IV. ABIGAIL⁴, b. Jan. 11, 1725-6; m. Robert Hooper Aug. 21, 1755; and she lived in Windham, Me., his widow, in 1783.
- 38—V. JOSEPH⁴, b. May 24, 1728; d. April 22, 1729.
- 39—VI. JOSEPH⁴, b. Feb. 12, 1729-30; lived in Salem, except from 1779 to 1783s when he lived in Windham, Me.; esquire, merchant and selectman, m. Abigail Brown of Salem May 19, 1757; she d. Dec. 24, 1776; and administration was granted on his estate Oct. 2, 1786. Amount of inventory, £4946, 17s., 4d., 3f. The estate was insolvent. Mr. Blaney had shares in the Social library and Philosophical library, both in Salem, and owned land in Salem, Marblehead, Lynn, Plimp-

- ton and Charlton, Mass., in Raymond, Bridgton, Bakerstown and Windham, Me., and Whitefield, Pelham, Peirce, Chichester, Barnstead and Canterbury, N. H.
- 40—VII. BENJAMIN⁴, b. Dec. 16, 1731. *See below (40).*
- 41—VIII. NEHEMIAH⁴, b. Nov. 3, 1733.
- 42—IX. ELIZABETH⁴, b. July 2, 1735.
- 43—X. SUSANNAH⁴, b. June 13, 1737; d. Jan. 3, 1737-8.
- 44—XI. WILLIAM⁴, b. March 30, 1739.

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CAPT. BENJAMIN BLANEY³, born in Lynn Nov. 14, 1699. He was a tanner, and lived in Malden, where he was selectman and assessor in 1744 and 1746. He married Abigail Bucknam Oct. 13, 1725, in Malden; and died in Malden. "About seven of the clock in the evening, he was taken up dead near Daniel Newhall's dore, and it was thought by the jury that he fell of his horse and that was a means of his death his soul by his temple was beat in," Feb. 8, 1750-1. His age was fifty-one. His wife survived him, and died, his widow, Dec. 15, 1767, aged sixty-five.

Children born in Malden:—

- 45—I. ABIGAIL⁴, b. June 21, 1730; m. Jireh Willis of Dartmouth Oct. 22, 1756.
- 46—II. HULDAH⁴, b. Oct. 15, 1733; m. Joseph Wilson of Boston Sept. 20, 1753.
- 47—III. NEHEMIAH⁴, b. Oct. 9, 1735; lived in Malden; m. Chloe Green of Malden May 29, 1760; and d. Oct. 16, 1761.
- 48—IV. BENJAMIN⁴, b. July 24, 1738; captain; lived in Malden; representative to the general court, 1778, 1779, 1780, 1783, 1787; town treasurer, 1779, 1780, 1781; and selectman and assessor, 1772-1778; a revolutionary soldier; m. Hannah Osgood of Billerica Nov. 24, 1765; and d. in Chester, Vt., Jan. —, 1820.
- 49—V. ELIZABETH⁴, b. June 18, 1740; m. William Wayte of Malden July 20, 1762.
- 50—VI. ANDREWS⁴, b. Nov. 28, 1742. *See below (50).*

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JEDEDIAH BLANEY³, born in Lynn Nov. 21, 1701. He was a housewright, and lived in Marblehead. He married Bethiah Cogswell Jan. 15, 1729-30; and she

was his wife in 1781. He was living in 1781; and died before Sept. 1, 1783, when administration was granted upon his estate, which was appraised at £482, 19s., 1d.

Children, baptized in Marblehead, except the first:—

- 51—I. JEDEDIAH⁴, bapt. June 2d Sabbath, 1731, in Boxford; d. before 1788.
- 52—II. HANNAH⁴, bapt. April 15, 1733; m. Ronald Bruce Oct. 28, 1756; and was his wife in 1787.
- 53—III. JONATHAN⁴, bapt. Jan. 11, 1736; probably d. young.
- 54—IV. RUTH⁴, bapt. Jan. 1, 1738; d. young.
- 55—V. RUTH⁴, bapt. March 9, 1740; m. John Tarday Nov. 21, 1756; and was his wife in 1788. In 1796, he had been absent more than fifteen years.
- 56—VI. STEPHEN⁴, bapt. Oct. 3, 1742. *See below (56).*
- 57—VII. WILLIAM⁴, bapt. Dec. 30, 1744. *See below (57).*
- 58—VIII. ELIZABETH⁴, bapt. Aug. 24, 1746; m. Richard Nick (or, Necks) Aug. 15, 1765; and was his wife in 1789.
- 59—IX. SARAH⁴, bapt. Nov. 6, 1748; d. young.
- 60—X. SARAH⁴, bapt. Feb. 4, 1750; m. Jeffrey Marston July 20, 1769.
- 61—XI. EUNICE⁴, bapt. Dec. 29, 1751; probably d. young.

22

JONATHAN BLANEY³, born in Lynn Jan. 6, 1703-4. He was a yeoman, and lived in Lynn. He married Hannah Gray of Lynn (published Oct. 7, 1736); and died Sept. 8, 1757, at the age of fifty-three. His estate was appraised at £676, 7s., 6d.

Children:—

- 62—I. JOSEPH⁴. *See below (62).*
- 63—II. MARY⁴, between fourteen and twenty-one years of age in 1758.
- 64—III. ABIGAIL⁴, m., first, Nathaniel Lewis Sept. 22, 1757; and, second, ——— Watts between 1769 and 1798.
- 65—IV. HANNAH⁴, between fourteen and twenty-one years of age in 1758.

30

IVORY BLANEY⁴, was a husbandman, and lived in Salem. He married Mary Browne of Lynn Oct. 25, 1753; and was living in 1771.

Children, baptized in Marblehead:—

- 66—I. SARAH⁵, bapt. April 1, 1770; probably m. Daniel Bird Dec. 12, 1789.

67—II. ASA⁵, bapt. in 1779. *See below* (63).

40

BENJAMIN BLANEY⁴, born in Marblehead Dec. 16, 1731. He was a tanner, and lived in Lynn from 1754 to about 1762, when he removed to Marblehead. He married Sarah Tuttle of Lynn May 15, 1754; and died before Feb. 12, 1768, when administration was granted upon his estate, which was insolvent. He owned a tanyard in Lynn at his death. His wife Sarah was his widow in 1788.

Children, born in Lynn:—

- 68—I. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Feb. 10, 1755.
- 69—II. JOSEPH⁵, b. March 11, 1759.
- 70—III. BENJAMIN⁵, b. Aug. 14, 1763; d. in 1816, aged fifty-three; and his grave is on the coast of Carolina.

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ANDREWS BLANEY⁴, born in Malden Nov. 28, 1742. He was a tanner, and lived in Marblehead. He married Miss Lydia Sargent of Chelsea Dec. 2, 1770; and died in Malden June 2, 1772, at the age of twenty-nine. His estate was appraised at £445, 6s., 11d. She survived him.

Children:—

- 71—I. ABIGAIL⁵, aged under seven years in 1776. "Abigail Blaney of Chelsea published to Nehemiah Breed, jr., of Lynn April 14, 1793."—*Lynn town records*.
- 72—II. ANDREWS⁵, aged under seven years in 1776. "Andrew Blaney of Chelsea married Mary Seccomb of Salem April 23, 1799."—*Salem town records*.

56

STEPHEN BLANEY⁴, baptized in Marblehead Oct. 3, 1742. He was a mariner, and lived in Marblehead. He married Mary Chapell Dec. 12, 1765.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 73—I. STEPHEN⁵, bapt. Aug. 24, 1766; m. Mary Pedrick Oct. 21, 1787; and she was of Marblehead, his widow, in 1798.
- 74—II. MARY⁵, bapt. Jan. 24, 1768; d. young.
- 75—III. MARY⁵, bapt. June 24, 1770.
- 76—IV. JONATHAN⁵, bapt. Sept. 13, 1772; d. young.
- 77—V. WILLIAM⁵, bapt. Dec. 11, 1774.
- 78—VI. JONATHAN⁵, bapt. Feb. 17, 1788, at the age of eleven years.

57

WILLIAM BLANEY⁴, baptized in Marblehead Dec. 30, 1744. He was a yeoman and mariner, and lived in Marblehead until about 1777, when he removed to Lyndeborough, N. H. After his death, his family returned to Marblehead. He married Ruth Besome Sept. 19, 1771; and died about 1805. She was his widow, and of Marblehead, in 1806.

Children:—

- 79—I. WILLIAM⁵, bapt. April 18, 1773, in Marblehead. *See below* (79).
- 80—II. CHRISTOPHER⁵, bapt. Jan. 21, 1776, in Marblehead.
- 81—III. STEPHEN⁵, b. about 1786; aged twenty in 1806.
- 82—IV. BETHIAH⁵, b. about 1788; aged seventeen in 1806.
- 83—V. SUSANNA⁵, b. about 1790; aged sixteen in 1806.
- 84—VI. GRACE⁵, b. about 1794; aged twelve in 1806.

62

JOSEPH BLANEY⁴, was of age in 1765. He was a yeoman, and lived in Lynn. He married, first, Anne Cox of Salem Nov. 24, 1763; and she was his wife in 1782. He married, second, Hannah Hanford of Salem (published Nov. 12, 1797); and she was his wife in 1806. He died March —, 1826, in Lynn.

Children:—

- 85—I. JONATHAN⁵. *See below* (85).
- 86—II. MARTHA⁵, m. John Ingalls before 1809; and they were living in 1826.
- 87—III. ANNE⁵, m. Samuel Ireson of Lynn (pub. Jan. 1, 1797); and d. before 1806.
- 88—IV. JOSEPH⁵, living in 1809.

67

ASA BLANEY⁵, baptized in Marblehead in 1779. He was a cooper, and lived in Marblehead. He married, first, Joanna Pearce June 27, 1789; and, second, Emma Steward June 30, 1799.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 89—I. JOANNA⁶, bapt. April 11, 1790; d. young.
- 90—II. ASA⁶, bapt. May 31, 1793.
- 91—III. SARAH GOULD⁶, bapt. Feb. 2, 1795.
- 92—IV. MARY⁶, bapt. March 12, 1797.
- 93—V. DAVID⁶, bapt. March 13, 1800.
- 94—VI. JOANNA⁶, bapt. Oct. 31, 1802.

- 95—VII. THOMAS⁶, bapt. Feb. 26, 1804.
 96—VIII. HENRY⁶, bapt. Jan. 5, 1806.

79

WILLIAM BLANEY⁵, baptized in Marblehead April 18, 1773. He lived in Lyndeborough, N. H., until his marriage, when he returned to Marblehead. He married Nancy Williston Jan 26, 1797.

Children, baptized in Marblehead :—

- 97—I. NANCY⁶, bapt. Feb. 11, 1798.
 98—II. ELIZABETH WILLISTON⁶, bapt. Jan. 5, 1800; d. young.
 99—III. ELIZABETH WILLISTON⁶, bapt. Jan. 31, 1808.
 100—IV. JANE⁶, bapt. Jan. 31, 1808.
 101—V. RUTH⁶, bapt. Jan. 31, 1808.
 102—VI. WILLIAM⁶, bapt. Jan. 31, 1808.

85

JONATHAN BLANEY⁵, lived in Lynn, and was a mariner. He married Betsey Ingalls of Lynn April 12, 1796; and died before 1809.

Children, born in Lynn :—

- 103—I. JONATHAN⁶, b. Nov. 3, 1796; living in 1809.
 104—II. JOSEPH⁶, b. March 3, 1799; living in 1809.

WILL OF FRANCIS LAMBERT.

The will of Francis Lambert of Rowley was proved in the court held at Ipswich 28 : 1 : 1648. The following copy was made from the original on file in the probate office at Salem.

The laft will of ffrancis Lambertt of Rowley made upon the 20th day of feptember : 1647 :

Ip^s I giue my foule and bodeye to the almighty god :

tt I giue vnto my wife my houle ; and land ioyneinge therevnto with fix acers of land lately bought of Jofeph Juitt : as alfoe all the meadows and gates which doth belonge vnto the fayd houle ; all which I giue vnto hir dureing hir naturall life

tt I giue vnto my eldest fonne all the aforefayd houle and land with gates and meadowes after the death of Jane my wife : provided that my eldest fonn John doe pay vnto Ann Lambert Jonathan and Gerfome Lambert (all beinge my Chil-

deren) fue pounds to bee equally pvided amongest them

tt : It is my will that Jane my wife and Thomas Barker fhalbe the executers of the reft of my eftate as before to haue the ordering and difpofeing of my childeren : except my fonn Thomas which I freely giue vnto my Brother Thomas Barker to order and difpofe of

tt I giue vnto my daughter Ann fortye fhillings to be payed by my executers ether att marriage or when fhee is att eighteene yeeres of age :

tt : In Cafe my fonne John fould dye before the time come wherein he fould be poffeffed of my houle and land then it is my will : that my fonne Jonathan fhall haue it ; but if by providence it be foe ordered that my fonne Jonathan be brought vp att fchoole and foe pceed to be a fcholler then my houle and land with gates and meadowes fhall be my fonne Gerfomes

wittneffee : [No signature.]

Edwarde Carlton :

Thomas Barker

WILL OF JOHN JARRAT.

The will of John Jarrat of Rowley was proved in the court held at Ipswich 27 : 7 : 1648. The following copy was made from the original instrument on file in the probate office at Salem.

Rowley 11th 11 1647

I John Jarrat ficke in body but of perfect memory (prayed be God) doe ordaine and make this my laft will and Testament : ffrft I comit my foule vnto God through Jefus Chrift : As concerning my outward eftate my will and minde is that ffrft all my debts being difcharged and paide I giue vnto my Dautyer Elifabeth ten pounds out of my Goods and Lande and in Cafe my wife marry againe I giue my Daughter three pounds fix fhillings eight pence more Ite if my wife Sufanna Jarrat be now with Child I giue vnto my Child ten pounds but in cafe my wife marry againe three pounds fix fhillings eight pence more Ite all the reft of my

Lande Goods and Cattel I giue vnto my wife Sufanna Jarrat whom I make executrix of this my laft will and testament dated the eleuenth day of the ii month 1647

In prefence of vs his hande
Humfrey Reyner John *John* Jarrat
Thomas mighell.

SALEM IN 1700. NO. 18.

BY SIDNEY PERLEY.

The map on page 38 represents that part of Salem which is bounded by Essex street, Washington Square West, Forrester street or Washington Square, and Washington Square East. It is based on actual surveys and title deeds, and is drawn on a scale of two hundred feet to an inch. It shows the location of all houses that were standing there in 1700.

Essex street was called the common or highway in 1669; ye highway or street, 1675; ye high or main street, 1695; ye main street, 1699; Salem main street, 1706; and Essex street, 1794.

Washington Square West was reserved for a way in or before 1673, and was called a way in 1734. It was for many years called Newbury street. For a few years past it has been known as Washington Square West.

Forrester street was laid out before 1787, when its location was called "the common or a way." It was named by vote of the selectmen Bath street July 5, 1802; and Forrester street in 1856.

Washington Square East was an old way into the swamp from the main street. It was called Thomas Beadle's lane in 1700; Ives lane, 1753; Pleasant street, 1800; and for several years has been known as Washington Square East.

Washington Square has always been public land. For many years in the early settlement of the town this was the pen, or common pen, where the cows of the neighborhood were gathered preparatory to the cowherd taking them to the neck for the day. At a meeting of the proprietors of lands lying in common within

the town of Salem, Nov. 16, 1713, it was

"Voated That the Comon Lands where the Trainings are Generally Kept In the Town nigh and before M^r Nathaniell Higginfons Dwelling bee and remaines as Itt now layes to Continue for Euer for A Training feild for the vfe of said Town of Salem

"Voated That all the Highways and Burying Places and Comon Lands lying within the Town Bridge and the Block houfes be And Remaine for Euer for the vfe of the Town of Salem."*

This remained a training field during the rest of that century. It was ye common land called ye pen in 1669; ye common land, 1676; the Salem common, 1699; ye common, 1701; Salem common or training field, 1724; the town common or training field, 1727; the training field, 1754; and the common training field, 1791.

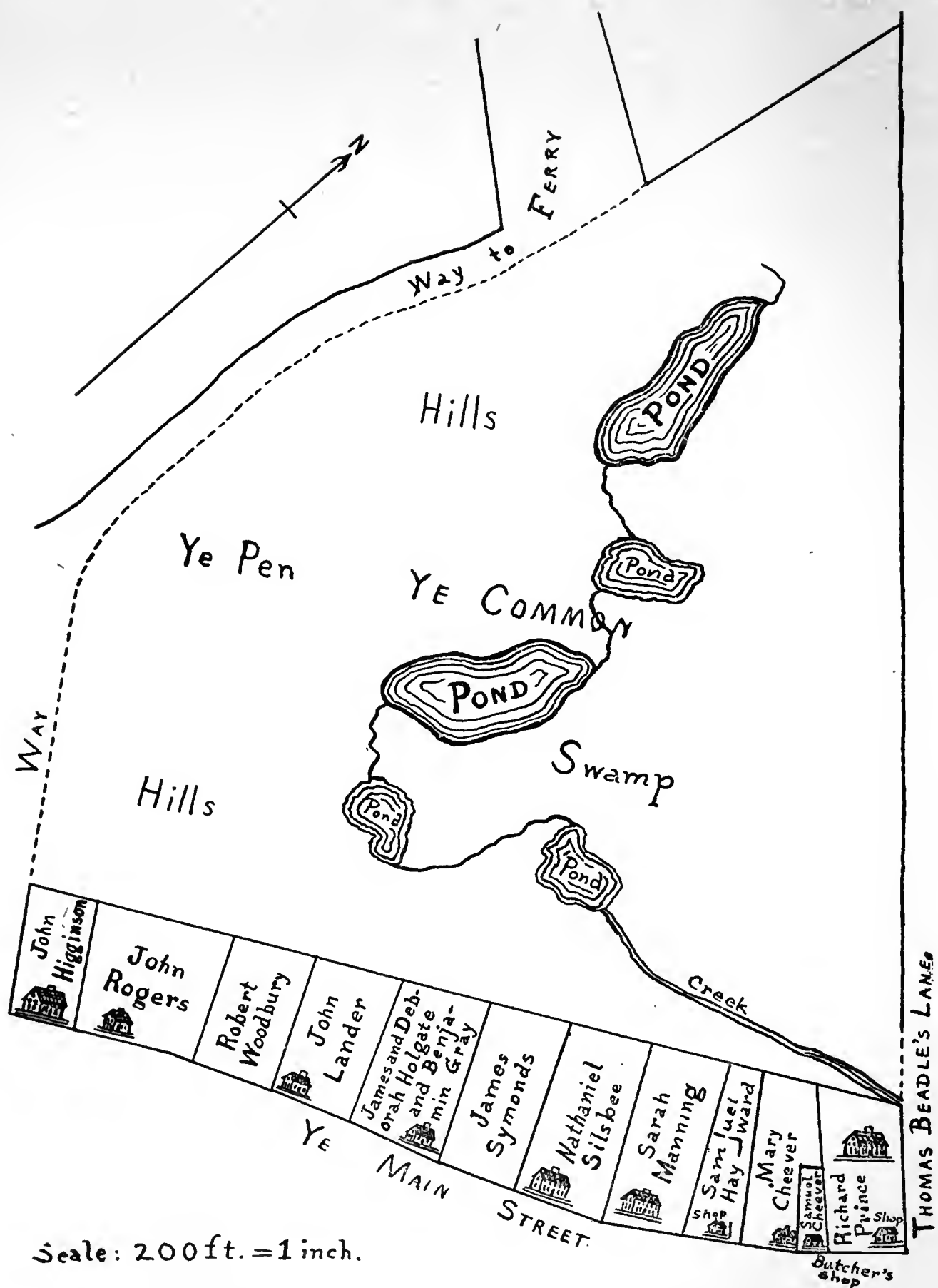
A large part of this area was swamp land with ponds and hills; on the map the shape and location of two of the ponds are given as found on an old map, but the exact location and size of the three small ponds is unknown. In 1802, by private subscription, the hills were levelled, the gravel being used in filling the ponds and swamps, substantially as it is at present. It was named Washington Square by vote of the selectmen July 5, 1802; and has since been so called.

The range of house lots shown on the map was a part of the common until they were granted to various parties herein-after named, between the years 1660 and 1670.

In the sketches that follow, after 1700, titles and deeds referred to pertain to the houses and land adjoining and not always to the whole lot, the design being, after that date, to give the history of the houses then standing principally.

John Higginson House. This lot was granted to John Higginson at a meeting of the town held Dec. 4, 1673, the record being as follows: "vpon Jn^o Higginsons Jun^rs Request to the towne to sell him a

*Commoners' Records, page 3.



PART OF SALEM IN 1700. NO. 18.

peece of Land next to goodman Rumball: It is voated that Leaving the way four Rod wide att the ffront and soe wide In the Reare as the ground will give Leaving for him ther 3 Rods In Breadth: that he Shal have It home to goodman Rumballs fence he payeng for It after the same Rate or proportion that other men have paid for their Lots further downward and that the Select men are to Lay It out." Mr. Higginson immediately erected a dwelling house upon the lot, which has ever since been precisely the same lot as that now occupied by the Franklin building. Colonel Higginson lived in this house, which was elegant for the time; and died possessed of it March 23, 1719-20, at the age of seventy-three. In his will, he devised the estate to his son Nathaniel Higginson for his life, and then to go to Nathaniel's children. Nathaniel died in 1720, leaving three children, Mary, wife of Capt. Nathaniel Andrew of Salem, mariner, Hannah Higginson, and Elizabeth, wife of Obadiah Mors of Boston, goldsmith. Hannah Higginson lived in Salem, and, for one hundred and sixty pounds, conveyed her interest in the estate to her brother-in-law Captain Andrew May 7, 1734.* Mrs. Mors and her husband, for one hundred and sixty pounds, conveyed her interest in the estate to Captain Andrew Oct. 14, 1735.† Captain Andrew died Feb. 4, 1762, having devised the house "I now dwell in" and barn to his son John Andrew. The estate was then valued at five hundred and thirty-three pounds, six shillings and eight pence. In the house were then mentioned the western lower room, kitchen, kitchen chamber, western chamber, easternmost chamber best room, garret, cellar, front closet, and "bofet closet." John Andrew was a goldsmith, and lived in this house until Dec. 4, 1784, when, for three hundred pounds, he conveyed the estate to John Gardner of Salem, merchant.‡ Mr. Gardner removed to Danvers,

and, for seven thousand, seven hundred and eighty-five dollars, conveyed "the old mansion house" and all other old buildings and the lot to Samuel Archer, 3d, of Salem May 22, 1809.* Mr. Archer immediately removed the old house and erected on its site the first Franklin building, which he built of brick.

John Rogers House. This lot was granted by the town to Daniel Rumball of Salem, blacksmith, in consideration of his conveying to the use of Rev. John Higginson a lot on the north side of the common near what is now Williams street. This was the first lot granted in this row of house lots. At a town meeting, held April 30, 1660, it was "voted that Goodman Rumble shalle haue a peec of ground In the penn wheare it may be Least prediudife to the towne in Lew of the ground hee spared to build vppon a a house for mr Higgeffon: foot for foot: to be Layed owt by the select men." For thirty pounds, he conveyed the lot to John Rogers of Salem, glazier, Oct. 30, 1675.† Mr. Rogers built a house upon the lot probably immediately after his purchase, and conveyed both house and lot, being his homestead, to his niece Rebecca Putnam, providing that she should live with him as a nurse to him, Aug. 16, 1715.‡ Mr. Rogers' wife had died the year previous, and he died Nov. 30, 1715, aged sixty-eight. Miss Putnam married Rev. Daniel Putnam of Reading in 1719; and, for one hundred and ten pounds, they conveyed the house and land around it to Jonathan Very of Salem, cordwainer, June 23, 1724.§ Deacon Very lived in the house, and died possessed of it in 1768, his will, dated March 24, 1764, being proved Jan. 2, 1769. He devised his real estate to his children, Jonathan Very, Abigail Very, Mary Symonds, Elizabeth Cheever, Martha Pitman, and Bethiah Archer, and grand children, Joseph Pratt, Susannah Pratt and William Cook. The

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 62, leaf 180.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 68, leaf 217.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 143, leaf 1.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 187, leaf 170.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 31.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 27, leaf 218.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 65, leaf 128.

house, barn and land around them were then appraised at two hundred and fifty-three pounds, six shillings, and eight pence. Joseph Pratt, mariner, and widow Susannah Pratt, both of Salem, for thirty-three pounds, conveyed their interest in the mansion house and land of their grandfather Jonathan Very to George Peele of Salem, trader, Dec. 23, 1791.* John Pitman, jr., and Thomas Pitman, both of Salem, mariners, two of the grandchildren of Jonathan Very, and the guardian of William Pitman, another grandson, for twelve pounds and twelve shillings, conveyed their interest to Mr. Peele Dec. 23, 1791.† Jonathan Very of Salem, truckman, the son of the deceased, for thirty pounds, conveyed his interest in the estate to Mr. Peele July 2, 1793.‡ Joshua Pitman, housewright, Benjamin Reed, mariner, and wife Martha in her right, Jonathan Morong, mariner, and wife Mary, in her right, all of Salem, grandchildren of Jonathan Very, for ten pounds and sixteen shillings, conveyed their interest in the estate to William Ball of Salem, cordwainer, Sept. 17, 1787.§ William Cook, mariner, and Mary Cheever, spinster, both of Salem, grandchildren of Jonathan Very, for twenty pounds, conveyed their interest to Mr. Ball Sept. 22, 1787.|| James Archer, cordwainer, and wife Elizabeth, in her right, Elisha Gunnison, mariner, and wife Mary, in her right, all of Salem, grandchildren of Jonathan Very, for eight pounds and twelve shillings, conveyed their interest to Mr. Ball March 27, 1788.¶ Daniel Needham of Salem, mariner, and wife Mary, in her right, granddaughter of Jonathan Very, for four pounds and nineteen shillings, conveyed her interest to Mr. Ball Sept. 4, 1792.** Joseph Symonds, housewright, James Symonds, fisherman, Mar-

garet Symonds, spinster, and Jonathan Archer, husbandman, all of Salem, grandchildren of Jonathan Very, for seventeen pounds, five shillings and eight pence, conveyed their interest to Mr. Ball March 30, 1793.* Bethiah Archer of Salem, spinster, and William Millet, mariner, and wife Sarah, in her right, grandchildren of Jonathan Very, for fifty dollars, conveyed their interest in the estate to Mr. Ball Feb. 25, 1796.* A partition of the estate was made in court Nov. 27, 1793, between George Peele and William Ball, and the house and land around it were assigned to Mr. Ball;† and he apparently removed the old house before 1801.

Robert Woodberry Lot. This lot was granted by the town to Manasseh Marston of Salem, blacksmith, in town meeting, 7: 8 mo: 1665; and the record reads as follows: "voated that manasses maston shall haue the same quantitie of land at the est end of Goodman Rumbls lott in the pen: paying as others did for thires in the same Rang: once in two yeares." Mr. Marston conveyed the lot to Robert Wilkes of Salem, ship-carpenter, July 29, 1669.‡ Mr. Wilkes died in the autumn of 1677, having devised the lot with a shop upon it to his nephew Robert Woodberry, then only five years of age. The lot was valued at thirty pounds. Mr. Woodberry lived in Beverly, being a mariner, and owned the shop and lot until 1707.

John Lander House. This lot was granted by the selectmen of Salem to John Lander April 5, 1672. The record of the grant is as follows: "Jn^o Lander Nich^o Maning for his Sone in law Joseph Grey James Symonds Nath Silfby & petter Cheeuers haue Each of them a house Lott Granted them, according to the Same pportion w^{ch} Manafses Marfton had, and they are Each of them to pay fue pounds for Each lott, in Some Good

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 154, leaf 113.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 154, leaf 114.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 155, leaf 274.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 147, leaf 119.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 148, leaf 110.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 147, leaf 208.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 155, leaf 214.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 160, leaf 177.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 158, leaf 98.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 67.

pay to the Select mens Content, and wthin one year after this Grant, and they are Each of them Injoyned to Build a house on ther lotts wthin two years time after this Grante or the S^d lotts to returne to the Towne Againe, and Each man is Injoyn'd to Carry the watter through his land tow^{rds} y^e Sea John Launder is to haue the next lott tow^{rds} Manafses Marftons Nich^o Maning the 2^d James Symonds the third Nath Selfby the fowerth & petter Cheeuers the fift Lay'd out by the Select men, to Seu^rall Persons A house lott a pece in the Swampy Grownd in the Common, for w^{ch} they are to pay fiae pownds a pece Each man for his lott," etc. Mr. Lander built a house upon the lot and lived in it until his death, which occurred before Feb. 29, 1743, when his real estate was divided. The house and land around it were assigned to his daughter Sarah Johnson. She was a widow Aug. 15, 1765, when she mortgaged "my mansion house heretofore of my father John Lander, deceased," and land under and around it, to John Bray of Salem, cordwainer;* and she conveyed it to Mr. Bray Aug. 25, 1768.† Mr. Bray removed the old house before 1790, probably soon after 1768.

James and Deborah Holgate and Benjamin Gray House. This lot was granted by the selectmen of Salem to Nicholas Manning for his son Joseph Gray April 5, 1672. Mr. Gray lived here, being a gunsmith, and died in 1690, having devised to his wife Deborah "my dwelling house," etc., for her life, and then to his children equally. The dwelling house, shop and land were then appraised at eighty pounds. Joseph Gray, the eldest son of the deceased, for five pounds, conveyed his interest in the estate to his stepfather Dr. James Holgate of Salem May 4, 1697.‡ Mrs. Holgate died, and Doctor Holgate, for four pounds, con-

veyed his interest in the house and lot to her son Benjamin Gray of Salem, turner, April 25, 1712.* Mr. Gray died in the winter of 1716-7, having devised his estate to his son Benjamin Gray of Salem, chairmaker. The estate was then valued at ninety pounds. Mr. Gray removed the house before his death which occurred in the winter of 1760-1.

James Symonds Lot. This lot was granted by the selectmen of Salem to James Symonds of Salem, a joiner, April 5, 1672; and he continued to own it until his decease in 1714, when the lot was valued at thirty pounds.

Nathaniel Silsbee House. This lot was granted by the selectmen of Salem to Nathaniel Silsbee of Salem April 5, 1672. He erected a house upon the lot, and died possessed of the estate about 1718, administration being granted on his estate July 3, 1724. The estate remained undivided until Jan. 23, 1755, when a division took place. The house and lot were then valued at four hundred pounds. The estate was assigned to the eldest son Nathaniel Silsbee of Salem, housewright. Mr. Silsbee owned the property until his death Jan. 2, 1769, having devised it to his son William Silsbee. The house was gone before 1778, while the lot was owned by William Silsbee.

Sarah Manning House. This lot was granted to Thomas Beadle by the town on or before April 15, 1672.† Mr. Beadle was of Salem, mariner, and proceeded, sometime after the date of the grant, to erect a house upon the lot; but before he had completed the house, for thirty-four pounds sterling, he conveyed to Robert Stone of Salem, seaman, "the frame of a dwelling house, soe far as the carpenters work was now done to it, as it stands, raised, with all ye clabords, boards & shingles that belongs to it, & now lyes in place at or neere the said frame, with six windowes to be sett up, according to

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 124, leaf 170.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 163, leaf 215.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 15, leaf 121.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 24, leaf 197.

†See records of the selectmen of Salem of that date.

my first agreement with the carpenter, alsoe y^e ground y^e sd frame stands upon & is there adjoining, that belongs thereto," etc. being this lot, April 12, 1676.* Mr. Stone died before June 24, 1690, when the inventory of his estate was taken, possessed of the house in which his daughter Sarah and her husband Jacob Manning then lived. The house, shop and lot were appraised at fifty pounds. Mrs. Manning apparently became the sole owner of the house and lot; and died before Oct. 25, 1756, when administration was granted upon her estate. The house was then called "an old house" and together with the land, was appraised at fifty three pounds, six shillings and eight pence. The estate was divided Dec. 31, 1756, among the children of the deceased, Katherine Berry, Mary Booth and Sarah Manning being assigned the western half of the house and lot, and Samuel Manning and Benjamin Manning the eastern half. John Booth of Salem, laborer, and wife Mary, and Sarah Manning of Salem, spinster, for seventeen pounds, fifteen shillings and six pence, conveyed their interest to their sister Katharine Berry of Salem, widow, Jan. 1, 1757.† Mrs. Berry, for twenty-six pounds, thirteen shillings and three pence, conveyed the interest she then possessed to her brother Benjamin Manning of Salem, mariner, Oct. 20, 1757.‡ Samuel Manning of Oxford, gunsmith, for five pounds, six shillings and eight pence, conveyed his fifth interest in the house and lot to Benjamin Manning Oct. 27, 1756.§ Benjamin removed the old house before 1768, when he died.

Mary Cheever House, and Samuel Cheever and Samuel Hayward Lots. These lots comprised the lot of land which was granted by the selectmen of Salem to Peter Cheever of Salem, glover, April 5, 1672. He conveyed, for eighteen pounds and one shilling, the southwestern

portion (within the dashes) of the Samuel Hayward lot with a shop thereon, to Nathaniel Beadle, 3d, of Salem, cordwainer, March 31, 1699.* Mr. Beadle, for nineteen pounds and sixteen shillings, conveyed the same property to Samuel Hayward of Salem, cooper, Aug. 26, 1699.* Mr. Cheever died possessed of the remainder of this entire lot in the summer of 1699, having in his will devised the remainder of the Samuel Hayward lot to his son Peter Cheever. Peter, who also lived in Salem, glover, for seven pounds, conveyed it to Samuel Hayward Nov. 22, 1699;† and Mr. Hayward owned the whole of his lot for several years after 1700.

Mr. Cheever devised the lot marked "Samuel Cheever," and the butcher's shop thereon, to his son Samuel Cheever of Salem, seaman, who conveyed the property, for fourteen pounds and five shillings, to Thomas Medcalf of Ipswich, husbandman, Jan. 3, 1699-1700.‡

Mr. Cheever devised the remainder of his lot and the house to his wife Mary Cheever, the house and the portion of the lot he then possessed being valued at one hundred and ten pounds. Mrs. Cheever, for eighty-five pounds, conveyed the house called "a small old house," and ten rods of land around it to James Cheever of Salem, turner, March 7, 1727-8.§ Mr. Cheever removed the house before 1763, when his death occurred.

Richard Prince House. This lot was granted by the town in town meeting 7: 1 mo: 1669-70, to Richard Prince, jr., the records being as follows: "Graunted that Rich Prince Jun shall purchase a house lott of the fame quantity in the Range of land next to Daniell Rumbals;" and the selectmen, at a meeting Sept. 25, 1671, "Laid out to m^r Richard Prince A house lott downe in the Common Right ouer Against Michel Chaplmans house, and he is to pay the Towne five pownds

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 134.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 104, leaf 60.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 106, leaf 75.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 104, leaf 155.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 196.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 14, leaf 43.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 18, leaf 4.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 46, leaf 167.

for it; for w^{ch} is debitor to the Towne Still. it Containes in Length running North and South, about Seauen rodd & fower foote and in breadth fower rodd & halfe." Mr. Prince died in September, 1702, having in his will devised the estate to his three sons Richard, Joseph and John equally. Joseph died in 1703, and John soon afterward. Richard was his brothers' heir. He lived here, and took down the house, building a new one in its place, some years before his death, which occurred in or before 1753.

IPSWICH COURT RECORDS AND FILES.

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Court, 26 : 1 : 1650.

"John Endecot Esquire Gov^r."

Judges: Mr. Symon Broadstreet, Mr. Samuell Symonds and Capt. Robert Bridges.

Jury of trials: Willm Bartholmew, Mathy Boyce, Symon Tomson, Christopher Ossgood, John Wiate, John Prockter, Willm Goodhue, John Sanders, Abraham Tappan, George Little, Jeames Barker and John Tod; and Jacob Barney in room of Mr. Bartholmew for one action.

Will of Robert Johnson of Rowley proved. Inventory filed.

Will of Mr. Thomas Nelson proved. Inventory filed.

John Ward v. Mr. John Clarke. Tried at Salem in 1648.

Richard Shattswell v. Zacheous Goold. About a stray mare. In the margin appear the names of Richard Longhorne, Richard Homes and Robert Swan.

Mr. William Payne v. Mr. John Tomson. Verdict that all fish made by Mr. Stephen Sergeant's three boats at his stage at Stare Island, with houses, salt stages, etc., seized by defendant, be returned to plaintiff.

Edmond Farington v. Mr. Adam Wintrop attorney of Capt. Stephen Wintrop.

John Ward v. Mr. John Clarke. For bringing his estate out of England, and for use of his money since 9th month, 1647.

Robert Starkeweathr v. Thomas White. Slander.

Mr. William Payne v. Mr. Robert Saltingstall.

Mr. Robert Saltingstall v. Mr. William Payne.

["m^r Paine affermed to mee, that many of those comodities, w^{ch} my brother Rob^t recd of him were for the use of my fath^{rs} estate upon w^{ch} I relying did receive satisfaction in cattle out of my fath^{rs} estate, w^{ch} being given in upon account hee accepted for ought I know.

"Richrd Saltonfall."

—Files.]

Thomas Varnye, son of William Varnye, being bound unto William Bartholomew of Ipswich for fourteen years, is now assigned to Mr. Henry Bartholmew of Salem.

John Coolye, being aged, and having fits, whereby he falls, is freed from training.

John Perkins, sr., being above sixty years old, is freed from ordinary training.

Thomas Leigh, aged above seventy years, is freed from ordinary training.

Joseph Medcalf, in regard of his lameness in one arm and deafness on one side of his head, is freed from ordinary training.

Thomas Rolinson, Mr. Samuell Appleton, Philip Fowlar and Steph. Jordon, on account of age, etc., are freed from ordinary training.

Henry Bartholmew of Salem appointed administrator of the estate of Robert Norington who was drowned near Marblehead.

Frances Jordon appointed to execute corporal punishment.

John Perrye of Newbury, for abusive carriages to his wife, bound to good behavior, and to sit one hour in stocks at Newbury.

Anthonye Mose fined five pounds for digging a pit and not filling it up whereby a child was drowned.

Joseph Withe committed to Georg Gittens. Edward Gillman claims a right to him.

Joseph Langton and Willm Rayner fined for excessive drinking.

Tho : Fiske and Tho : White said that Joseph Langton said that John Baker owed him two or three quarts of wine.

Thomas Scott to learn Mr. Norton's catechism or pay a fine.

John Bucke fined for stealing wheat, and to pay his dame costs of court.

John Broadstreet whipped for lying.

Roger Langton and Joseph Laughton bound for appearance of the latter at next court.

Mr. Hubard ordered to repair highway to Wennam pond.

Town of Ipswich to repair highway.

Town of Ipswich acquitted for not laying out highway to Gloster, as it is done.

Court, 24 : 7 : 1650.

Judges: Mr. John Endecott, deputy gov^r, Mr. Symon Broadstreet, Mr. Samuel Symonds and Capt. Robert Bridges.

Grand jury: Mr. Willm Bartholmew, Tho : Rolinson, sr., Daniell Warner, Tho : Howlett, Mark Symonds, Tho Bishop, Willm Inghish, Willm Moodye, Archelias Woodman, John Merrill, Tho : Mighell, John Remington, Willm Assye, Hugh Smith and Rich : Barker.

Jury of trials: George Gittens, Thomas Smith, Thomas Tredwell, John Perkins, jr., Joseph Reding, Maxemilion Jewet, Willm Jackson, Rich : Longhorne, John Person, Thom : Milard (also, Mylard), Benjamin Swett and John Knight.

Court adjourned a fortnight.

Tho : Clarke v. Anthony Potter. Trespass.

Made freemen: Tho : Milard, John Knight and Ben : Swet of Newbury and Tho : Smith of Ipswich.

Edmond Farington v. Willm Flint. Trespass for taking away hay.

George Gittens and Joseph Reding, jurymen, fine 1 for not appearing.

Willm Mouer (also, Moore) v. Isack Commins.

Hugh Sherrat v. Tristram Coffin, Daniel Perce and John Chator.

Mr. Symon Broadstreet v. William Robinson.

Larence Turner v. Henry Lenord and wife Mary. Defamation.

Larence Turner v. John Hardman. Defamation.

John Bond v. John Hardman (also, Herdman). Slander.

John West v. Marke Symonds Edward Browne and John Knolton. Defamation.

Mr. Jeames Noyce v. John Tillieson. For killing a mare.

Erasmus Jeames and wife Jane v. Peeter Pittford and Edward Pittford. Slander, for calling her a witch.

Mr. William Payne v. Edmond Greenleife and Stephen Kent.

Henry Lenord v. Larence Turner and wife. Battery.

Captain Brigham v. Edward Gofe. About the sale of the ship Zebulon. Rich : Longhorne swore to service.

Abraham Tappan and Richard Browne v. Tho : Tresslar.

Will of Mr. William Belingham of Rowley proved.

Henry Somersbye, being chosen by the town of Newbury, is licensed to keep an ordinary when Mr. Greenlife gives over.

Joseph Armentage attached Mr. Samuel Winsloe, but did not enter the action.

Mary Bidgood, being required to appear for not repairing to her husband in England, neighbors testified that he could not maintain her, nor required her to come to him, and by his letters had left her to herself and her friends here. She is permitted to remain for the present.

Humphrey Broadstreet and John Broadstreet hath their bond of good behavior discharged.

Jo : Tilleson, Mr. John Spencer, Nicolas Noice, Richard Browne, Tho D—— and Robt Lovitt—for saying that the elders would transgress for a morsel of bread.

John Herdman and Henry Lenord bound for the former's appearance at the next court.

Larence Turner attached Henry Lenord, but did not enter the writ.

Anthony Mose had been fined.

John Tillison fined for his many offences, and bound to good behavior. Tho: Colman and Willm Tittman sureties.

Mr. Henrye Sewall fined and to make humble acknowledgment in the church of Rowley in one month and to pay twelve shillings to Mathy Boyce. [Henry Sewell, sr., of Rowley was presented, 10: 8 mo: 1650, for disturbance in the time of the public ordinances. Witnesses: Ezekiel Rogers and Lt. Remington. Also presented for doing violence upon the son of William Acey of Rowley and drawing blood. Witnesses: The mother and sister of the child. —*Files.*]

John and Larance Turner bound to bring in Sarah Turner.

Sarah Turner to be whipped for her many offences.

John Bond to sit in the stock half an hour for his misdemeanor.

John Wiate freed from ordinary training, paying five shillings to the use of the company per annum.

Mr. Hubbard is given more time on Mr. John Whittingham's inventory.

Jafery Sknelling to be whipped for divers lies and bound to good behavior for suspicion of filthiness.

[Goodwife Symons and Willm Symons deposed, in court, 11 (8) 1650, that Jeffry Snelling said that he saw Goodwife Morse stealing peas.—*Files.*]

Elizabeth, daughter of Willm Symons, to be whipped for filthiness.

John Sparke bound to his brother-in-law Obadiah Wood for five years.

The court consents that Samuell Sparke be bound apprentice to William English for seven years, "only reserving to have the consent of his Brother for the last year."

Walter Roper, being summoned, allowed costs.

Constables paid for keeping "prisoners."

Five shillings, sixpences allowed to the house and one shilling where Mr. Broadstreet lay.

Thomas Scott did not come to make known that he had learned Mr. Norton's catechism.

To be continued.


WILL OF JOHN PERKINS.

The will of John Perkins of Ipswich was proved in the Ipswich court 26: 7: 1654. The following copy was taken from the original instrument on file in the probate office in Salem

28th of first m^o called March 1654

I John Perkines the Elder of Ipswich being at this tyme sick and weake in body yet through the mercy and goodnes of the Lord retaining my vnderstanding and memory: Do thus Dispose of and bequeath my Temporale estate as ffolloweh first I Doe giue and bequeath vnto my Eldest sonn John Perkines a foale of my young mare being new with foale if it please the Lord shee foale it well also I give and bequeath to my sonn Johns two sonnes John and Abraham to each of them one of my yearleing heyfers: also I give and bequeath to my sonn Thomas Perkines one cow and one heyfer also I give & bequeath to his sonn John Perkines one ewe to be delivered for her vse at the next shearing tyne also I doe give and bequeath to my Daughter Elizabeth Sarieant one cow and an heyfer to be to her and her children after her Decease as it may please ye Lord they may increafe the proffits or increafe to be equelly Devided amongst the sayde children also I Doe give to my Daughter mary Bradery one cow and one heyfer or a young fteer to remaine to her & to her children in theyr increafe or proffits it shall please the Lord to bleff them and to be equally Devided to the children: also I Doe give and bequeath to my Daughter Lidia Bennitt one cow and one heyfer or fteere to be equally Devided to her children in theyr increafe or proffits after her Decease: I Doe also give vnto my Grandchilde Thomas Bradbery one ewe to be sett apart for his vse at ye next shearing tyne: also I Doe give and bequeath vnto

my sonn Jacob Perkins my Dwelling
house together with all the outhowfeing,
and all my landes of one kinde and other
together with all improvements therevpon
to be his in full pofession according to a
former covenant, after the deceafe of my
wyfe and nott before and so to remaine
to him and to his heires forever: all the
rest of my estate of one kinde and other
I Doe wholly leave to my Deare wife Ju-
deth Perkins apointing and ordaining my
sayde wyfe the sole Executrix of this my
Last will and Testament Defiring my sayde
wife to Dispose of the cattell aboue men-
tioned according to her discrefion as they
shall prosper steeref or heyfers as also to
Dispose of some of the increafe or some of
the increafe of the sheep to ||the|| chil-
dren of my sonn Thomas and of my three
Daughters at the Discrefion of my sayde
wife and this I Doe ordaine as my Last
will and Testament subscribed with mine
owne hand this twenty eighth Day of y^e
first month 1654

signed in prence of John Perkins
william Bartholmew his  mark
Thomas Harris

NOTES.

Margaret Berry of Manchester married
Asa Adams of Hamilton Oct. 10, 1796.
—*Hamilton town records*.

Meriam Berry married James McAdams
Nov. 3, 1790.

Widow Jane Berry of Haverhill mar-
ried Valentine Hickey, "a transient per-
son," July 19, 1789.

Alice Berry married Stephen Knight
May 17, 1795.

Abigail Berry married Stephen Web-
ster, jr., Feb. 21, 1722-3.

John Berry married Jenny Frink; chil-
dren: Meriam, born Aug. 16, 1772; Elias,
born Aug. 8, 1774; John, born March 12,
1777; Caleb, born Oct. 25, 1779.

Zebediah Johnson, son of the widow
Jenny Berry, born May 9, 1785.

—*Haverhill town records*.

Thomas Berry of Ipswich died before
May 11, 1693, when administration was

granted on his estate to Agnes, wife of
Giles Cowes of Ipswich. His daughter
Agnes married Gyles Cowes Feb. 27,
1672, in Ipswich. Three pounds of Mr.
Berry's estate was in the hands of widow
Berry.—*Probate records and county rec-
ords*.

Capt. Thomas Berry¹ of Boston married
Margaret Rogers (daughter of John Rog-
ers, president of Harvard college) of Ip-
swich Dec. 28, 1686; lived in Boston,
where he died about 1696; she married,
secondly, John Leverett, president of
Harvard college, Nov. 25, 1697; and
died June 7, 1720, at the age of fifty-four.
Children of Thomas and Margaret Berry:
1. *Margaret*,² born in Boston June 25,
1692. 2. *Elizabeth*,² born in Ipswich
Sept. 20, 1693; married Daniel Appleton
of Ipswich June 8, 1715; she died at
Cambridge Nov. 28, 1773, being known
as "Madam Elizabeth Appleton." 3.
Thomas,² born in Boston March 19, 1694-
5; graduated at Harvard college, 1712;
lived in Ipswich; was colonel, representa-
tive, justice of the court of common pleas,
judge of the probate court for the county
of Essex, of the governor's council, 1735-
1751, and an eminent physician; mar-
ried, first, Martha Rogers (daughter of
Rev. John Rogers) of Ipswich (published
24: 6: 1717); she died Aug. 25, 1727,
at the age of thirty-three; he married, sec-
ond, Elizabeth Turner of Salem May 2,
1728; he died Aug. 10, 1756, at the age
of sixty-one; in his will he gave fifty
pounds to the South church in Ipswich,
with which to procure a piece of plate;
his wife, known as "Madam Elizabeth
Berry," died in 1775; administration on
her estate being granted Aug. 1, 1775;
his children, born in Ipswich, were as fol-
lows: 1. Thomas,³ baptized July 20, 1718;
2. Elizabeth,³ born Feb. 28, 1730-1;
died Dec. 19, 1735; 3. Thomas,³ born
Sept. 17, 1732; died Nov. 17, 1736; 4.
Mary,³ baptized Aug. 11, 1734; died, an
infant, Dec. 12, 1735; 5. Elizabeth,³ bap-
tized Nov. 9, 1737; married Joseph How
(published Dec. 9, 1758); and died be-
fore 1768: 6. Thomas,³ born July 29,

1740; 7. John,³ born Feb. 26, 1742; lived in Ipswich; yeoman and merchant; married Abigail Wise (published July 3, 1762); he died in Ipswich Feb. 21, 1774; she married, secondly, John Harris, 4th (published Jan. 18, 1776]; and was living in Ipswich in 1781; children of John and Abigail Berry, born in Ipswich: Elizabeth,⁴ born June 24, 1763; Thomas⁴, baptized Dec. 9, 1764; Abigail,⁴ baptized Jan. 14, 1770; married Moses Lord, jr., Sept. 15, 1794; and Mary,⁴ born Feb. 23, 1772; married William Rust of Amherst, N. H., Nov. 29, 1792.—*Records*.

Peter Berry married Susannah Dooke (published Dec. 23, 1710); and he died Feb. 3, 1758. Children: Susannah, baptized 20:5:1712; married Ezekiel Hunt (published April 15, 1715); Sarah, baptized April 4, 1714; published to Michael Holland Nov. 30, 1735; Peter, baptized 22:7:1717; Elizabeth, baptized 13:10:1719; married Daniel Lakeman (published Dec. 11, 1742); Dorothy, baptized Aug. 4, 1723; and John, baptized June 25, 1727.

Joseph Berry published to Sarah Spiller 29:7:1716.

Sarah Berry published to Willam Lakeman Nov. 20, 1724.

—*Ipswich town records*.

Children of Thomas and Elizabeth Berry: Thomas, born March 14, 1694-5; died April 4, 1695; Samuel, born June 25, 1697.

William Berry married Anna Wayt May 13, 1752.

—*Lynn town records*.

Hannah Berry married Cyrus Stiles Oct. 29, 1789.—*Middleton town records*.

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

442. Wanted, ancestries of (1) James Nourse and (2) Elizabeth Mansfield, married at Lynn, 1785; (3) Jacob Ingalls and (4) Mary Tucker, married at Lynn, 1737; (5) John Farrington and (6) Abigail Fuller, married at Lynn,

1720; and (7) Sarah Farrington who married Joseph Breed at Lynn, 1683; also (8) maiden name and ancestry of Mary (wife of Hugh) Alley, who died, 1674; and (9) name and ancestry of wife of Allen Breed who died, 1692.

New York, N. Y.

J. D. L.

443. Wanted, ancestry of John Goss who married, July 30, 1728, at Bradford, Mass., Mehitable Bailey, daughter of James³ and Hannah (Wood) Bailey.

Manchester, N. H.

A. R. W. L.

444. Wanted, ancestry of Nathaniel Stacy, born Ipswich, Sept. 16, 1752, of Samuel Stacy and Hannah Ayres, published June 21, 1746.

C. E. S.

New Haven, Conn.

ANSWERS.

216. Leader Nelson's father, Joseph Nelson, was son of Matthew Nelson of Portsmouth, N. H. The latter was in Portsmouth's tithing men's list in 1678; and his first recorded deeds of land were in Newington on the river, in 1679, nearly opposite where Charles Nelson had bought land on the eastern shore in 1675. Savage's Genealogical Dictionary states that in 1684 he had a wife Jane (Rawlings?), and that in 1690 he was solicitor for Massachusetts. He had a second wife Agnes (Hunking?). He lived later in Portsmouth town, and last on "Walford's Plantation" at the head of Sagamore Creek, in Portsmouth, which he bought in 1697. He died before April 11, 1713. His children were as follows: ———, who married Nathaniel Tuckerman in 1708; John, who died, unmarried, about 1720; Matthew, who married Mary Cotton in June, 1715; Joseph, whose wife was Ann (Leader?); Mark, who married widow Elizabeth Man, a daughter of John and Elizabeth Kennard, Dec. 28, 1732. There were very probably the following named children, also: James, who was in the "expedition eastward" about 1710; Abigail, who married Josiah Moses Nov. 12, 1719; William, who married Margaret Swaine Dec. 29,

1726; and Elizabeth, who married Benjamin Cowell Nov. 27, 1729. Many of the descendants of Matthew, Joseph and Mark have been traced. John, of Exeter, was son of Matthew. Leader's son Samuel probably settled in Barnstead, N. H., but further information about that is desired.—*John M. Moses, Strafford, N.H.*

293. Elizabeth, wife, first of John Kingsbury of Rowley and Haverhill, and, second, in 1672, of Peter Green, was probably daughter of Elizabeth Button of Haverhill, as Elizabeth Butten of Haverhill conveyed to her "son-in-law" Peter Green land in Haverhill Dec. 7, 1673, by deed recorded in Old Norfolk County Deeds, book 3, leaf 75. The witnesses to the deed were Henry Kinsberry and Joseph Kinsberry.—*Ed.*

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

A CHASE CHART. Mr. Francis Nelson Chase of Lowell, Mass., has published his ancestral chart mounted upon cloth. It gives his descent in its many lines, and is illustrated with autographs, coats-of-arms, and a drawing of the old Chase homestead at Corliss hill in Haverhill.

ON THE FORMATION OF LOCAL COLLECTIONS. *By John Robinson.* Salem, 1904. This is an important paper read at the field meeting of the Andover Natural History Society at the Alderbrook farm, July 20, 1904, by Mr. Robinson of the Peabody Academy of Science in Salem. Paper; nineteen duodecimo pages.

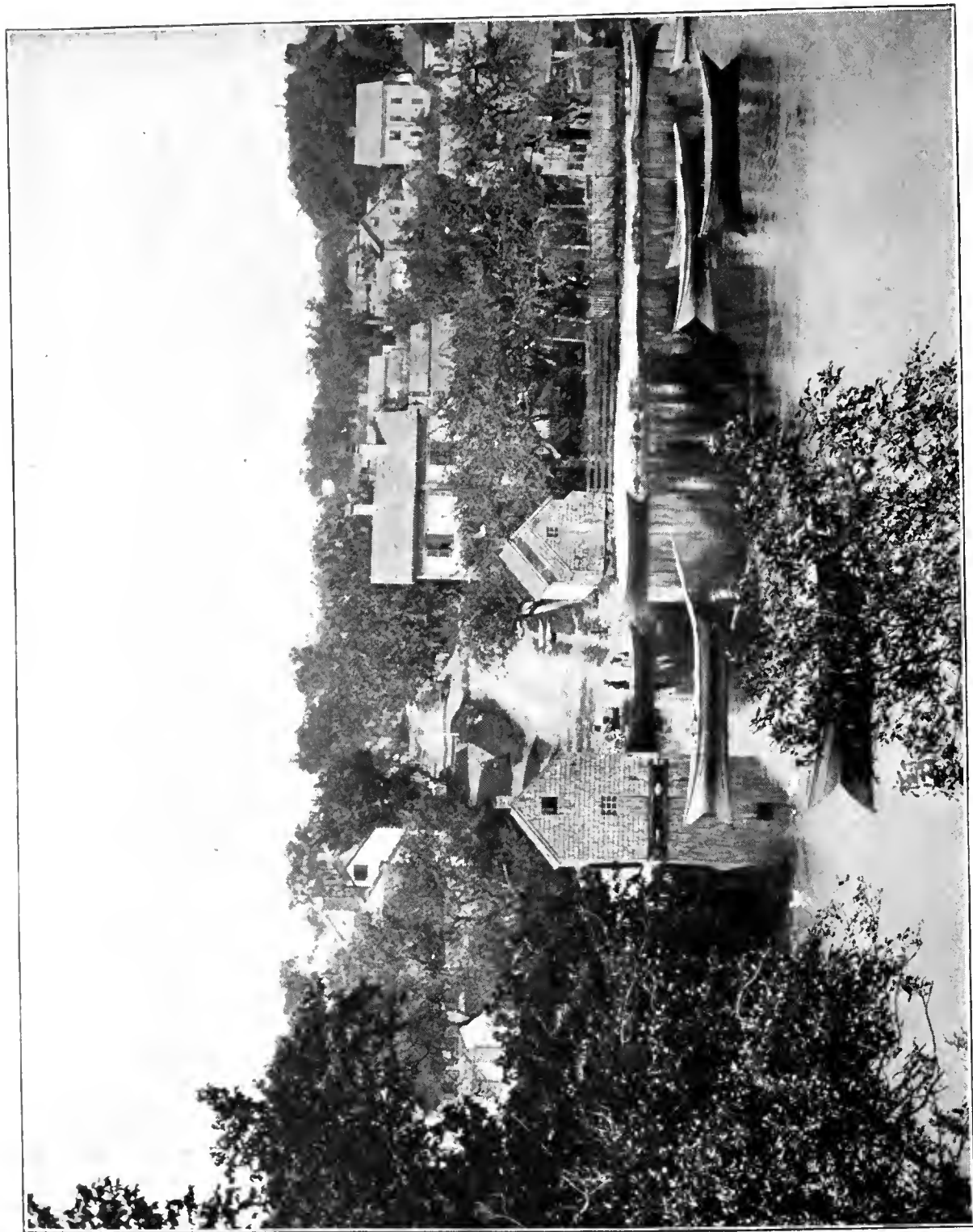
EZEKIEL CHEEVER, SCHOOLMASTER. *By Elizabeth Porter Gould.* Boston, 1904. This little cloth bound book of ninety-four pages, is a fine addition to similar monographs. The introduction is by Edward Everett Hale, D. D., and in his accustomed style. The larger portion of the volume is, of course, devoted to the biography of Master Cheever, who was born in London Jan. 25, 1614. He taught school in New Haven, Conn., 1639-1650, in Ipswich, Mass., 1650-1661, in Charlestown, 1661-1670; and in Bos-

ton, being master of the Latin School, 1671-1708. He taught up to his last illness, dying Sept. 12, 1708, when ninety-three years of age. Among the illustrations is a half-tone cut of the tablet to Master Cheever's memory in the Boston Latin School.

CHIPMANS OF AMERICA. *By Alberto Lee Chipman.* Poland, Me., 1904. Beginning with John Chipman, born at Bryans-Piddle, near Dorchester, England, who was the first and only one of the name to seek a home in America, the book contains a complete genealogy of the Chipman family as descended from him, down to the eighth generation. The volume contains 232 pages, but has no index. It is well printed in clear type on good paper. It is illustrated by half-tone cuts of the author and Rev. Richard Manning Chipman of Harwinton, Torrington, Chattam and East Granby, Conn., and Athol, Mass., and a colored print of the English arms of Chipman. Price, \$4. Address Ye Chipman Printery, Poland, Me.

CUMMINGS GENEALOGY: Isaac Cummings, 1601-1677, of Ipswich in 1638; and some of his Descendants. *By Albert Oren Cummins.* Montpelier, Vt., 1904. Mr. Cummins has completed his extensive work upon the history and genealogy of the American Cummings family. The volume is bound in cloth, and contains 643 octavo pages, fifty-seven of which comprise the index. The book contains considerable biographical matter, and much genealogy of the families of the daughters. It appears to be quite complete; and is well printed on fine paper with plain and tasteful type. There are many plates in the volume, mostly portraits, the frontispiece being an excellent likeness of the author. Mr. Cummins can congratulate himself upon the completion of his task, which he has so faithfully and successfully performed. He has published the volume himself. His address is Montpelier, Vt.; and the price of the book is five dollars.

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BLASDELL GENEALOGY.

THE surname of BLASDELL is also spelled in early records in Essex county *Blaisdell, Blaisdill, Blasdale, Blasdel, Blasdill, Blasedill, Blassdell, Blazdale, Blazdel, Blazdell* and *Blesdale*.

The American ancestor of this family was

RALPH BLASDELL¹, a tailor. He lived in Salisbury as early as 1640, having come from York, Me. He married Elizabeth ———; and died between 1648 and 1650. His wife Elizabeth survived him; and died in Salisbury, his widow, "about ye middle of August, 1667."

Children:—

- 2—I. HENRY,² b. about 1632. *See below (2)*.
- 3—II. SARAH,² d. 17: 11: 1646, in Salisbury.
- 4—III. MARY,² b. 5: 1 mo: 1641; m., first, Joseph Stowers before 1667; lived in Charlestown, where he d. in 1672; she m., second, William Starling Dec. 19, 1676, and lived in Haverhill, where she d. May 29, 1681.

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HENRY BLASDELL², born about 1632. He was a planter or husbandman and tailor, and lived in that part of Salisbury that was set off as Amesbury in 1666. He married, first, Mary Haddon before 1657; and she died in Amesbury Dec. 12, 1691. He married, second, Elizabeth ——— before 1702; and he died between 1705 and 1707.

Children:—

- 5—I. EBENEZER,³ b. 17: 8: 1657, in Salisbury. *See below (5)*.
- 6—II. MARY,³ b. May 29, 1660, in Salisbury. D. W. Hoyt states that she married Robert Rawlins.
- 7—III. HENRY,³ b. April 28, 1663, in Salisbury. *See below (7)*.

- 8—IV. ELIZABETH,³ b. about 1665. This child is given by D. W. Hoyt, who says she probably m. John Huntington.
- 9—V. RALPH,³ b. about 1667; laborer; lived in Amesbury; d. Jan. 11, 1691, probably unmarried.
- 10—VI. JOHN,³ b. May 27, 1668 (D. W. Hoyt). *See below (10)*.
- 11—VII. SARAH,³ b. Nov. 11, 1671; m. Stephen Flanders June 20, 1706, in Amesbury.
- 12—VIII. JONATHAN,³ b. Oct. 11, 1676. *See below (12)*.
- 13—IX. SAMUEL,³ "6th son"; d. in Amesbury Oct. 3, 1683.

5

EBENEZER BLASDELL³, born in Salisbury 17: 8: 1657. He was a husbandman and cooper, and lived in Amesbury. He married Sarah Colby about 1680; and died Aug. 10, 1710, in Amesbury. She survived him, and died in Amesbury, his widow, March 14, 1711.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

- 14—I. EPHRAIM,⁴ b. about 1682. *See below (14)*.
- 15—II. THOMAS,⁴ d. before 1712 (D. W. Hoyt).
- 16—III. EBENEZER,⁴ b. Dec. 29, 1686; cooper; lived in Amesbury until 1712 when he settled in York, Me.; pub. to Sarah Chase of Newbury Feb. 5, 1708-9; m. Abigail (Ingerson), widow of Joseph Jenkins of York about 1712. He had a large family.
- 17—IV. ELEANOR,⁴ b. Nov. 30, 1688; d. Jan. 19, 1688-9.
- 18—V. MARY,⁴ d. young (D. W. Hoyt).
- 19—VI. RALPH,⁴ b. April 21, 1692. *See below (19)*.
- 20—VII. SARAH,⁴ b. July 27, 1694; unmarried in 1713.

7

HENRY BLASDELL³, born in Salisbury April 28, 1663. He was a husbandman

and tailor, and lived in Amesbury. He married, first, Mary — in or before 1686; and she was his wife in 1690. He married, second, Hannah (Rowell), widow of Thomas Colby of Amesbury about 1691; and she died in Amesbury Aug. 9, 1707. He married, third, Dorothy Martin Oct. 27, 1707. He died before March 11, 1707-8, when administration was granted upon his estate; and his wife Dorothy survived him. He had "a garri-son house," valued at one pound, inventoried with his other estate. His widow Dorothy married, secondly, Thomas Ayers of Haverhill, widower, March 7, 1709-10.

Children:—

- 21—I. HENRY,⁴ *See below* (21).
- 22—II. MARY,⁴ m. Samuel Clough, jr., of Amesbury, husbandman, Dec. 12, 1706; and she was his wife in 1719.
- 23—III. JOHN,⁴ b. Feb. 4, 1686-7, in Amesbury; "2d son." *See below* (23).

10

LT. JOHN BLASDELL³, born in Amesbury May 27, 1668. He was a husbandman, and lived in Amesbury. He married Elizabeth (Challis), widow of John Hoyt, Jan. 6, 1692-3; and died May —, 1733, administration being granted on his estate June 25, 1733. She survived him, and was living in 1744. His estate was appraised at £753, 11s., 3d.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

- 24—I. MARY,⁴ b. Nov. 3, 1693; m. Abner Hoyt Nov. 14, 1717.
- 25—II. ELIZABETH,⁴ b. Nov. 24, 1695; m. David Clough of Amesbury, laborer, Nov. 25, 1718; and she was living in 1755.
- 26—III. RALPH,⁴ b. April 10, 1698. *See below* (26).
- 27—IV. PHILIP,⁴ b. Aug. 9, 1700; "second son." *See below* (27).
- 28—V. JACOB,⁴ b. Feb. 9, 1703; mariner; lived in Amesbury; m. Jemima Hook Sept. 30, 1727; she d. Nov. 13, 1740, aged thirty-six; and he d. between 1755 and 1760, administration being granted on his estate April 14, 1760. His estate was insolvent. No children known.

12

JONATHAN BLASDEL³, born in Amesbury Oct. 11, 1676. He was a blacksmith, and lived in Amesbury. He had a privilege in the stream for mills at Trickling falls. He married Hannah Gimson (Jameson) about 1698; and died before Nov. 28, 1748, when administration was granted on his estate, which was appraised at £651, 1s., 2d. His wife Hannah was living in 1748, but probably died before June 5, 1748.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

- 29—I. MARY,⁴ b. Nov. 21, 1699; m. Gideon Lowell Jan. 3, 1722-3.
- 30—II. DANIEL,⁴ b. March 5, 1701-2. *See below* (30).
- 31—III. ANNE,⁴ b. Oct. 23, 1704; m. Philip Quinby Dec. 19, 1729.
- 32—IV. ELIJAH,⁴ b. Nov. 19, 1706. *See below* (32).
- 33—V. JONATHAN,⁴ b. Aug. 15, 1709; blacksmith; lived in Kingston, N. H.; m. Hannah Jones Aug. 5, 1731; built iron works in East Kingston, at Trickling falls; his will, dated May 11, 1781; was proved Jan. 29, 1782. They had eleven children.
- 34—VI. DAVID,⁴ b. Feb. 5, 1711-2. *See below* (34).
- 35—VII. ENOCH,⁴ b. July 9, 1714. *See below* (35).
- 36—VIII. SAMUEL,⁴ "youngest son," 1750. *See below* (36).
- 37—IX. HANNAH,⁴ b. June 8, 1720; m. Gideon Challis Nov. 23, 1738.
- 38—X. ELIZABETH,⁴ "youngest daughter," 1750; m. Abraham Colby March 23, 1741-2.
- 39—XI. HENRY,⁴ b. April 12, 1726; d. May 3, 1730, aged four years.

14

EPHRAIM BLASDELL⁴, born in Amesbury about 1682. He was a cooper, and lived in Amesbury. He married Deborah Bartlett (published July 9, 1703). He died in 1728, administration being granted on his estate Aug. 5, 1728. The inventory of his estate amounted to £226, 1s. His wife Deborah survived him, and married, secondly, George Worthen, widower, Oct. 24, 1732.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

- 40—I. SAMUEL,⁵ b. June 24, 1704. *See below* (40).

- 41—II. ABNER,⁵ b. Feb. 25, 1705-6. *See below (41).*
 42—III. SARAH,⁵ b. April 19, 1708; m. John Stevens, jr., of Haverhill, blacksmith, Dec. 1, 1726; and was living in 1735.
 43—IV. ELEANOR,⁵ b. Feb. 7, 1709-10; m. David Merrill Jan. 15, 1729-30; and was living in 1754.
 44—V. DINAH,⁵ b. Jan. 23, 1711-2; probably d. before 1731.
 45—VI. EPHRAIM,⁵ b. July 2, 1714; d. young.
 46—VII. ABIGAIL,⁵ b. about 1716; m. John Parsons of York, Me., March 16, 1737.
 47—VIII. EPHRAIM,⁵ b. June 14, 1719. *See below (47).*

19

RALPH BLASDELL⁴, born in Amesbury April 21, 1692. He was a cooper and lived in Amesbury until after 1730, when he removed to Kingston, N. H. He married Mary Davis about 1710.

Children, born in Amesbury (except Dorothy):—

- 48—I. EBENEZER,⁵ b. Aug. 14, 1711; m. Sarah Stockman Nov. 29, 1739; lived in Kingston, N. H. They had six children.
 49—II. TIMOTHY,⁵ b. July 16, 1713; d. Sept. —, 1713.
 50—III. HUMPHREY,⁵ b. Sept. 14, 1714; d. July 19, 1726.
 51—IV. RODOLPHUS⁵ (son), b. Jan. 6, 1717-8; d. young.
 52—V. TIMOTHY,⁵ b. May 8, 1720; cooper; lived in Kingston.
 53—VI. JOHN,⁵ b. March 5, 1725-6; d. Aug. 10, 1735.
 54—VII. SARAH,⁵ b. July 17, 1730; d. July 14, 1733.
 55—VIII. DOROTHY,⁵ bapt. April 22, 1744, in East Kingston; m. Stephen Tonge of Kingston Nov. 14, 1752.

21

DR. HENRY BLASDELL⁴, first a cordwainer until 1713, after which he was a "doctor of physic." He lived in Amesbury until about 1715, when he removed to Chelmsford. He married, first, Martha Bartlett of Haverhill (published May 7, 1709); and, second, Lydia Parker before 1720. He died in the winter of 1735-6, his will dated Jan. 7, 1735-6, being proved March 18, 1735-6. His wife Lydia sur-

vived him, and married, secondly, — Spalding before 1739.

Children:—

- 56—I. HENRY,⁵ b. April 11, 1710, in Amesbury; shipwright and caulker; lived in Boston.
 57—II. MARTHA,⁵ b. Sept. 22, 1713, in Amesbury; d. young.
 58—III. MARY,⁵ b. Aug. 27, 1720, in Chelmsford; m. Dr. Jonathan Stedman of Cambridge.
 59—IV. LYDIA,⁵ b. May 7, 1723, in Chelmsford; m. Henry Gould of Concord, Mass., May 12, 1748.
 60—V. ANNA,⁵ b. April 7, 1725, in Chelmsford; m. John Ball.
 61—VI. ANN,⁵ b. March 3, 1727, in Chelmsford; m. Oliver Hildreth of Andover.
 62—VII. SARAH,⁵ b. March 23, 1729-30, in Chelmsford; m. Joseph Haywood Oct. 30, 1745.
 63—VIII. JOHN,⁵ b. Nov. 23, 1732, in Chelmsford. *See below (63).*
 64—IX. WILLIAM,⁵ b. June 6, 1735, in Chelmsford; lived in Chelmsford. Had wife Sarah and children.

23

JOHN BLASDELL⁴, born in Amesbury Feb. 4, 1686-7. He was a yeoman, and lived in Amesbury. He married Ebenezer Stevens Jan. 11, 1710-1. He was a representative to the general court, and also a commissioner to settle the boundary line between Massachusetts, New Hampshire, etc. He died in 1753; his will, dated April 10, 1753, being proved May 21, 1753. His wife Ebenezer survived him.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

- 65—I. HANNAH,⁵ b. Feb. 20, 1711-2; m. Jonathan Kelley, jr., May 22, 1733; and was living in 1753.
 66—II. EZRA,⁵ b. Aug. 19, 1713. *See below (66).*
 67—III. MARY,⁵ b. March 22, 1714-5; m. Daniel Webster of Amesbury Nov. 26, 1741; and was living in 1753.
 68—IV. JOHN,⁵ b. May 23, 1717. *See below (68).*
 69—V. HENRY,⁵ b. April 28, 1718. *See below (69).*
 70—VI. NATHANIEL,⁵ b. April 6, 1720; wheelwright; removed to Chester, N. H.; m. Mary Blay of Newbury Jan. 14, 1744-5; and d. Dec. 22, 1786.
 71—VII. STEPHEN,⁵ b. Feb. 9, 1722-3. *See below (71).*

- 72—VIII. MARTHA,⁵ b. Nov. 16, 1724; m. Nathan Webster of Amesbury Feb. 10, 1742-3.
 73—IX. ABIGAIL,⁵ b. Sept. 28, 1726; m. Enoch Colby.
 74—X. EBENEZER⁵ (dau.), b. March 14, 1729; probably d. before 1753.

26

RALPH BLASDELL⁴, born in Amesbury April 10, 1698. He married Mary Nichols April 10, 1718; and lived in Kingston, N. H., where he died about 1780.

Children :—

- 75—I. MOSES,⁵ b. July 17, 1720, in Amesbury; lived in East Kingston, N. H.; m. Mary Prescott July 16, 1746; and had nine children.
 76—II. ELIZABETH,⁵ b. about 1722.
 77—III. MARY,⁵ b. Feb. 4, 1724-5, in Kingston; m. Timothy Eastman Jan. 16, 1744-5.
 78—IV. THOMAS,⁵ m. Dorothy Clough Oct. 25, 1750.
 79—V. DANIEL,⁵ unmarried; lived in East Kingston.
 80—VI. JOHN,⁵ b. about 1733; m. Judith Shepard May 10, 1759; lived in East Kingston; and d. in Gilford, N. H., about 1799. He had six children.
 81—VII. MIRIAM,⁵ m. Jonathan Blasdell (son of Jonathan, No. 33) Sept. 23, 1762; lived in South Weare, N. H.

27

PHILIP BLASDELL⁴, born in Amesbury Aug. 9, 1700. He was a husbandman, and lived in Amesbury. He married Elizabeth Goodwin July 13, 1727; and died in 1756, administration being granted on his estate April 12, 1756. She survived him.

Children, born in Amesbury :—

- 82—I. RUTH,⁵ b. about 1728; m. first, Isaac Whittier March 28, 1751; and, second, Matthias Hoyt April 3, 1759.
 83—II. SARAH,⁵ b. about 1730; m. Ezekiel Eastman Feb. 27, 1755; and lived in Salisbury.
 84—III. JACOB,⁵ b. July 23, 1735. *See below* (84).

30

DANIEL BLASDELL⁴, born in Amesbury March 5, 1701-2. He lived in Amesbury

until about 1730, when he removed to East Kingston, N. H. He married Naomi Tukesbury (published Sept. 2, 1721); and died Dec. 20, 1732. She survived him, and returning to Amesbury, married, secondly, Israel Morrill of Salisbury (published Oct. 4, 1735.)

Children :—

- 85—I. CHRISTOPHER,⁵ b. March 22, 1721-2, in Amesbury. *See below* (85).
 86—II. DANIEL,⁵ b. April 10, 1724, in Amesbury. *See below* (86).
 87—III. JACOB,⁵ b. about 1726, in Amesbury. *See below* (87).
 88—IV. MOSES,⁵ b. Sept. 28, 1728, in Amesbury; joiner; lived in Nottingham, N. H., and Hampden, Me.; m. Anna Sanborn of Epping (pub. Oct. 27, 1750).
 89—V. PHEBE,⁵ b. about 1730; d. Oct. 23, 1732.
 90—VI. ELEANOR⁵.

32

ELIJAH BLASDELL⁴, born in Amesbury Nov. 19, 1706. He was an iron bloomer, and lived in the West parish of Rowley, now Georgetown. He married Mary Holmes of Rowley March 13, 1728-9; and died Feb. 14, 1738-9, at the age of thirty-two. She survived him, and was his widow in 1752.

Children, born in Rowley :—

- 91—I. JOHN,⁵ b. Sept. 8, 1729; d. Sept. 6 (7—*gravestone*), 1736, aged six years *
 92—II. HANNAH,⁵ b. Aug. 13, 1731; d. Sept. 16, 1736, aged five years.*
 93—III. MEHITABLE,⁵ b. Oct. 17, 1732; d. Sept. 26, 1736, aged three years.*
 94—IV. MARY,⁵ bapt. Aug. 25, 1734; d. Sept. 9, 1736, aged two years.*
 95—V. JANE,⁵ bapt. March 14, 1735-6; d. Sept. 20 (19—*gravestone*), 1736, aged six months.*
 96—VI. JOHN,⁵ b. Sept. 4, 1737; lived in Goffstown, now Manchester, N. H.; m. Susanna Mirick of Haverhill in 1757; and had children.
 97—VII. HANNAH,⁵ b. Dec. 21, 1738; m., when of Bradford, Timothy Colby of Amesbury Oct. 20, 1757; and lived in the West parish of Amesbury, now Merrimac, on the river.

*These five children, all that Mr. and Mrs. Blasdell then had, died of the throat distemper, within three weeks' time.

34

DAVID BLASDELL⁴, born in Amesbury Feb. 5, 1711-2. He was a clockmaker, and lived in Amesbury. He married Abigail Colby Nov. 16, 1733; and died, probably while a soldier in the French and Indian War, as he made his will at Fort William Henry, at Lake George, being very sick, Aug. 10, 1756. The will was proved May 9, 1757. His wife Abigail survived him, and was his widow in 1772.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

- 98—I. DAVID⁵, b. Dec. 8, 1734; bapt. Nov. 15, 1734; d. young.
- 99—II. DAVID⁵, b. Feb. 21, 1735-6. *See below (99).*
- 100—III. ISAAC⁵, b. March 27, 1738. *See below (100).*
- 101—IV. MOLLY⁵, b. May 16, 1739; m., first, Lewis Lowell Jan. 4, 1757-8; second, Joseph Hart; and, third, ——— Morrill.
- 102—V. NICHOLAS⁵, b. July 1, 1740; d. young.
- 103—VI. JONATHAN⁵, b. Oct. 11, 1741; d. young.
- 104—VII. NICHOLAS⁵, b. Aug. 27, 1743. *See below (104).*
- 105—VIII. DOLLY⁵, b. Jan. 26, 1744-5; m. Thomas Bartlett, 3d, of Newbury June 19, 1760; and lived in Deer-
ing, N. H.
- 106—IX. JONATHAN⁵, b. Oct. 17, 1748. *See below (106).*
- 107—X. SPENCER⁵, b. May 12, 1751. *See below (107).*
- 108—XI. OBADIAH⁵, b. April 30, 1753; d. young.
- 109—XII. OBADIAH⁵, b. Feb. 28, 1755; d. young.

35

ENOCH BLASDELL⁴, born in Amesbury July 9, 1714. He married Mary Satterly Feb. 6, 1735-6; and lived in Amesbury until about 1761, when they removed to Warner, N. H.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

- 110—I. SUSANNA⁵, b. Sept. 4, 1737.
- 111—II. ELIJAH⁵, b. Sept. 5, 1739; d. Jan. 22, 1739-40.
- 112—III. ELIJAH⁵, b. Dec. 31, 1740. *See below (112).*
- 113—IV. JUDITH⁵, b. March 17, 1742-3; m. Pasky Pressey of Amesbury Dec. 2, 1762; and settled in Warner, N. H.
- 114—V. BETTY⁵, b. Aug. 6, 1746; m. Joshua Mitchell Sept. 26, 1772.

- 115—VI. MARY⁵, b. July 19, 1751.
- 116—VII. JACOB⁵, b. April 8, 1754; m. Ruth Morse of Brentwood March 26, 1778.
- 117—VIII. ENOCH⁵, b. Oct. 16, 1759; d. Oct. 30, 1759.

36

SAMUEL BLASDELL⁴, born in Amesbury about 1717. He was a joiner, and lived in Amesbury. He married, first, Dorothy Barnard (published Dec. 22, 1735); and she died in 1756. He married, second, Judith (Osgood), widow of Nehemiah French of South Hampton, N. H., Jan. 25, 1758-9. He died in 1769, administration being granted on his estate May 29, 1769.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

- 118—I. OLIVER⁵, b. April 15, 1736. *See below (118).*
- 119—II. DOROTHY⁵, b. Jan. 8, 1738; d. young.
- 120—III. SAMUEL⁵, b. May 14, 1743. *See below (120).*
- 121—IV. RUTH⁵, b. May 3, 1747; d. young.
- 122—V. DOROTHY⁵, b. Jan. 20, 1749.
- 123—VI. RUTH⁵, b. Feb. 23, 1752; probably m. Jacob Currier Feb. —, 1776.
- 124—VII. MERIAM⁵, b. Sept. 3, 1754; d. young.
- 125—VIII. MERIAM⁵, b. June 25, 1756.

40

SAMUEL BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury June 24, 1704. He was a yeoman, and lived in Amesbury. He married Hannah Tuxbury June 3, 1729; and died in 1749, administration being granted on his estate Nov. 20, 1749. His wife Hannah survived him, and was his widow in 1758.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

- 126—I. STEPHEN⁶, b. Jan. 13, 1730-1. *See below (126).*
- 127—II. SAMUEL⁶, b. Oct. 20, 1733; m. Mary ———; and lived in Lyndeboro, now Greenfield, N. H.
- 128—III. HANNAH⁶, b. May 2, 1736.
- 129—IV. EPHRAIM⁶, b. June 15, 1740. *See below (129).*

41

ABNER BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury Feb. 25, 1705-6. He was a mason, and lived in Amesbury. He married Mary Clement of Haverhill about 1728; and died in 1742, administration being granted on his estate Oct. 18, 1742. His wife

Mary survived him, and married, secondly, Joseph Gould, jr., May 17, 1744.

Children :—

- 130—I. WILLIAM⁶, b. Jan. 26, 1728-9, in Haverhill; d. Aug. 4, 1730.
- 131—II. MARY⁶, b. Oct. 10, 1730, in Haverhill.
- 132—III. MEHITABLE⁶, b. Nov. 13, 1732, in Amesbury.
- 133—IV. ABIGAIL⁶, b. June 20, 1734.
- 134—V. WILLIAM⁶, b. Oct. 25, 1735; shipwright; lived in Hampton, N. H., in 1757.
- 135—VI. ANNA⁶, b. Aug. 31, 1737.
- 136—VII. JOHN⁶, b. March 3, 1740; d. Nov. 2, 1750.
- 137—VIII. DINAH⁶, b. June 28, 1742.

47

EPHRAIM BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury June 14, 1719. He was a yeoman and bricklayer, and lived in Amesbury. He married, first, Anna Trafton of York, Me., April 1, 1742; and she died in 1752. He married, second, Dorothy Bartlett Aug. 30, 1753. His wife Dorothy died Jan. 16, 1804; and he died Oct. 12, 1806.

Children, born in Amesbury :—

- 138—I. ABNER⁶, b. April 16, 1743. *See below* (138).
- 139—II. ANNA⁶, b. March 13, 1745; m. Daniel Bagley April 8, 1767.
- 140—III. DOLLY (or DOROTHY)⁶, b. April 6, 1747; m. Eli Gale, blacksmith; and lived in Amesbury.
- 141—IV. LYDIA⁶, b. Sept. 12, 1749; probably d. before 1807.
- 142—V. OLIVE⁶, b. Nov. 30, 1752; m. John Hook; and lived in Amesbury.
- 143—VI. JOHN⁶, b. April 9, 1754. *See below* (143).
- 144—VII. ABIGAIL⁶, b. April 16, 1756; m. Jacob Barnard of Amesbury July 1, 1784.
- 145—VIII. HANNAH⁶, b. Jan. 9, 1759; probably d. before 1807.
- 146—IX. MARY⁶, b. July 25, 1766; m. Nathan Long of Amesbury Jan. 7, 1788; and d. before 1807.

63

JOHN BLASDELL⁵, born in Chelmsford Nov. 23, 1732. He married Mary Sawyer of Newbury Aug. 5, 1756; and died in the "Army of the Havannah." She survived him, and married, secondly, Benjamin Wallingford of the West parish of Rowley now Georgetown, Aug. 13, 1777. Mr. Wallingford died in 1790;

and she afterwards lived in Boxford, where she died in 1819.

Child, born in Chelmsford :—

- 147—I. JOHN SAWYER⁶, b. Nov. 3, 1757. *See below* (147).

66

EZRA BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury Aug. 19, 1713. He was a yeoman and cordwainer, and lived in Amesbury. He married Sarah Harvey Jan. 4, 1737-8; and died Dec. 22, 1798.

Children, born in Amesbury :—

- 148—I. JOHN⁶, b. July 18, 1738.
- 149—II. HARVEY⁶, bapt. Jan. 4, 1740-1. *See below* (149).
- 150—III. ANNA⁶, b. Oct. 20, 1742; m. Moses Moulton Jan. 5, 1772; and lived in Loudon, N. H.
- 151—IV. OLIVER⁶, b. June 16, 1744. *See below* (151).
- 152—V. SARAH⁶, b. Aug. 6, 1745; m. ——— Leavitt of Chichester, N. H.
- 153—VI. EZRA⁶, bapt. Feb. 14, 1747-8; d. young.
- 154—VII. EBENEZER⁶, bapt. Jan. 28, 1749-50; d. young.
- 155—VIII. MERIAM⁶, b. Dec. 17, 1751; d. in Amesbury, unmarried.
- 156—IX. ABIGAIL⁶, b. Aug. 16, 1753; m. Thomas Sargent of Loudon, N. H., April 14, 1772.
- 157—X. EBENEZER⁶ (dau.), b. March 20, 1755.
- 158—XI. EZRA⁶, b. Feb. 20, 1757; lived in Loudon, N. H., and Woodstock, Vt.

68

JOHN BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury May 23, 1717. He married Dorothy Rowell April 8, 1741; and died Nov. 15, 1742, at the age of twenty-five.

Child, born in Amesbury :—

- 159—I. SARAH⁶, b. Feb. 11, 1741-2; was living in 1753.

69

HENRY BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury April 28, 1718. He married Miriam Wells Feb. 7, 1739-40; and lived in the West parish of Amesbury.

Children, born in Amesbury :—

- 160—I. HENRY⁶, b. Dec. 30, 1740. *See below* (160).
- 161—II. MIRIAM⁶, bapt. Oct. 20, 1745.

- 162—III. MARY⁶, b. Nov. 29, 1747.
 163—IV. MIRIAM⁶, b. May 21, 1750.
 164—V. WELLS⁶, b. Sept. 28, 1751; d. on a privateer at sea.
 165—VI. JOHN⁶, b. March 19, 1757; served in Revolutionary war, and probably d. there.
 166—VII. HEZEKIAH⁶, b. July 30, 1759; lived in New Hampshire; m. Anne Sargent May 17, 1781.

71

STEPHEN BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury Feb. 9, 1722-3. He was a husbandman and innholder. He married Rebecca Rogers Nov. 8, 1744; and lived in the West parish of Amesbury until 1750, when he removed to Haverhill. Administration was granted upon his estate April 8, 1754. She survived him, and married, secondly, Thomas Sargent April 15, 1756.

Children, born in Amesbury :—*

- 167—I. RUTH⁶, b. April 30, 1745.
 168—II. STEPHEN⁶, b. Oct. 11, 1747.
 169—III. DOROTHY⁶, b. July 8, 1750.
 170—IV. REBECCA⁶, b. April 3, 1753.

84

LT. JACOB BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury July 23, 1735. He was a joiner, and lived in Amesbury until about 1764, when he removed to Epping, N. H. He was a lieutenant in the Revolution. He married, first, Lydia Morrill June 4, 1761; and, second, widow Elizabeth Sanborn of Hampton Falls Jan. 10, 1785.

Child, born in Amesbury :—

- 171—I. PHILIP⁶, b. March 16, 1762.

85

CHRISTOPHER BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury March 22, 1721-2. He lived in the West parish of Amesbury and in Georgetown, Me. He married, first, Sarah Nichols Nov. 23, 1742; and, second, Frances —.

Children, baptized in Amesbury :—

- 172—I. JUDITH⁶, bapt. June 10, 1744.
 173—II. JONATHAN⁶, bapt. Nov. 17, 1745.
 174—III. SARAH⁶, bapt. July 12, 1747.
 175—IV. CHRISTOPHER⁶, bapt. Sept. 10, 1749.
 176—V. MARY⁶, bapt. Dec. 24, 1752.
 177—VI. MARY⁶, bapt. April —, 1755.
 178—VII. DANIEL⁶, bapt. Oct. 16, 1757.
 179—VIII. HANNAH⁶, bapt. Aug. 12, 1759.

*One child died between 1754 and 1756.

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DANIEL BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury April 10, 1724. He was a yeoman and joiner and lived in Salisbury at the Point. He married Rachel Edwards June 13, 1747; and died in Salisbury April 8, 1793. She survived him, and died, his widow, Nov. 7, 1813, aged ninety-two.

Children, born in Salisbury :—

- 180—I. DANIEL⁶, b. May 22, 1749; housewright; and lived in Georgetown, Me., in 1798.
 181—II. RACHEL⁶, b. July 21, 1751; m. John Coster; and lived in Boscawen, N. H., in 1793.
 182—III. RHODA⁶, b. Oct. 15, 1753; m. George Hoyt of Henniker, N. H., Oct. 31, 1771; and was living in 1793.
 183—IV. RUTH⁶, b. April 28, 1756; m. David Coster (or Corser) of "Bossquine" March 17, 1776; and was living in 1793.
 184—V. NAOMI⁶, b. Aug. 22, 1758; m. Edward Wadleigh July 5, 1779; and was living in 1793.
 185—VI. HANNAH⁶, b. Feb. 17, 1761; m. Asa Day of Boscawen, N. H., yeoman, Jan. 15, 1788.
 186—VII. BETSEY⁶, b. March 13, 1763; d. Jan. 25, 1770.
 187—VIII. MOLLY⁶, b. Nov. 15, 1764; m. Timothy Currier, jr., of Amesbury Nov. 17, 1785.
 188—IX. DOLLY (or DOROTHY)⁶, b. Sept. 1, 1767; m. Ebenezer Colby of Amesbury Jan. 15, 1788.

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JACOB BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury about 1726. He married Mary —; and lived at Salisbury Point. He died of the small pox Nov. 21, 1760; and his wife Mary also died of the small pox Dec. 10, 1760.

Children, born in Salisbury :—

- 189—I. JOHN⁶, d. Nov. 25, 1754.
 190—II. JACOB⁶, b. May 28, 1749; d. Nov. 28, 1754.
 191—III. JUDITH⁶, d. Dec. 1, 1754.
 192—IV. JACOB⁶, b. March 23, 1756.
 193—V. HANNAH⁶, b. July 25, 1757; m. Elijah Dow May 20, 1781.

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DAVID BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury Feb. 21, 1735-6. He was a blacksmith and clockmaker, and lived in Amesbury.

He married, first, Judith Jewell of South Hampton, N. H., Dec. 24, 1755; and she died Jan. 17, 1786, aged forty-nine. He married, second, Sarah (Currier), widow of Valentine Bagley of Newbury (published Nov. 13, 1790). Administration was granted on his estate Feb. 24, 1794. The inventory of his estate amounted to £300, 15s., 2d. His wife Sarah survived him, and died, his widow, Dec. 7, 1821, aged seventy-seven.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

- 194—I. ABIGAIL⁶, b. April 18, 1756.
- 195—II. DAVID⁶, b. Aug. 14, 1758; probably d. in Revolution Jan. 4, 1776.
- 196—III. BETSEY⁶, b. Dec. 26, 1760; m. Joseph Jones, jr., of South Hampton, N. H., March 27, 1780.
- 197—IV. ANNE⁶, b. Dec. 10, 1762; m. John March of Salisbury May 25, 1783.
- 198—V. RICHARD⁶, b. about 1763; m. Nabby Cram of Salisbury March 27, 1790; and d. in 1838.
- 199—VI. LEWIS⁶, b. March 15, 1765. *See below* (199).
- 200—VII. EZEKIEL⁶, b. Aug. 13, 1767.
- 201—VIII. JOSEPH⁶, b. Feb. 22, 1770. *See below* (201).
- 202—IX. JUDITH⁶, b. March 6, 1773; probably pub. to Moses Webster of Salisbury March 7, 1792.
- 203—X. SPENCER⁶, b. March 21, 1776; living in 1794; d. young.
- 204—XI. DANIEL⁶, b. April 9, 1778; d. April 10, 1778.

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ISAAC BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury March 27, 1738. He lived in Amesbury until about 1762, when he removed to Chester, N. H., and subsequently served in the Revolutionary war. He married Mary Currier March 16, 1758; and died Oct. 9, 1791. She survived him, and married, secondly, Jonathan Swain of Raymond about 1795. She died Dec. 6, 1795.

Children:—

- 205—I. HANNAH⁶, b. Aug. 6, 1758, in Amesbury, m. Dea. Amos Morse in 1780; and d. Feb. 6, 1795.
- 206—II. ISAAC⁶, b. June 2, 1760, in Amesbury; lived in Salisbury, N. H.
- 207—III. RICHARD⁶, b. Nov. —, 1762; d., unmarried, July 26, 1790, having lived at home.

- 208—IV. MOLLY⁶, b. in 1765; m. William Wadleigh of Amesbury (pub. March 10, 1786); and lived in Canada.
- 209—V. DAVID⁶, b. May 19, 1767; lived in Peacham, Vt.; m. Hannah Frye.
- 210—VI. ANNA⁶, b. July 13, 1769; m. B. P. Chase Oct. 7, 1792; and d. Feb. 22, 1808.
- 211—VII. ABNER⁶, b. April 18, 1771; m. Jemima Melcher; cabinet maker; lived in Chester, N. H.; enlisted in 1813, went to Canada frontier, and never returned.
- 212—VIII. LYDIA⁶, b. July 5, 1773; m. Josiah Chase; and d. April 1, 1857.
- 213—IX. ABIGAIL⁶, b. in 1775; d., unmarried, in Chester May 19, 1803.
- 214—X. EBENEZER⁶, b. in 1778; clockmaker; lived in Chester; m. Nancy Noyes; d. on his way to the army at the frontier in Acworth, N. H., April 12, 1813.

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NICHOLAS BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury Aug. 27, 1743. He was a blacksmith, and lived in Amesbury until about 1766, when he removed to Newmarket, N. H., and subsequently to Portland, Me. He served in the Revolution. He married Susanna Marriner Jan. 22, 1761; and died about 1800.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

- 215—I. RHODA⁶, b. Aug. 3, 1761.
- 216—II. DOLLY⁶, b. June 8, 1764.

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JONATHAN BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury Oct. 17, 1748. He was a blacksmith, and lived in Amesbury at the Ferry. He married Hannah —; and served as armorer in the Revolution at Cambridge in 1775. Administration upon his estate, which was insolvent, was granted Nov. 20, 1781.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

- 217—I. DOLLY⁶, b. June 23, 1769.
- 218—II. DAVID⁶, b. Oct. 9, 1771.

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SPENCER BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury May 12, 1751. He was a blacksmith, and lived in Amesbury. He married Hannah Bartlett. He died after 1775; and she married, secondly, Nathan Bartlett, and removed to Deerfield.

Child, born in Amesbury :—

- 219—I. SARAH⁶, b. April 6, 1773.

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ELIJAH BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury Dec. 31, 1740. He was a soldier of the Revolution, and lived in the West parish of Amesbury, now Merrimac, and Warner, N. H. He married Mary Sargent March 14, 1759; and died in the war.

Children :—

- 220—I. PARROT⁶, bapt. March 30, 1760, in Amesbury; m. Ruth Ball; soldier of the Revolution; and lived in Vermont.
221—II. DANIEL⁶, b. Jan. 29, 1762; served in the Revolution; lived in Canaan, N. H.; lawyer; member of congress; secretary of state; m. Sarah Springer of Haverhill Jan. 29, 1782; he d. in 1833; and she d., his widow, June 10, 1839, aged seventy-seven. They had twelve children.

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OLIVER BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury April 15, 1736. He was a shipwright, and lived in Amesbury. He married, first, Miriam Bagley April 20, 1757; and, second, widow Judith Elliot of Newton (published Oct. 4, 1776). Administration was granted on his estate March 9, 1803. His wife Judith survived him, and died, his widow, Dec. 17, 1805, in Amesbury.

Children, born in Amesbury :—

- 222—I. LEVI⁶, b. Sept. 20, 1757; a soldier of the Revolution; and was living in 1806.
223—II. MIRIAM⁶, b. Sept. 10, 1759; m. Joseph Waldron; and lived in Greenfield, N. Y.
224—III. JOSEPH⁶, b. June 15, 1761; d. Aug. 20, 1762.
225—IV. JOSEPH⁶, b. June 19, 1766; living in 1806.
226—V. DOLLY (or DOROTHY)⁶, b. Feb. 17, 1768; m. David Bagley Feb. 21, 1790.
227—VI. JUDITH⁶, b. Nov. 11, 1769; m. Sylvanus Wait of Amesbury Sept. 4, 1799.
228—VII. RUTH⁶, b. Jan. 12, 1772; probably d. before 1804.
229—VIII. SAMUEL⁶, b. Feb. 25, 1777. *See below (229).*
230—IX. HANNAH⁶, b. Oct. 9, 1780; m. Richard Thomas.

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SAMUEL BLASDELL⁵, born in Amesbury May 14, 1743. He married Mary Thomson Feb. 17, 1762; and lived in Salisbury. He was probably drowned on Newbury bar in 1768 or 1769.

Children, born in Salisbury :—

- 231—I. SARAH⁶, b. Oct. 29, 1762.
232—II. SAMUEL⁶, b. Jan. 10, 1765.
233—III. WILLIAM⁶, b. Feb. 10, 1767.
234—IV. BENJAMIN⁶, b. March 27, 1768.

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STEPHEN BLASDELL⁶, born in Amesbury Jan. 13, 1730-1. He was a shipwright, and lived in Amesbury. He married, first, Sarah Lowell May 17, 1753; and she was his wife in 1770. He married, second, Hannah Currier Nov. 13, 1787; and died July 1, 1803. His widow Hannah survived him, and died, his widow, Feb. 7, 1806.

Children, born in Amesbury :—

- 235—I. SARAH⁷, b. Jan. 20, 1754; m. Theophilus Foot; and was living in 1806.
236—II. SAMUEL⁷, b. Jan. 11, 1756. *See below (236).*
237—III. JOHN⁷, b. Feb. 16, 1758; d. Jan. 3, 1784.
238—IV. MARY⁷, b. Aug. 17, 1760; m. Capt. Samuel Fowler Feb. 1, 1784; and was living in 1806.
239—V. STEPHEN⁷, b. Sept. 3, 1762; d. Sept. 20, 1780.
240—VI. LOWELL⁷, b. Aug. 17, 1764; d. before 1806.

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EPHRAIM BLASDELL⁶, born in Amesbury June 15, 1740. He was a yeoman, and lived at Amesbury Ferry. He married Susanna Barnard Dec. 14, 1762; and died March 9, 1814, in Amesbury.

Children, born in Amesbury :—

- 241—I. DANIEL⁷, b. Aug. 14, 1766.
242—II. HANNAH⁷, b. Oct. 4, 1769; d. young.
243—III. HANNAH⁷, b. Oct. 2, 1774.
244—IV. EPHRAIM⁷, b. Sept. 7, 1779; mason; lived in Amesbury and Newburyport; m., first, Dolly Edwards of Salisbury Aug. 14, 1801; second, widow — Morrill.

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ABNER BLASDELL⁶, born in Amesbury April 16, 1743. He was a bricklayer, and lived in Amesbury until 1771, when he

removed to Portsmouth, N. H. He married Mary —; and was a trader in Portsmouth in 1788.

Children born in Amesbury:—

- 245—I. WILLIAM⁷, b. June 12, 1766.
- 246—II. EPHRAIM⁷, b. Aug. 22, 1768.
- 247—III. ABNER⁷, b. Sept. 19, 1770.

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LT. JOHN BLASDELL⁶, born in Amesbury April 9, 1754. He was a bricklayer, and lived at Amesbury Ferry. He was a soldier of the Revolution; and married Molly Bailey Feb. 4, 1786. She died in Amesbury Jan. 20, 1826, at the age of sixty-seven; and he died there Aug. 21, 1839.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

- 248—I. JOHN⁷, b. March 11, 1789; m. Dorothy Bagley March 12, 1812; mason; lived in Amesbury; she d. Jan. 17, 1824; he d. April 16, 1831; and they had several children.
- 249—II. DANIEL⁷, b. Oct. 10, 1793; lived in Amesbury, merchant, in 1839; m. S. L. Lurvey.
- 250—III. JAMES⁷, b. May 24, 1796; mason; lived at Amesbury Ferry; m. Anna Patten in 1818.

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JOHN SAWYER BLASDELL⁶, born in Chelmsford Nov. 3, 1757. He lived in Newbury, Rowley and Boxford; and was affected with a mental disturbance during the latter part of his life. He married Jane Adams of Rowley Dec. 13, 1781; and she died a few years later. He then lived with his mother; and finally died accidentally in Boxford Jan. 7, 1832.*

Children:—

- 251—I. —⁷ (dau.), b. in 1782; d. March —, 1782, "lived but a little while."
- 252—II. —⁷ (dau.), b. in 1783; d. April —, 1783, about a fortnight old.

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HARVEY BLASDELL⁶, baptized in Amesbury Jan. 4, 1740-1. He lived in the West parish of Amesbury, now Merrimac. He married Elizabeth Sargent Jan. 22, 1767; and probably removed from Amesbury after 1772.

*See *The Essex Antiquarian*, volume VIII, page 150.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

- 253—I. EUNICE⁷, b. March 6, 1768.
- 254—II. JOHN⁷, b. Nov. 20, 1769.
- 255—III. ANNE⁷, b. Jan. 5, 1772.

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OLIVER BLASDELL⁶, born in Amesbury June 16, 1744. He lived in Amesbury until about 1774, when he removed to Loudon, N. H. He married Catharine Sargent Dec. 26, 1770; and died in 1796.

Children:—

- 256—I. LEVI⁷, b. June 3, 1772, in Amesbury; probably d. young.
- 257—II. JOSEPH⁷.
- 258—III. OLIVER⁷.
- 259—IV. MIRIAM⁷.
- 260—V. SALLY⁷.
- 261—VI. NANCY⁷.

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HENRY BLASDELL⁶, born in Amesbury Dec. 30, 1740. He was a yeoman and lived in Amesbury until after 1788, subsequently living in East Kingston and Goffstown, N. H. He was a Revolutionary soldier with General Stark, and had one of his ears shot off in the battle of Bennington. He married, first, Elizabeth Sargent April 21, 1762; and, second, Sally Foster Sept. 15, 1803. He died Oct. 11, 1831; and his wife Sally died, his widow, Jan. 15, 1849, aged eighty years.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

- 262—I. MERRIAM⁷, b. Jan. 28, 1765.
- 263—II. STEPHEN⁷, b. May 10, 1766.
- 264—III. SARAH⁷, bapt. Oct. 18, 1767.

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LEWIS BLASDELL⁶, born in Amesbury March 15, 1765. He was a blacksmith, and lived in Amesbury. He married Sally Flanders Feb. 16, 1792; and died Jan. 14, 1815. She survived him, and died Dec. 29, 1838, his widow.

Children:—

- 265—I. JOHN⁷, b. Aug. 27, 1792, in Amesbury; d. April 7, 1823.
- 266—II. SALLY⁷, b. July 16, 1795, in Amesbury; m. Tappan Emery; lived in Amesbury; and d. Sept. 20, 1872.
- 267—III. LEWIS⁷, b. May 21, 1797; m. Sally Pressy.
- 268—IV. DAVID⁷, b. Dec. 31, 1800; d. in 1875 or 1876.

269—V. LYDIA⁷, b. May 21, 1806; d. April 9, 1810.

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JOSEPH BLASDELL⁶, born in Amesbury Feb. 22, 1770. He was a blacksmith, and lived at Amesbury Ferry. He married Anna Stevens of Salisbury June 6, 1791; and she died Oct. 2, 1846, at the age of seventy-three. He died Feb. 28, 1848.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

270—I. DAVID⁷, b. Sept. 17, 1791; m. Nancy Hackett of Salisbury Jan. 11, 1816.

271—II. NICHOLAS⁷, b. July 11, 1793; m. Ruth Choate of Newburyport Aug. 16, 1815.

272—III. ELIZABETH⁷, b. July 4, 1800; d. June —, 1802.

273—IV. ELIZABETH⁷, b. June 29, 1803; m. Jeremiah Flanders of South Hampton Dec. 4, 1820.

274—V. CHARLES⁷ (twin), b. Nov. 5, 1808; m. — Batchelder.

275—VI. ANNA⁷ (twin), b. Nov. 5, 1808; m. Parker Flanders of South Hampton.

229

SAMUEL BLASDELL⁶, born in Amesbury Feb. 25, 1777. He was a mariner, and lived in Amesbury. He married Abigail Downs June 27, 1796; and died in or before 1803.

Children:—

276—I. RUTH⁷, b. about 1797; living in 1803.

277—II. CHARLOTTE⁷, b. about 1799; living in 1803.

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SERG. SAMUEL BLASDELL⁷, born in Amesbury Jan. 11, 1756. He was a ship-carpenter, and lived in Amesbury until about 1798, when he removed to Newburyport. He was a soldier of the Revolution. He married Ruth, widow of Enoch Page, Oct. 19, 1780; and was deceased in 1804.

Children, born in Amesbury:—

278—I. STEPHEN⁸, b. in 1781; lived in Amesbury; and d. Sept. 1, 1810.

279—II. SAMUEL⁸, b. June 10, 1784; lived in Bristol, Me., in 1809.

280—III. WILLIAM⁸, b. Feb. 5, 1786; lived in Boscawen, N. H., in 1809; and went west.

281—IV. HENRY⁸, b. May 7, 1788; probably d. young.

282—V. RUTH⁸, b. Nov. 25, 1790; m. Matthias Merrill.

283—VI. DOROTHY⁸, b. Feb. 18, 1793; m. Samuel Stevens Jan. 11, 1815.

284—VII. HANNAH⁸, b. Feb. 14, 1795; living in 1804.

285—VIII. ELIZABETH⁸, b. June 21, 1797; m. — Wadleigh.

NOTES.

Boston, Monday, May 22.

"Friday last failed for London, the Brig Last Attempt, Capt. Lyde, in whom went Passengers" Mr. John Gooll, merchant, of Salem, and others.

S A L E M, May 23.

"At a Town-Meeting, Last Wednesday, Capt. Richard Derby, jun. and Mr. John Pickering, jun. were chosen, by a great Majority, to represent this Town in the ensuing General Assembly.

"The Meeting was adjourned to the 27th Inst. in order to agree upon Instructions to be presented to the above two Gentlemen that they may be fully acquainted with the Sense of the Town at this critical Period."

"The following is the Substance of a Memorial of Mr. Jacob Parsons, a Deputy Sheriff for the County of Essex, presented to the Governor and Council last Week.

TH A T on the 15th day of May current at Gloucester, your memorialist, as one of the deputy-sheriffs of the county aforesaid, by virtue of a due process of law, had duly taken and legally held in custody, the body of one Josiah Merrill, as a prisoner. That, while your memorialist, was then and there, in the due execution of his office aforesaid, one Samuel Fellows, a commander of one of his Majesty's armed cutters, then riding in the harbour of Cape-Anne, with four of his men, with firearms, cutlasses and other weapons of death, came, from on board said cutter, with a boat on shore, and the said Fellows immediately accosted the said Merrill, by asking him --- "What he did there?" Upon which said Merrill replied, that --- "an officer had taken him and had him in custody for debt;" ---, "that in consequence of this reply, said Fellows, in an authoritative voice, com-

manded said Merrill to come away to him, and that he would protect said Merrill; - - - - - That, on this encouragement, said Merrill broke away from your memorialist, and run towards said Fellows; - - - That your memorialist instantly commanded, in his Majesty's name, several persons, who stood near, to assist in seizing and stopping his said prisoner; - - - That in obedience to this command from your memorialist, in his capacity aforesaid, several of his Majesty's liege subjects, with your memorialist, seized and held said prisoner; - - - - - That said Fellows, who while this passed, was within four rods from your memorialist and his prisoner, instantly on said Merrill's being seized and held, as last-mentioned, ordered his said four men to fire; - - - That on this order two of said Fellow's men leaped upon the beach, and run towards your memorialist and his said assistants, till they got within *two* rods, when they presented their arms directly at your memorialist and his assistants, and fired; the shot and ball scarcely missed us, and entered a store within a very few inches of where we stood; - - - That the said prisoner taking advantage of the surprise and consternation your memorialist and his said assistants were then in, and of the protection offered by one of his Majesty's officers, immediately broke away and run towards the said Fellows's boat; - - - That, during the whole of this time, said Fellows and his men, altho' they were repeatedly told, that your memorialist was the King's officer, kept a constant round of oaths and imprecations upon your memorialist, and his assistants; damning the King's officer and all who belonged to him; swearing that they would blow the brains out, of the first man, who offered to touch said Merrill, or come towards the boat. - - - - - That they would take better fight next time, and the like; - - - That as said Merrill came nearer to the boat, said Fellows and his men kept firing at your memorialist and his assistants, till said Fellows commanded his men not to fire any more *yet*; but to keep a reserve, for any who should attempt a retaking of said

Merrill; - - - And that after said Fellows and his men had 6 or 7 times, by which your memorialist and his assistants were in the most imminent hazard of their lives, the said Fellows and his men still defending said Merrill, retired on board the boat, and still kept firing, as they left the shore; and your memorialist has never since been able to retake his said prisoner, or bring said Fellows to justice."

To be sold at the store lately improved by Samuel Gardner, esq., deceased, English goods, 200 hogsheads of Lisbon and Cadiz salt, lignumvitae and Brazeletto; also a well-built schooner, burthen about sixty tons, with a half-deck, which takes in the main-mast and pumps.

Samuel Cottnam, in Salem, advertised for sale Indian corn, pitch, tar, turpentine, hog's fat, English goods, Bengalls, chints, striped gingham, red and white striped Holland for men's waistcoats, flowered and striped gauze for aprons, black and other colored Persians, wide and narrow, etc.

John Andrew, goldsmith and jeweller, at the Sign of the Gold Cup, in Salem, near the Long-Wharf-Lane (so called), advertised.

—*Essex Gazette*, May 16-23, 1769.

Thomas Berry of Rumney Marsh in Boston, yeoman, 1730; had "father Divan;" wife Elizabeth, 1731-2; and son Divan Berry, husbandman, who lived in Lynn, 1725-1730; married Bethiah Burriage Nov. 18, 1725; children, born in Lynn: Daniel, born Oct. 3, 1726; Thomas, born July 7, 1728; Elizabeth, born May 5, 1730.

Thomas Berry (probably son of above-named Thomas Berry); husbandman; lived in Boston in 1729, and removed to Lynn in 1731; was called "junior" in 1734 and 1739; his father was deceased, testate, in 1739; married Rebecca Ballard of Lynn Jan. 27, 1729-30; they were living in Lynn in 1739, and probably removed to Wallingford, Conn.; children, born in Lynn: Thomas, born May 30, 1734; Martha, born Dec. 9, 1736; Elizabeth, born March 30, 1738-9.

Ephraim Berry married Mary (Sarah—*publishment*) Johnson, both of Lynn, Dec. 17, 1729; and they probably lived in Chelsea in 1742.

—*Records.*

SALEM COURT RECORDS AND FILES.

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Court, 24: 4: 1656.

John Gatchell sworn constable of Marblehead.

Phineas Rider sworn constable of Gloucester.

Bray Wilkins and Thomas Chadwell sworn constables of Lynn.

Francis Burrill sworn clerk of the market at Lynn.

John Pickworth sworn constable of Manchester.

Present: Mr. Simon Brodstreete, Dan: Denison, maj.-gen., Capt. Rob^t Bridges and Mr. Rich: Dummer.

Jury of trials: Mr. Henry Bartholmew, Lt. Tho: Lothrop, Nicholas Potter, John Neale, Rich: Leech and Samuel Corning of Salem; Sam^l Kent of Gloster; John ffisk of Wenham; Hen: Collins, Allen Breade, Rich: Johnson and Jonathan Hutson of Lynn; and Jo: Sibley and Ben: ffelton in room of Nicho: Potter and Mr. Bartholmew in Grayes case.

William Blanton v. Richard Hutcheson.

Joseph Bond v. John Hathorne.

Mr. William Browne v. Marke Pitman alias Hicks.

Abraham Whithare v. Joⁿ Norman.

Philip Nelson v. Mr. Richard Dummer, executor of Tho: Nelson, father of plaintiff. For not giving full account of the estate which the defendant has enjoyed for seven years.

Abraham Whithare v. Robert Gray. For leaving the plaintiff's son John Whithare in Virginia. Verdict, that he be brought back to New England by the last of next April. John Whithare was a servant of the defendant.

Maj. William Hathorne and Mr. Amos Richardson, assignees to John Giffard v. John Dimon.

Same v. Nicholas Pynion. [Writ: Same v. Nicholas Pinion; dated 3 (4) 1656; by the court, Jonath: Negus. The defendant, Nicholas Pinyon, gave bond (his R mark); surety: Edward Hutchinson. Writ served by Mathew Farington, constable of Lynn.—*Files.*]

Same v. Richard Smith. [Writ: dated 3 (4) 1656; by the court, Jonath: Negus. Served by Mathew Farington, constable of Lynn. Bond: sureties: William Curtis and mark L. H. of Henry Lenerd.—*Files.*]

Same v. Joseph Jenckes, sr.

Same v. Joseph James. [Writ: dated 3 (4) 1656; by the court, Jonath Negus. Bond (signed by I mark); surety: Roger Tyler. Served by Mathew Farington, constable of Lynn.—*Files.*] The defendant confessed judgment.

Same v. Mr. Henry Webb.

Same v. John Vinton.

Same v. Richard Hood. [Writ: dated 3 (4) 1656; by the court, Jonath Negus. Bond of defendant. Served by Mathew Farington, constable of Lynn.—*Files.*]

Josuah Turland confessed judgment to Mr. Edmond Batter.

Will. Curtis v. John Shaw. For striking plaintiff in the street.

Lt. Thomas Marshall confirmed lieutenant and Garrard Spencer ensign of ye military company at Lynn. [Andrew Mansfeild certified to the court that Thomas Marshall was formerly lieutenant of the train band of Reddin and has been chosen lieutenant of the train band of Lynn, and that Jarrerd Spenser of Lynn has been chosen an ensign of said company.—*Files.*]

Joseph Armytage, assignee of Henry Tucker v. Mr. John Beckes & company and their agent, Mr. John Giffard. Also another case for labor at the Iron works.

Joseph Armytage, attorney to ffrancis Perry v. Mr. John Beckes & company and their agent, Mr. John Giffard. For work done at the Iron wrks.

Dan^l Salmon, administrator of Joseph Boony v. Mr. John Beckes & company and their agent, Mr. John Giffard.

William Elliott confessed judgment in favor of Mr. Henry Barthollmew.

Joseph Armytage, assignee of Mr. Sam^l Bennett v. Mr. John Beckes & company and their agent, Mr. John Giffard.

Joseph Jenckes, sr. v. George Halsie.

William Canterbury v. John Rouden and wife Mary. For great abuse of Canterbury's wife. Rouden's wife having given her several blows.

Richard Hood v. Mr. John Beckes & company and their agent, Mr. John Gifford. For work done at the Iron works. [Georg *Keser* deposed that before Mr. Jefford went away from the Iron works the deponent went to Richard Hode several times to get him to do some sawing work, etc. Sworn in court 27 : 4 : 1656. Joseph James deposed that Richard Hood sawed the timber for the furnace in 1653, viz : ye arms, wheel, etc., half-inch boards for coal waynes, etc. Sworn in court 26 : 4 : 1656.—*Files*.]

Mr. Holliock to be paid for funeral charges of Joseph Booney by Dan^l Salmon, administrator of J. B.'s estate, in merchantable wheat.

Mr. Robert Payne is chosen treasurer for the county of Essex.

Mr. Will. Browne and Mr. Batter brought in will of John Jackson, sr. The executor refused to serve, and administration was granted to said Browne and Batter. [The original will is on file, being duly proved. It is printed in full in *The Antiquarian*, volume VI, page 165. The inventory of the goods belonging to the deceased was taken 10 : 1 mo : 1655-6, by James Inderwood (his I N mark) and Thomas Smith. Amount, £20, 6s.—*Files*.]

Mr. George Corwine to bring in inventory of estate of John Bridgman. Amount, £44, 14s., 9¾d. "The child" is mentioned.

Will of Thomas Wickes of Salem proved by Tho : Cromwell and Anna Cromwell. [The original will is on file. It is printed in full in *The Antiquarian*, volume VI, page 165. Inventory of the estate of

Thomas Weeke, lately deceased, taken by Hilliard Veren and Thomas Cromwell. Amount, £192, 10s.; real, £57, house, shop, barn and land; personal, £135, 10s. Due from the estate, £42, 10s.—*Files*.]

Ezekiell Wathen, apprentice to Thomas Avery, discharged, being twenty years old.

Thomas Watson of Salem had his fine for not training partly remitted.

Francis Nurse of Salem discharged from training.

Tho : Dorman of Topsfield discharged from training.

John Row of Gloster fined and to confess for saying that if his wife was of his mind he would set his house on fire and run away by ye light and ye Devil should take ye farm; and that he would live no longer among such a company of hell hounds.

Edmond Nicholson and Francis Simson of Marblehead fined for bloodshed.

Widow Florence Hart of Marblehead appointed administratrix of the estate of her deceased husband. Elias Stileman is to allow claims against the estate, etc. [Inventory of the estate of John Hart of Marblehead taken 14 : 1 : 1655-6, by Moses Mavericke and Johanne Bartoll. Amount, £74, 10s., 6d.; real, £46, 10s.; personal, £28, 0s., 6d. Due to Mr. Corwin, Mr. Browne, Sam Archard and Mr. Elzey, £63, 6s., in all.—*Files*.]

The general court referred to this court the ordering of the house of correction. Referred to ye worshipful Mr. Simons and Maj. Dennison to agree with Mr. Wilson or Mr. Browne to be master of said house.

Servants of ye house to have five shillings.

Lt. Thomas Marshall, Mr. Thomas Layton and James Axie of Lynn sworn commissioners for Lynn to end small causes.

Court, 25 : 9 : 1656.

Thomas White of Wenham confessed judgment in favor of Tho : Robbins, assignee of Willm Walbridg.

Richard Kemball of Wenham sworn constable of that town.

Isaac Comings of Ipswich prosecuted Zerubable Phillips for breaking his house. Phillips did not appear.

Mr. Nathaniell Rogers, Humphrey Griffin, Joⁿ ffuller, John Caldwell, John Comings and Wm Smith bound for his appearance to the treasurer of the county. Bond forfeited.

Maj. Willm Hathorne, Mr. William Browne and Mr. Edmond Batter sworn commissioners to end small causes in Salem.

Present: Mr. Simon Brodstreet, Daniell Denison, maj.-gen., Mr. Rich Dumer, assist^t and Mr. Hubbert, assist^t.

Grand jury: Jeffrey Massy, Joⁿ Porter, sr., Rich: Brockenbery, Samuel Aborne and Thomas Watson of Salem; Lt. Thomas Marshall, James Axie, ffrancis Ingalls and Nathaniell Hanford of Lynn; James Moulton of Wenham; John Sibly of Manchester; John Bartoll of Marblehead; and George Blake of Gloster.

Trial jury: Mr. Walter Price, Ens. Willm Dixie, Willm fflynt, Rich: Bishop, ffran: Skerry, [and] Michaell Shafin [of Salem?], Willm Dodge, Andrew Mansfield, John Mansfield, [and] Mathew ffarrington [of Lynn?], Thomas ffiske and Thomas Prince.

John Rodes v. Allexsander Gold. For shooting and killing his dog.

Same v. Same. Slander, for saying that plaintiff was a cheating rogue and knave.

Edward Woolland v. William Pitt. For not delivering goods in Newfoundland.

Thomas Robbins, assignee of William Walbridge v. Tho: White.

Richard Kemball v. Richard Shatchwell and his wife Rebecca. Slander, spoken by said Rebecca.

Zacheus Gould v. Thomas Cutler. For not paying to Mr. Henry Barthollmew for said Gole.

Mr. Richard Dumer, executor of Mr. Thom Nelson v. Phillip Nelson. Review.

Elias Stileman, attorney of Mr. John Holgrave v. Thomas Davis and Robert Swan.

Edward Pitford v. William Beale. For work done at ye mill.

Mr. Nicholas Davison v. Robert Gutch. Plaintiff has possession of the house given him by Mr. Willm Norton, to whom it was mortgaged.

John Putnam v. Joseph Gardner. Mr. Tho: Gardner appeared for the defendant.

Roger Haskell v. Giles Corey. Debt. Mr. ffran Johnson, Mr. Moses Maverack and Mr. John Bartholl sworn commissioners to end small causes at Marblehead.

George ffrail of Lynn freed from training.

Macklin Huckstable of Marblehead, dying interstate about five months since, administration is granted to Mr. Edm: Batter and Mr. ffran Johnson. Inventory, £29, 9s., 6d. Insolvent.

26: 9: 1656.

Capt. Wm Gerrish sworn commissioner, etc., in Newbury.

Will of Mr. James Noies of Newbury proved by Capt. Wm Gerrish and Nicholas Noeis. Also, inventory. [The will of James Noyes was sworn to by Robert Long Nov. 21, 1656, before Edward Woodman and Nicholas Noyes, commissioners for Newbury. The will was proved in this court by Capt. Will Geerish and Nicholas Noice. The original will is on file, and was printed in *The Antiquarian*, volume VII, page 17. Inventory of the estate of Mr. James Noyes, teacher of Newbury, "who deceased the 21th of october," 1656, taken by Richard Knight and Anthony Somerby. Amount, £657, 11s., 4d.; real, £310; personal, £347, 11s., 4d. Due from the estate in England and Boston, £56, 10s. Sworn to by Sarah Noyes, widow of the deceased, Nov. 21, 1656.—*Files*.]

Isaac Cozens sued Thomas Treadwell. Defendant has fees.

John Williams arrested Job Hilliard. Defendant has fees.

Matter about son of Abraham Whithare and Robert Gray. To pay 13s. instead of 20s.

James Paw, presented for absence from his wife. He had gone out of the country a good space.

Contract of marriage between Thomas Nelson of Rowley and Joane Dumer, dated 15: 12: 1641. This is printed in full in *The Antiquarian*, volume I, page 67.

Henry Muddle presented for absence from his wife divers years. Gone out of the country.

28: 9: 1656.

Anis Chubb and Elizabeth Vinsent of Manchester presented for railing speeches, foul language and fighting. Witnesses: Alice Leech and Peter Whithare. Continued.

Anis Chubb with her daughter Deliverance Chubb and Elizabeth, daughter of Abraham Whithare, presented for abusing and beating the daughter of John Norman, said Chubb calling for an ax, saying she would kill her. Both fined.

John Pollen of Wenham and wife Bethiah fined for fornication before marriage.

Elizabeth, wife of John Legg of Marblehead, presented for perniciously belying the wife of Joⁿ Cleements in the matter of the birth and death of a child of hers, because she called none to its birth or death. Stocks. Witnesses: Mary Cauly, Mary Trevis and Goody Clemonts.

Edward Pitford of Marblehead fined for being disguised by strong liquors or wine. Witnesses: Henry Stacie and Tho: Bowen.

Henry Cooke of Salem and his son Isaac presented for beating and kicking Sam Abourn and Moses Aborne, sons of Sam Abourn, on ye Lord's day. Discharged.

William Lord, jr., of Salem fined for cruel and much beating of James Abbott, servant to Mr. Edmond Batter, with a walnut cudgell, saying he would kill the rogue, when help came to the rescue.

William Everton presented for drinking tobacco near a barn without door. He is at sea.

Bettres, wife of Willm Canterbury fined for provoking speeches to the wife of John Rouden, calling her lousie slut and saying she had but one shift, and giving strong suspicion of assaulting her person. Witness: John Leech. Paid fine.

John Cantlebery fined for lying in wait and beating the wife of John Rouden, coming from behind a bush when his mother and Rouden's wife were in combustion. His mother went away, and Benjamin Woodrow, being near, heard Mrs. Rouden cry out, on Lord's day. His father engaged to pay the fine.

Benjamin Woodrow to sit in the stocks for perjury in the above complaint.

John Rouden's wife, of Salem, fined for fighting with and beating the wife of W^m Canterbury on ye Lord's day. Phill: Cromwell promised to pay the fine.

John Long, clerk of Gloster, presented for long absence from his wife. Out of the country.

Five shillings to the servants of the house.

To be continued.

WILL OF JOHN PIKE, SR.

The will of John Pike, sr., of Salisbury was proved in the Hampton court 3: 8 mo: 1654. In volume V of *The Antiquarian*, page 156, this will was printed as it was recorded in the old Norfolk Deeds. Since it was printed the original will has been found in the probate office at Salem, and a copy of the original is given below, though it varies but slightly from the record copy.

In the name of god Amen

The last will & testament of John Pike fenior being fick and Weake in body but of pfect memory. maye 24. 1654.

frist. I will & bequeath my soule vnto god In the lord Jesus Chrift & my body to be buried in Convenient burieinge place & a my worldly goods to bee bestowed as followeth.

frist I giue my howse & lande at the old towne at Newbery boath vplande &

meddow with my privellidge of Comon
 ||at Newbery|| vnto my gran Child John
 Pike the son of my eldest son John Pike
 wth that parcell of my lande at the little
 River. & In Case the saide John Pike doe
 die without Issue & before he is twenty
 one yeare old then the saide lande shall
 pass to his Brother & sisters by equall
 portions & If they faile then it shall pass
 to the next of kinn.

Allsoe I giue that portion of my lande
 at the new towne Caled by the name of
 the pitt boath vplande & meddow vnto
 my grand Child John Pike the son of my
 son Robert Pike & In case the saide John
 Pike die without Issue ||or before the age
 of twenty one|| the said land shall pass to
 his sisters & if they faile then it shall
 pass to the next of kinn

Allsoe I giue vnto my Daughter Doro-
 thy twenty pounce to be equally devided
 betwixt her & her Children by equall
 portions

Allsoe I giue to my daughter ann twen-
 ty pounce to be devided betwixt her &
 her Children by equall portions.

Allsoe I giue to my daughter Israell
 twenty pounce to be devided betwixt
 her & her Children by equall portions

Allsoe I give to my daughter in law
 mary the wife of my son John fowrty
 shillings & I giue to her Children Joseph
 hanna mary & ruth each of ||them||
 fowrty shillings

Allsoe I give vnto my daughter in law
 fara the wife of my son Robert fowrty
 shillings & I giue to her Children fara
 Dorathye mary & Elizabeth ||each of
 them|| fowrty shillings. allsoe I giue
 vnto my tenant samuell more the bed-
 steed that he hath of mine.

Allsoe I doe. appoynte my two sons
 John & Robert to bee my executors to see
 my will pformed & my debts & all
 Charges paide ||soe farr as my estate will
 reach|| & the remainder of my estate
 within doare & without doare shall be
 devided betwixt my two said executors
 my sons John Pike & Robert Pike by
 equall portions all debts & Charges being
 first discharged & paide

furthermore my will is that in Case my
 sons John Pike & Robert Pike should re-
 moue out of the Cuntry with their fami-
 leyes after my decease before my saide
 grande Children are of the age of twenty
 one yeare that then it shall be in the
 power of my said sons John & Robert
 to dispose in the waye of sale or other-
 wise of the saide lande for the benefitt of
 my saide grand Children respectiuey that
 is to saye my son w^{ch} is, the father shall
 dispose of that lande w^{ch} is by me given
 to his owne Childe & soe boath respect-
 iuely

Henry Mondey John Pike
 the mark of R John Raffe

WILL OF REV. NATHANIEL ROGERS.

The nuncupative will of Rev. Nathan-
 iel Rogers of Ipswich was proved in the
 court at Ipswich 25 : 7 : 1655. The fol-
 lowing is a copy of the original paper on
 file in the probate office in Salem.

The last will and testament of M^r Na-
 thaniel Rogers Pastour of the Church of
 Christ at Ipswich, as was taken from his
 owne mouth July 3. Anno Dom : 1655.

Concerning my outward estate. To
 one of the brethren I have left a peculiar
 charge, which he shall have power in him-
 selfe to doe, and not to suspend.

The summe of my estate both in Old
 England, and New, seemes to amount to
 about y^e value of twelve hundred pound ;
 of which sume, foure hundred pound is
 expected from my father M^r Robert Crane
 in England.

To my sonne John, to prevent expecta-
 tion of a double portion, I have not so
 bequeathed ; he hath never beene by any
 labour serviceable to *to* his brethren, but
 hath beene upheld by their labour, &
 paine, while he hath beene determining
 his way. Therefore I give and bequeath
 to him an equall portion with his other
 brethren, viz, y^e sume of one hundred
 pound of my estate in New England.

To my sonne Nathaniel I give and be-
 queath y^e sume of one hundred pound
 out of my estate in Old England ; & one

hundred pound out of my estate in New England.

To my sonne Samuel I give & bequeath y^e summe of one hundred pound out of my estate in Old England; & one hundred pound out of my estate in New England.

To my sonne Timothy I give & bequeath y^e summe of one hundred pound out of my estate in Old England; & one hundred pound out of my estate in New England.

To my sonne Ezekiel I give & bequeath the summe of twenty pound, which he shall have liberty to take in my bookes, if he please.

To my daughter I have already given her at least two hundred pound.

The time of y^e childrens receiving their portions either in part, or whole, shall be according to y^e mutuall advice of my Executours, with these godly friends named, viz, my Cousin M^r Ezekiel Rogers, Mathew Boyes, Ezekiel Cheever, who are entreated to advise & counsell in this, & any other case as need shall require.

To my three grandchildren, John, Nathaniel, Margaret Hubbard, I give & bequeath to each of them y^e summe of fourtie shillings.

To my Cousin John Rogers I give & bequeath the summe of five pound, which is in y^e hands of Ensigne Howlett.

To the children of my Cousin John Harris of Rowley, viz, Elizabeth, Nathaniel, John, Mary, I give & bequeath to each y^e summe of twenty shillings.

To Mary Quilter my maidservant I give y^e sum of three pound.

To Sarah ffilybrowne my other maidservant I give y^e summe of ten shillings.

To Harbert Colledge in Cambridge I give & bequeath y^e summe of five pounds.

To y^e poore I give the summe of three pound.

The remaining part of my estate not yet disposed of, I give & bequeath to my deare wife M^{rs} Margaret Rogers during her life, & after her decease to be equally distributed among my children, by y^e advice of the friends above named.

I do ordaine & constitute my deare & beloved wife M^{rs} Margaret Rogers, and my trusty & welbeloved friends M^r Robert Paine, and John Whipple to be Executours of this my last will, & testament.

proved in Court held at Ipswich the 25th of the 7th mo: 1655 to be the last will & Testament of m^r Nathaniell Rogers by the oaths of ||m^r|| Ezekell Cheuer & deacon John whipple taken from his mouth being in pfect memory

p me Robert Lord cleric

WILL OF FRANCIS PARROT.

The will of Francis Parrot of Rowley was proved in the Ipswich court Sept. 30, 1656. The following is a copy of the original instrument on file in the probate office at Salem.

I ffancis Parrat of Rowley intending to take a Journey to England desire as sensible of the frailty of this mortall life to set my house in order & doe therefore constitute and appoint this as my last will and testament in maner & forme as followeth. Impf I giue & bequeath my soule to God that gaue it & my body to be interred as the wise hand of God sees meete whether by sea or land in comfortable hopes of a happy resurrectio at that day. Ite my will is that my debts be first payd Ite I giue to my Loueing wife Elizabeth Parrat one hundred pounds to take it wher shee pleases in land goods & Cattle I also giue to her my house and house lott for her life and after her death my will is that it shall be equally diuided amonge my Children. Ite the rest of my lands goods & Chattles I giue to my Six daughters to be equally diuided amongst them and each of them to haue their equall share paid vnto them at the age of twenty one yeares or the day of their mariage w^{ch} shall first be And I constitute my wife as my sole executrix of this my last will and Testament And I appoint my Loueing brethren maxmilian Jewet & Ezekieell Northend as ouerseers of this my last will and testament in witnes hereof

I haue herevnto set my hand this 18th
day of Nouember 1655.

In the prefence

of vs

Ezekiel northend

ffrancis Parrot

john palmer

WILL OF JANE LAMBERT.

The will of Jane Lambert of Rowley was proved in the Ipswich court 27: 7: 1659. The following copy is taken from the original on file in the probate office at Salem.

The laft will and Testament of Jaine Lambert widow may the 24: 1559

I Jaine lambert beeing fick in body but of perfect Memory doe make this my laft will and Testament in form folowing

Imprimous I giue all my land madowes comans and whatfoeuer belongeth to my houf and lotz by any right with the faid houfe barnes and what pertaines therto I fay all my lands excepting the land in the vilege vnto my eldest fon John lambert

It I giue vnto him one fether bed with all that belongeth vnto it

It I giue vnto my fonn Jonathan Lambert forty pounds

It I giue vnto my fonn Gerfhom Lambert forty pounds

It I giue vnto him one fether bed with all that belongeth ther vnto

It I giue vnto my fonn Thomas Lambert one pewther plater and one linen fheet and one filuer fpoone

It I giue vnto my Daughter Anne Lambert one great Chift and all that is in it and one trunke and all that is in it one litl box and all that is in it the fether beding which I ly one with all ther belongs vnto it and all my pewther with all my brafs and potts and ketls and when thes things is prifed, I will that they fhall be made vp to the value of fixty pounds provided that if all this estat: the land giuen to John excepted Doe not Amoneitt to thef fumes thus giuen out as aboue-mentioned I will that they fhall all abatte proportionably

It I make ordaine and Conftitute my eldest Sonn John Lambert to be executor of This my will and testament and doe defier and intreat M^r Ezekill Rogers and M^r Joseph Jewit to be ouerfeers of this my will and Testament in wittnes that this is my owne free deliberat act and deed I haue fetto my hand the day and yere firft aboue written

read: figned in the prefents of vs

Joseph Jewett

hir mark

Thomas Leauer

Jaine IL Lambert

NOTES.

Christopher Berry of Salem, 1640.

John Berry of Ipswich married Mary Chapman Jan. 24, 1676-7.

—Savage.

Edward Bishop (No. 3, page 122, *The Antiquarian*, volume VIII) died in Rehoboth, an innholder, in May, 1711. In his will, he mentions wife Sarah; sons Ebenezer Bishop, Edward Bishop, Jonathan Bishop, Samuel Bishop and David Bishop; daughters Priscilla, wife of Samuel Day (his second wife, married Sept. 14, 1702), and Sarah, wife of ——— Jordan.—*Fred N. Day, Auburndale, Mass.*

“Connecticut river” should read “Con-toocook river,” in *The Antiquarian*, page 30.

Hannah, wife of Thomas Blanchard (No. 11, on page 27, in *The Antiquarian*), died in 1725, but the date of death and age given are the date of death and age of the widow of Samuel Blanchard (No. 4).

The inscription at the bottom of the first column of page 3 has been critically examined and compared with an older copy. It reads in full as follows:—

H e r e		L y e t h
Buried	the	Body
of	Rachel	Baker
Who	Deceased	the
5 th	of Iu ⁿ e	A—D 1731
In y ^e	48 th	y ^r of her Age.

GLOUCESTER INSCRIPTIONS.

BAY VIEW CEMETERY.

The burial-ground at Bay View was laid out quite early. The oldest gravestone now standing there and decipherable bears the date of 1730. The following are all of the inscriptions to be found there bearing dates prior to 1800.

Here lyes buried
the body of SARAH
Dau^r to the Rev^d M^r BENJ^a
BRADSTREET & SARAH
his wife, aged 17
Years & 1 Day
died *March* y^e 3^d
1 7 4 6 / 7

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF ELIZ^H BURNAM
DAU^r to M^r THOMAS &
M^{rs} MARGARET BURNAM
OF IPSWICH DEC^d FEB^{ry} Y^e
23^d 1730 in Y^e 16 YEAR
OF HER AGE

Here lies the Body of
M^{rs} ABIGAIL DAVIS
the wife of Cap^t JAMES
DAVIS y^e 3^d who died Dec^r
y^e 21st 1761.
in the 34th year
of her Age.

HERE LIES Y^e BODY OF
M^{rs} MARY DAVIS
WIFE OF CAP^t
JAMES DAVIS
AGED 53 YEARS
3 M^o DIED JUNE
29 1753.

By turns we catch the vital spark

Then die !
In memory of
MARK & BETSY DAVIS
And their Children
ELIZA MARY
and
JAMES

There is a brighter world on high

Man shall return unto dust.

MARK DAVIS, died May 25, 1802. Æt. 52.
Watch and pray for ye know not when the time is.
—Bible.*

BETSY DAVIS, died Sept. 10, 1792. Æt. 37.
God is righteous and holy, in all his ways and works

ELIZA DAVIS, died Sept. 27, 1795. Æt. 13.
The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom.

MARY DAVIS, died Augst 23, 1795. Æt. 5.
Of such is the kingdom of heaven.

JAMES DAVIS, died Oct. 4, 1808. Æt. 21.
If thou wilt enter into life keep the commandments.

Mortals, here see your fate,
Behold a God ! adore him and obey.

SALLY
Confort of
Cap^t William Davis Jun^r
departed this life
June 14th 1790,
in the 24th year of
his age.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF SARAH DAVIS
Y^e DAU^R of Cap^t
JAMES DAVIS
& MARY HIS WIFE
AGED 13 YEARS
& 6 M^o DIED NOV
Y^e 6 1745

*This word belongs at the end of the preceding line.

Here lies y^e Body of
M^{rs} ABIGAIL DENNISON
the wife of M^r GEORGE
DENNISON who died may
y^e 1st 1753,
Aged 47 Years.

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^r
GEORGE DENNISON
WHO DIED MARCH y^e 14th
1747/8 IN THE 49th
YEAR OF HIS AGE

SUSANNA DENNISON
DAU^{TR} OF M^r
GEORGE & M^{rs}
ABIGAIL DENNISON
AGED 8 YEARS
DIED DEC^r 2^D
1748.

Here lies Buried
The Body of Captⁿ
JONATHAN FELLOWS
who departed this
Life the 20th day of
* 1759
*

Here is Interr'd
The Body of
Cap^t RICHARD GOSS
Who Departed
This Life OCT^r
3rd 1764,
In y^e 53rd year
of his AGE

Here Lie y^e Remains
of cap^t Richard Goss
Who Departed
this Life June
y^e 15th 1769
In the 53rd year
of his AGE.

*Buried in the ground.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF JAMES GRIFFIN
SON OF M^r SAMUEL
& M^{rs} MARGARET
GRIFFIN WHO DIED
OCTOBER y^e 27th
1749 IN Y^e 20th
YEAR OF HIS AGE

Mifs JUDITH GRIFFIN
departed this life
February 20, 1772,
In the 15th year of
her age

JUDITH,
Consort of
Mr. Thomas Griffin
departed this life
April 8. 1793,
In the 55 year of her age
So Jesus slept, God's dying Son
Past through the grave, and blest the bed
Rest here, fair faint, till from his throne
The morning breaks and pierce the shade.

Mifs LYDIA GRIFFIN
departed this life
November 10, 1792,
In the 24th year of
her age.

Here Lies Interr'd
M^{rs} MARY GRIFFIN
the Wife of M^r
Sam^l Griffen Jun^r
Who DES^t Sept^r y^e 10
1767 In y^e 51 year
of her AGE

Come Mortal Man
And Cast An Eye
Come Read thy doom
Prepare to Die

THOMAS GRIFFIN Jun
departed this life
december 13th 1791.
In the 29th year of
his age.

Mr. THOMAS GRIFFIN
departed this life
Febr^y 13, 1796,
In the 62 year of
his age.

*Sleep lovely faint and take thy rest;
Thy work is done, thy bed is blest;
For Christ will change thy mortal clay,
And rais the Saint to endless day.*

*In memory of
Nathaniel Griffith
son to Capt. Nath^l Griffith
& mrs. Pricilla his wife
died Aug^t 1 1793
aged 1 year 6 mon^s
A pleasant flower cut down
And wither'd in an hour.*

JOHN SON TO
M^r JOHN & M^{rs}
MARTHA HARADON
AGED 5 YEARS & 8 M^o
DEC^d JAN^{ry} y^e 12th
1 7 3 5/6

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF DEACON
JOHN HARINDIN
DEC^d JUNE Y^e 15th
1 7 3 3 IN Y^e 38th YEAR
OF HIS AGE

In Memory of
MARY HARADEN
Dau^r to NATHANIEL
& MARY HARADEN
Aged 4 years &
21 D^s Died Oct^r
2 4th 1 7 6 7.

In Memory of
NATHANIEL HARADEN
Son to NATHANIEL
& MARY HARADEN
Aged 3 Years &
25 D^s Died Nov^r
7th 1 7 6 7.

THOMAS SON TO
M^r THOMAS *
M^{rs} ELIZTH HARAD
AGED 4 YE
DEC 1
1 7 3 *

GEORGE
Son of George and
Judith Knights
died April 19, 1796,
aged 1 year 9 mo.

*But Jefus said unto them suffer
Little children to come to me, and
Forbid them not: for of Such is the
Kingdom of God.*

In Memory of
Caleb Lane
who died Feb 10, 1783,
Aged 54 Years.

*Farewell my wife & Children dear
If ought on earth could keep me here
It would be my love for you
But Jefus calls my soul away
Jefus forbids a longer stay
My dearest friends, adieu.*

In memory of
M^{rs} Anna Norwood
Wife of Capt. Francis Norwood
who died April 10—1776;
Æt. 37

Here Lies the Body of
Mifs ELIZABETH NORWOOD,
Who departed this Life
the 3^d day of Octo^r 1769,
Aged 27 Years.

Also her dear brother
M^r ABRAHAM NORWOOD, died in
Virginia Decem 12th 1769, & was Interr'd
in a Church Yard in North-River

In memory of
M^{rs} Elizabeth Norwood
Wife of M^r Jonathan Norwood,
who died Oct^r 20—1775
Æt^s 60.

*Broken.

In memory of
 M^r Jonathan Norwood,
 who died Feb^y 21—1791;
 Æt^s 79.
 Also his Son Eben^r Norwood,
 who died in New-York of the
 Small-pox May 6—1783
 Æt^s 35.

HERE LIES Y^e BODY OF
 JUDITH NORWOOD
 DAU^r OF JONATH^N
 & ELIZTH NORWOOD
 AGED 12 DAY^s
 DIED NOV^R 28th
 1753.

Here lies y^e Body of
 ZACCHEUS NORWOOD
 son of JONATHAN &
 ELIZABETH NORWOOD
 Died JULY 10th 1758
 Aged 3 Months & 19 Days

Here lie y^e Body
 of ZACCHEUS son
 of M JONATHAN &
 M^{rs} ELIZTH NORWOOD
 Died October 4th
 1759,
 Aged 5 weeks.

Here lies Buried the
 Body of
 ESTHER PARSONS
 Dau^r of M^r NATHANIEL &
 M^{rs} ESTHER PARSONS
 who departed this Life
 March the 7th 1764,
 Aged 15 Days.

HERE LIES BURIED
 THE BODY OF M^{rs}
 HANNAH STANWOOD
 Wife of M^r
 JOB STANWOOD
 DIED MARCH Y^e 1st
 1753 IN Y^e 24 YEAR
 OF HER AGE

Here lies the Body of
 M^{rs} BETTY WOODBERY
 the wife of M^r PETER
 WOODBERY who died
 June 26th 1762,
 In the 27th Year
 of her Age.

THOMAS SON TO
 M^r JOSEPH & M^{rs}
 JOANNA *

BLANCHARD NOTES.

George Blanchard² (No. 2, on page 26, in *The Antiquarian*) is usually credited with having married a daughter of Joseph Hills, because Joseph Hills willed land to his granddaughters Hannah and Elizabeth Blanchard. Now this land was in Dunstable, and the Hannah and Elizabeth Blanchard, daughters of Dea. John Blanchard of Dunstable, were the ones who had the land; and in 1717 Tom Reed of Chelmsford, who married Hannah (of Deacon John) Blanchard, deeds rights in Hill's farm, said interest given his wife by grandfather Hills, etc. There remains not the faintest suggestion that George Blanchard² married — Hills.

Thomas Blanchard² (No. 3 on the same page) married Ann, daughter of Henry and Honour Rolfe of Newbury. See Old Families of Salisbury and Amesbury, page 301, and Honour Rolfe's will, in *The Antiquarian*, volume IV., page 137.

Samuel Blanchard² (No. 4, on page 26) was admitted to full communion in the

* Buried in the ground.

First church of Charlestown Sept. 11, 1680. On 25: 7: 1681, Thomas, John, Samuel and Hannah, children of "Goodman Samuel Blanchard," were baptized, and 29: 11: 1681, Joshua, Jonathan, Mary and Abigail, "ye children of or bro: Blanchard," were baptized. The children of the second wife were baptized first, and then all that were living of the first wife's children were gathered in. The references are New Eng. Hist. and Gen. Reg., vol. 23, p. 438, and vol. 25, pp. 252, 253; Bond's Watertown, p. 594. This provides an Abigail suitable for John Stratton of Watertown, whose wife Abigail died Oct. 25, 1732, aged sixty-six; so born about 1666. "Dau. Dorithy Storer which is my grandchild" is, I think, Dorothy Stover or Stowers, born March 23, 1699, to John Stowers³ and his wife Mary Blanchard, married Aug. 13, 1696. References: Old Families of Salisbury and Amesbury, p. 329, and Boston Records, vol. 9, p. 248.

—*Mrs. Louise Bethune, Buffalo, N. Y.*

SALEM IN 1700. NO. 19.

BY SIDNEY PERLEY.

The map on page 75 represents that part of Salem which is bounded by Essex street, Washington square, Winter street, Bridge street and Collins cove. It is based on actual surveys and title deeds, and is drawn on a scale of three hundred feet to an inch. It shows the location of all houses that were standing there in 1700.

The brace marked "a" shows where Arbella street begins on Bridge street; "b", Webb street; "c", Pleasant street; "d", Pickman street; "e", Andrew street; "f", Briggs street; "g", Boardman street; and "h", Forrester street.

Essex street was called a street or highway in 1667; ye street, 1675; ye country road, 1690; ye highway or main street, 1695; the main street, 1725; and Essex street in 1796.

Washington square east next Essex street was only a little more than half as wide in the early days as it is now. It

was called Thomas Beadle's lane in 1700; Ives lane, 1756; the common, 1794; Pleasant street, 1809; and has recently been called Washington Square East.

That part of Forrester street next to Essex street was a passage from the main road to the cove. Before the Edward Bishop lot was granted (in 1663), that lot constituted the passage, but after the grant of that lot to Jeremiah Butman in 1673, the way was changed to its present location. It was called a lane or highway down to ye cove in 1667; a lane, 1747; Gerrish's lane, 1794; East street, 1804; and Forrester street in 1862. That part of the street running parallel with Essex street was laid out over common land as early as 1767. It was called the street lately laid out Aug. 16, 1793; the street, 1793; a new street, 1794; street leading from the common to the neck, 1799; East street, 1809; and Forrester street in 1870.

The creek was an outlet for the ponds and swamp which now constitute Washington square. The creek was called the cove that goeth to the neck in 1662; Tuck's cove or creek, 1663; a cove, 1667; a kind of a creek, 1675; a small creek next the common land, 1683; ye creek or town common, 1700; the creek, 1732; a small creek next ye common, 1765; flats of Collins' cove, 1791; the cove, 1794; Gerrish's gutter, 1804; the gutter, 1826; flats, 1850; creek, 1858; and the brook in 1862. So it was open to some extent until the latter date. It must have been filled very soon afterward. Writing in 1790, Dr. William Bentley called this creek "the run of water which flows from the Common to Neckgate."

The dotted lines represent the rear limits of the original grants; the parts beyond were encroachments upon the common land before March 17, 1692-3, when the town voted that the several parties who had so encroached should pay for the land so taken; and that the owners are to keep open the creek that the water may freely pass and not annoy the inhabitants that live above them in

the low swampy ground. When the common land shown on the map lying in the rear of the row of lots was granted to the owners of the adjoining lots, in 1793, a condition was inserted in each deed that the common shore should be forever kept open at the expense of the grantees.

In the original layout of the town a way eight feet in width was reserved along the water's edge; and as such the narrow path is mentioned on the south side of the creek in 1757. It continued to be a way until Forrester street was constructed, before 1793.

Collins cove was called the cove in 1664; the salt water, 1725; ye sea, 1737; a beach or river, 1787; river or creek, 1788; and Collins cove in 1858.

Dr. William Bentley, writing in 1790, stated that the point of land constituting the eastern end of George Hodges' lot was called Virgin point, "from three old maidens who lived near it, the place being now to be seen." The three "old maidens" were probably Mary and Hannah Hodges and their widowed sister Sarah Archer, children of George Hodges.

Doctor Bentley writes further that the part of the cove next to the Parkman pasture was called Shallop cove.

The lane anciently running from the bend in Forrester street to Shallop cove was in existence as early as 1664, and probably was located before the lots were granted at the first settlement of the town. At a town meeting held March 19, 1721-2, the town of Salem voted to sell this (then called Hodges) lane for five pounds; and, according to Doctor Bentley's journal, it was granted to Gama-liel Hodges Dec. 3, 1722. Doctor Bentley states that it was about twenty-four feet in width and twenty-five rods in length.

Washington square was called ye common commonly called the training place in 1664; ye town common, 1681; ye common or training field, 1689; Salem training place, 1709; ye training common, 1711; ye training field, 1749; and a way or common land of Salem in 1767.

Arbella street was laid out Dec. 24, 1860.

Webb street was laid out in May, 1797.

Andrew street was laid out Aug. 21, 1820.

Pickman street was laid out May 17, 1824; and was so called in 1829.

Pleasant street was laid out in 1796, as on December twelfth of that year it is described as "a street now staked out which is a continuation from Pleasant street to Bridge street;" was accepted by the town Sept. 2, 1797; and was called Pleasant street in 1801.

Briggs street was laid out in March, 1837, and was at first called Briggs court.

Boardman street was laid out July 15, 1879.

The ancient lane running along the southwestern side of the Parkman pasture, about eighteen feet wide, was the early way to the ferry and first settlement. This was used until Winter street was opened in or before 1668. After that time, John Neal fenced in the lane until Jan. 24, 1681-2, when the selectmen of Salem determined that Lt. Jeremiah Neale, as executor to the estate of his father John Neale, deceased, and in the behalf of the rest of his relations unto whom it may belong shall "haue hould and peacably Enjoy the lane of the towne of aboute Eighteene foote wide which was betweene m^r John Gedneys pastore land, and y^e land of the Sayd Neales & now Incloafed by neale."*

Winter street was included in the lots of Nicholas Hayward (or, Howard) and John Neale before it was laid out in or before 1668. The southwestern portion of the strip, about three-fourths of an acre belonged to Mr. Neale, and the rest, about one acre, was owned by Mr. Howard.* Winter street was called ye highway in 1682; highway or common land, 1790; the highway leading from Salem common toward Essex bridge, 1792; and Winter street in 1794.

*Town Records, Book of Grants, page 140.

Bridge street was one of the earliest roads in Salem, and was called the country road which goeth from Salem meeting house to the ferry in 1681; ye highway, 1698; ye highway y^t leads downe to y^e ferry leading to Beverly, 1713; Ferry lane, 1743; and Bridge street in 1794.

In the sketches that follow, after 1700, titles and deeds referred to pertain to the houses and land under and adjoining and not always to the whole lot, the design being, after that date, to give the history of the houses then standing principally.

Thomas Beadle House. That part of this lot lying easterly of the dashes was a part of the lot of John Turner, who died Oct. 9, 1680, at the age of thirty-six. It descended to his several children, who were all very young, and his son John Turner of Salem, merchant, for sixteen pounds, conveyed it to Thomas Beadle of Salem, innkeeper, June 4, 1695.* How John Turner had the right to convey more than his inherited interest in this lot does not appear.

That part of the lot lying westerly of the dashes was the house lot granted by the selectmen of Salem, Aug. 7, 1672, to John Robinson in the following words: "Jn^o Robinson the Taylor, hath liberty Granted him to have a house lott in the Comon on the Same tearmes as other men haue theirs." Mr. Robinson built a dwelling house, barn and shop thereon and resided there. He conveyed the estate (in exchange with Mr. Beadle for his residence) to Mr. Beadle, who then conducted an inn across the street, June 18, 1695.† Mr. Beadle died May 23, 1700, possessed of the whole lot and the buildings. The estate was then valued at two hundred pounds. The house then had a kitchen, new room, north room, south chamber, north chamber, etc. His widow and administratrix Elizabeth Beadle, who was then widow of Capt. Thomas Dean, and Mr. Beadle's children, Benjamin Beadle, cordwainer, and Thomas

Beadle, mariner, all of Salem, for two hundred and twenty-five pounds, conveyed the house, barn, shop and land to Benjamin Ives of Salem, glazier, Nov. 12, 1715.* Captain Ives lived here, and died possessed of the estate in 1752. The mansion house and land around it were then valued at two hundred and sixty-six pounds, thirteen shillings, and four pence. Three years later it was valued at two hundred and forty pounds. Captain Ives devised the estate to his daughters Elizabeth, Mary, Abigail, Martha and Margaret. To Mary, then wife of John Crowninshield of Salem, shipwright, the other children, John Ives, tanner, Elizabeth Ives, Abigail Ives, Martha Ives and Margaret Ives, all spinsters, and all of Salem, released the estate Oct. 25, 1756.† Mr. Crowninshield died, and his widow Mary Crowninshield of Salem, for one hundred and eighty pounds, conveyed the estate to her son Clifford Crowninshield, mariner, June 29, 1791.‡ Clifford Crowninshield removed the house soon after.

Abial Turner Lot. John Turner owned this lot early and died possessed of it Oct. 9, 1680. The estate passed to his son, John Turner, who died in 1692, possessed of it. His real estate was not divided until March 22, 1696-7, when this lot was assigned to his daughter Abial Turner. It was then valued at thirty-two pounds and eleven shillings. She owned it until Jan. 22, 1705, when, for forty-five pounds, she conveyed it to Joseph Andrews of Boxford, yeoman.§

Christopher Babbidge House. This lot was probably granted to Christopher Babbidge before 1683, when he was its owner. He was living in 1711, and apparently died soon afterward, possessed of the lot and house which he erected thereon. This was one of the best houses in the neighborhood, the staircase still containing the ancient newel posts and balusters,

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 30.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 36.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 27, leaf 190.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 102, leaf 283.

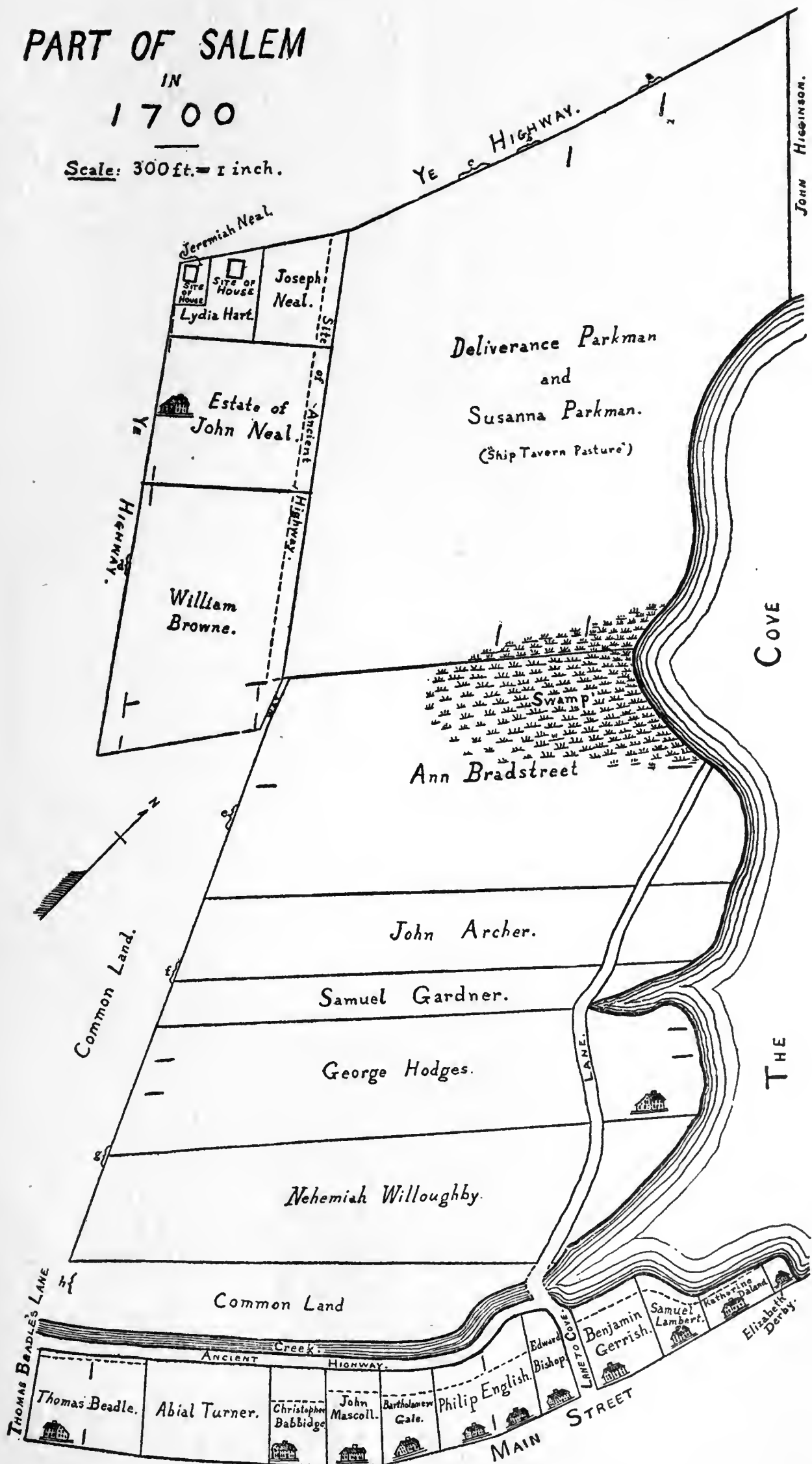
‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 153, leaf 105.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 18, leaf 146.

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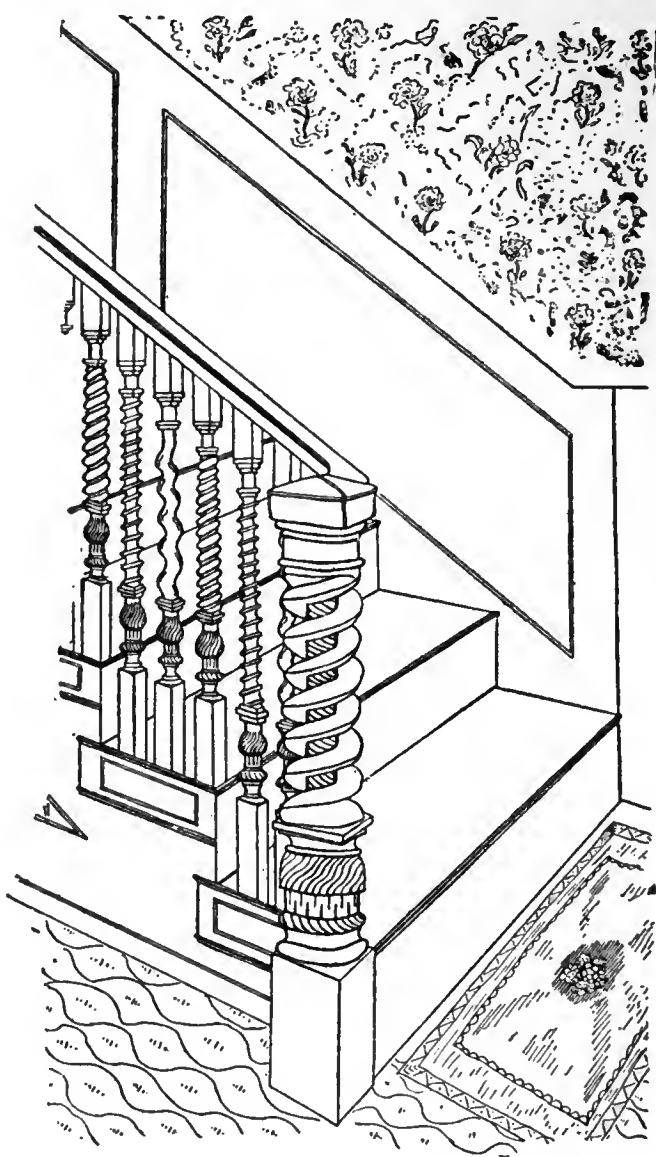
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1700

Scale: 300 ft. = 1 inch.



and the rod from which were suspended the ancient leathern fire buckets. In the west lower room of this house met the committee of the East or Second church to consider the plans of its first meeting house which was built on the opposite side of the street in 1717. The estate was next owned by his son Christopher Babbidge of Salem, cordwainer, who died in 1755, when the house, barn and land were appraised at one hundred and fifty-three pounds, six shillings and eight pence. The administratrix of the estate, for the payment of debts, for one hundred and fifty pounds, conveyed the estate to Richard Derby of Salem, merchant, Nov. 8, 1757.* Mr. Derby died Nov. —, 1783, having devised to his daughter Mary Crowninshield "the House in which she lately dwelt now occupied by Joseph Moses with the Land under & adjoining thereto, it being nearly opposite the meeting house in the East Parish in Salem with the appurtenances which I purchased of Christopher Babbidge's heirs." The devisee was the wife of George Crowninshield of Salem, merchant, and for, thirty-five hundred dollars, they conveyed the house and lot to James Cheever of Salem, merchant, Aug. 24, 1799.† Captain Cheever died Sept. 23, 1839, possessed of the house and lot, which were then valued at three thousand dollars. His children, Sally Cook, and her husband Samuel Cook of Salem, merchant, James W. Cheever, of Salem, merchant, Ruth Shepard, widow, of Lodi, Ill., and Maria Cheever of Salem, singlewoman, for two thousand and seventy-five dollars, conveyed the house, store and land to Phineas R. Weston of Salem, trader, June 1, 1840.‡ Mr. Weston, in 1859, cut off the eastern end of the house, and removed that portion to Grant street, where it still stands. For three thousand dollars, he conveyed the estate to George R. Curwen of Salem Oct. 25,

1867; * and Mr. Curwen conveyed it, for the same consideration, to Emily L. Weston, wife of said Phineas, on the same day.* In 1861, Mr. Weston called the house "my old house." Leverett Turner and his wife Ellen, in her right, and Alice Weston, singlewoman, all of Salem, apparently heirs of Mr. Weston, for two thousand and sixty-five dollars, conveyed



STAIRCASE IN BABBIDGE HOUSE.

the house and lot to Charles Bowker of Salem July 21, 1885.† Mr. Bowker still owns and resides in the house. The engraving of the house shows it as it appeared seventy-five years ago, before the radical changes were made.

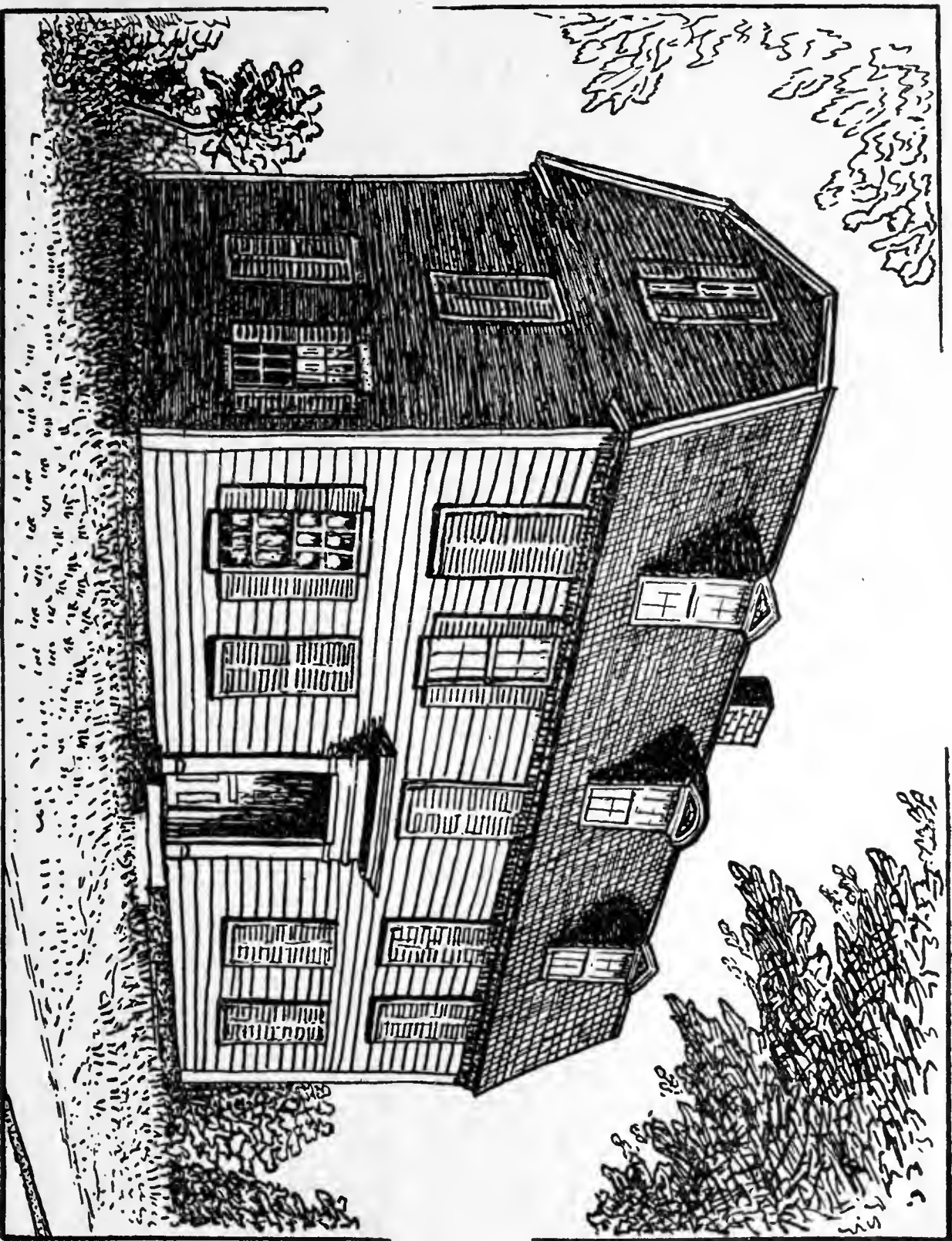
* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 105, leaf 16.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 165, leaf 180.

‡ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 320, leaf 14.

* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 733, leaf 66.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1155, leaf 114.



CHRISTOPHER BABIDGE HOUSE.

John Mascoll House. This lot was granted by the selectmen of Salem to John Mascoll, sr., of Salem, gunsmith, 6 : 4 : 1662. He erected a house upon it before 1702. For forty-seven pounds, he conveyed the house and lot to Robert Stanbury of Salem, surgeon, Jan. 16, 1710-1.* How the title passed from Doctor Stanbury is unknown. Matthew Pool of Boston, cooper, for twenty pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Samuel Carlton of Salem, mariner, Sept. 6, 1732.† Mr. Carlton evidently removed the old house soon afterward.

Bartholomew Gale House. This lot was granted by the selectmen of Salem to Robert Lemon 6 : 4 : 1662. It belonged to Bartholomew Gale as early as 1675. The house was erected upon it before 1675. Mr. Gale owned the house and lot as late as 1702, and they were the property of Philip English and in the possession of William Brown in 1732. Mr. English died in 1736, owning the house and lot, which were then valued at eighty pounds. His administrator, for sixty-pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Joseph Browne of Salem, mariner, Oct. 22, 1742.‡ The house was gone apparently a few years later.

Philip English Houses. That part of this lot lying west of the dashes was granted to widow Hollingworth by the selectmen of Salem 6 : 4 : 1662. It was subsequently the property of William Hollingworth, apparently widow Hollingworth's son. William Hollingworth conveyed it to Philip Cromwell of Salem before Sept. 23, 1675, when Mr. Cromwell conveyed the lot and a house which then stood upon it, which were then in the possession of Thomas Cloutman, to Philip English of Salem, mariner.§ Mr. English died in 1736, and this "small dwelling house" and land around it descended to his daughter Mary, wife of William Browne. Mr. Browne died before March

22, 1759, when she was a widow.* She died before or in 1767, possessed of the estate. The administrator of her estate conveyed the lot "with the remains of an old dwelling house thereon" to Joseph Mascoll of Salem, shipwright, Sept. 30, 1767.† Mr. Mascoll, for forty-six pounds, conveyed the lot "with ye remains of an old dwelling house thereon" to John Touzell of Salem, goldsmith, Oct. 24, 1767.‡ The house was gone before 1785, when Mr. Touzell died.

That part of this lot lying east of the dashes was granted to John Williams by the selectmen of Salem 6 : 4 ; 1662. Mr. Williams lived here, being a fisherman, and he immediately erected a house upon this lot. For twenty-five pounds, twelve shillings and six pence, he conveyed the lot and house "newly built" to John Steevens of Salem, fisherman, Aug. 27, 1663.§ In 1673 and 1675 the premises were occupied by William Buckley. Mr. Steevens conveyed the house and lot to Capt. Walter Price of Salem before the latter's death, which occurred June 5, 1674, but the deed of transfer has not been found. Captain Price died possessed of the lot, and his executors, for fifty-six pounds and ten shillings, conveyed the house and lot and a shop with a cellar under it to Philip English Dec. 22, 1679.|| The estate had been then lately occupied by Tobias Carter. Mr. English died in 1736, possessed of the house and lot. In the appraisal of the estate the house was called "an old house," and the house and land around it were valued at fifteen pounds. In the division of the estate of Mr. English, Dec. 31, 1742, the house and land about it were assigned to the heirs of Susanna Touzell, widow of John Touzell, deceased. John Touzell of Salem, goldsmith, apparently a son of Mrs. Touzell, conveyed the old house and land around it to William Ha-

* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 22, leaf 279.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 60, leaf 184.

‡ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 84, leaf 82.

§ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 126.

* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 104, leaf 276.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 121, leaf 154.

‡ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 122, leaf 4.

§ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 72.

|| Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 58.

thorne of Salem, mariner, and his wife Mary and widow of Susanna Hathorne of Salem May 30, 1754.* The house was gone apparently a few years later.

Edward Bishop House. This lot was granted by the town of Salem to Jeremiah Butman, at a town meeting held 14 : 1 : 1672-3. The record reads: "Graunted to Jeremiah Butman & foe to his childⁿ after him : a pcell of land to Build a house on near — Bucklye accordinge to the pportion of the other lotts If it be ther to be hade or any wher ther abouts as y^w goe to the feaward." The selectmen recorded the laying out of the lot, April 3, 1673, as follows: "Laid out to Jeremiah Butname about eightene Roade of land next adoyninge vnto — Buckley land." This lot of land had been used as a highway from the street to the cove, but the passage was subsequently made east of this lot where it still exists, being the eastern end of Forrester street. Mr. Butman (or Bootman) built a house upon the lot before December, 1679. He removed to Beverly, where he was a yeoman; and, for love, conveyed to his son Mathew Butman of Beverly, husbandman, the house and lot, Oct. 16, 1690.† For sixteen pounds Mr. Butman conveyed the lot and house to Edward Bishop of Salem, sawyer, June 30, 1694.‡ The next owner of record is John Beckett of Salem, ship-carpenter, who, with his wife Susanna, for eighteen pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence, conveyed the house and lot to their son John Beckett of Salem, shipwright, Dec. 25, 1759.§ John Beckett, jr., died in 1781, possessed of the lot; and his children, grandchildren and others, John Beckett, gentleman, and wife Sarah, William Peele, cooper, and wife Elizabeth, David Felt, trader, and wife Susanna, Sarah Silsbee, widow, Rebecca Fairfield, widow, Thorndike Deland, mariner, and wife Eunice, Benjamin Beckett, mariner, John Beckett,

jr., mariner, William Beckett, tanner, Joseph Beckett, tanner, all of Salem, and Hannah Henderson, for sixteen pounds, conveyed their interest in the westerly part of the house and lot to widow Hannah Cloutman of Salem, daughter of the deceased John Beckett, March 28, 1794.* On the same day, for twenty pounds, John Beckett, gentleman, and wife Sarah, William Peele, cooper, and wife Elizabeth, David Felt, trader, and wife Susanna, Sarah Silsbee, widow, Hannah Cloutman, widow, Thorndick Deland, mariner, and wife Eunice, Benjamin Beckett, mariner, John Beckett, jr., mariner, William Beckett, tanner, Joseph Beckett, tanner, all of Salem, and Jabez Henderson and wife Hannah, conveyed the easterly half of the house and lot to widow Rebecca Fairfield of Salem, daughter of the deceased John Beckett.† The house was removed a few years later.

Benjamin Gerrish House. This lot was granted by the town of Salem to Nicholas Bartlett of Salem before 1667. He immediately built a house upon the land, and lived in it. For fifty-seven pounds, he conveyed the house "I lately built" and land to John Balden of Salem, seaman, April 10, 1667.‡ Mr. Balden (or Baldwin) died before 28 : 9 : 1673, when administration upon his estate was granted to his widow Arabella. The house and land were then valued at sixty pounds. His administratrix conveyed the estate to the executors of the will of Capt. Walter Price, deceased, July 7, 1674;§ and they, for fifty pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Benjamin Gerrish of Salem in 1682.|| Deacon Gerrish was a merchant, and died April 24, 1713, having devised the estate, one-half to his wife Elizabeth and the other half to his six children. The dwelling house, ware house, barn and land were then valued at two hundred pounds. The house then contained a

* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 100, leaf 108.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 9, leaf 267.

‡ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 10, leaf 3.

§ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 107, leaf 202.

* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 203, leaf 149.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 185, leaf 62.

‡ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 23.

§ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 56.

|| Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 103.

"best room," kitchen, little bedroom, "best chamber," kitchen chamber and garret, and had a leanto. The estate of Deacon Gerrish was divided in 1734, and this house and lot were assigned to his widow. She died Dec. 24, 1734, aged sixty-one, having conducted a small dry-goods store, and being called "Madam Gerrish." She devised the house and lot to her son John Gerrish and her daughter Lydia, wife of John Brown, equally. Mrs. Brown died in 1744, and the estate was not divided until 1750, when the easterly half was assigned to John Gerrish, and the westerly half to Lydia Brown's young children.

The westerly half became the estate of Mrs. Brown's son Benjamin Brown, and he lived in the house. He died April 24, 1785, and it then passed to his son Benjamin Brown, who also lived in the house. He died Sept. 22, 1860, at the age of eighty-six. His heirs, Ebenezer S. Phelps of Middleton, William B. Gray, Eliza Gray, Lydia Sanborn, Richard Davis and wife Hannah, in her right, conveyed the house and land around it, for eight hundred and ninety dollars, to William H. Nichols of Salem Dec. 5, 1862;* Hannah Harmon of Harrison, Me., and Josiah M. Turner and wife Esther, in her right, conveyed their interest to Mr. Nichols Dec. 5, 1862;† James D. Langdon of Columbia, O., and wife Sally, in her right, William B. Phelps of Bartholomew, Ind., and wife Amelia, Alfred Phelps of Shelby, Ind., and wife Polly, and Nathan E. Phelps of Ohio and wife Matilda, conveyed their interest to Mr. Nichols Dec. 15, 1862;‡ Andrew Archer of Fairfield, Me., Charles Archer of East Pittsfield, Me., and Timothy Lander and his wife Caroline A., in her right, conveyed their interest to Mr. Nichols Dec. 15, 1862;‡ and the trustee under the will of Benjamin Brown, deceased, released the estate to Mr. Nichols March 23, 1863.*

* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 648, leaf 287.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 648, leaf 289.

‡ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 648, leaf 288.

John Gerrish, who was of Salem, school-master, mortgaged the easterly half of the house and lot to William Lynde of Salem, merchant, March 21, 1747;* and released the equity to him Sept. 4, 1750.† Mr. Lynde died May 10, 1752, at the age of thirty-seven, having devised his interest in the house and land around it to his brother Benjamin Lynde of Salem, esquire. Benjamin Lynde, for forty pounds, conveyed the same part of the house and land to Timothy Welman of Salem, cordwainer, Aug. 1, 1752.‡ Mr. Welman, for twenty-one pounds, six shillings and eight pence, conveyed the same estate to his son Timothy Welman, jr., of Salem, mariner, Aug. 13, 1756.§ The son of Salem, fisherman, for forty pounds, conveyed his interest in the estate to Benjamin Brown of Salem, cabinet maker, July 15, 1765.|| Mr. Brown then became the sole owner of the old house.

This old house is described in 1863 as a quaint old building of very humble appearance. It had two sets of chimneys, four sets of clapboards, two sets of windows and frames, two sets of floors, three sets of doors and three coats of plaster. "Its iron bound frame" and the first boarding was on the decline. It was removed the next year.

Samuel Lambert House. This lot was granted by the town of Salem to Matthew Wood in 1667, and he immediately built on it a dwelling house, which was not fully finished Jan. 23, 1667-8. The house, having been mortgaged to Capt. George Corwin of Salem, merchant, and default in payment made, Captain Corwin, by order of Jeremiah Bootman, attorney of Mr. Wood, and Mr. Bootman sold and conveyed the estate to William Cash of Salem Jan. 23, 1667-8.¶ Mr. Cash was a mariner, and conveyed the house and land to Philip Cromwell of Salem

* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 93, leaf 134.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 100, leaf 131.

‡ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 100, leaf 132.

§ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 116, leaf 38.

|| Essex Registry of Deeds, book 143, leaf 111.

¶ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 44.

Oct. 12, 1677.* Mr. Cromwell was a slaughterer, and, for thirty-five pounds, conveyed the estate to Jonathan Prince of Salem, cordwinder, Aug. 15, 1683.† Mr. Prince died about 1685; his widow Mary, having married John Warner of Ipswich, was appointed administratrix of the estate; and she, for thirty-five pounds and ten shillings, conveyed the house, shop and lot to Samuel Lambert of Salem, mariner, Jan. 23, 1694.‡ Mr. Lambert lived here, and died before May 19, 1729, when administration upon his estate was granted. He was succeeded by Jonathan Lambert and the latter died possessed of the estate, administration being granted on his estate Aug. 1, 1774. The house, barn and lot were then valued at eighty pounds. The house was taken down March 18, 1789. Doctor Bentley records the fact in his journal, as follows: "March 18 [1789]. A building, the property of the family of Lambert, having one room upon a floor, and the entrance in a range with the chimney at the eastern end, the whole building facing the western end of English's Lane nearly, taken down."

Katharine Daland House. This lot was owned by George Hodges as early as Jan. 23, 1667-8, when a house was standing upon it. He was of Salem and a mariner, Nov. 3, 1681, when he conveyed the house and lot to Thomas Roots of Salem, weaver.§ Mr. Roots lived in the house, and died possessed of the house and land Nov. —, 1683, having, in his will, devised the estate to his wife Sarah for her life, and then to Katharine, daughter of George Hodges, and wife of Benjamin Daland of Beverly. The house and lot were then appraised at fifty pounds. Mrs. Daland conveyed the house and lot, for thirty-four pounds, to John Masury of Salem, tailor, May 6, 1700,|| the house, in 1693, having been occupied by Robert

Bray. The house was standing in 1702, but apparently gone soon afterward.

Elizabeth Derby House. This lot was granted by the town of Salem to Richard Roberts 3mo., 1673, and was laid out to him, the record being as follows: "Laid out to Richard Roberts tailor a house lot two rods wide In the front so downe soe far as the upland goes towards the Cove this next to Georg hodg his house Lott." Mr. Roberts erected "a small cottage or dwelling house" upon the lot; and died possessed of the house and lot Jan. 4, 1698-9. He devised the estate, by a nuncupative will, to Mrs. Elizabeth Derby whom he owed and who agreed to provide for his funeral. The inventory described the estate as "a little house out of repair and land," and its appraised value is stated as twelve pounds. Mrs. Derby, for sixteen pounds, conveyed the house and lot to John Masury of Salem, tailor, Sept. 2, 1706.* The house was probably gone before 1725.

Nehemiah Willoughby Lot. This lot was apparently owned by Isaac Estes in 1652, and by William Lord in 1657. Henry Bartholomew, sr., of Salem, merchant, owned it in 1681, and Nov. 12, 1689, for love to his daughter Abigail, wife of Nehemiah Willoughby of Salem, merchant, he conveyed it to his said son-in-law.† Mr. Willoughby died possessed of the premises in 1702.

George Hodges House. That part of this lot lying north of the northern dashes was owned apparently by Thomas Roots as early as 1652.

That part of the lot lying between the dashes was conveyed by John Payne to Robert Pease, with a house thereon, 16: 2: 1652;‡ and it came into the possession of Thomas Roots before 1657. The house was probably gone soon afterward.

That part of the lot lying south of the southern dashes was conveyed by John Payne to Thomas Weeks, for four pounds,

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 90.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 111.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 10, leaf 68.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 31.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 283.

* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 19, leaf 86.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 142.

‡ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 13.

16:2:1652.* Mr. Weeks was of Salem, turner, and he erected a small dwelling house thereon. For sixteen pounds, he conveyed the house and lot to John Wilson of Salem 3:12 mo: 1652.† Mr. Wilson was a mason, and, for eighteen pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Thomas Roots of Salem, weaver, July 1, 1657.‡

Thus Mr. Roots came into the possession of the entire lot and two houses thereon, and he conveyed the dwelling "wherein I now live" and the lot adjoining "now in the possession of the grantee" to George Hodges of Salem, mariner, Nov. 3, 1681.§ Mr. Hodges died in 1709, possessed of the house and lot. His inventory described this estate, being his homestead, as follows: "an old low dwelling house & a small old barn standing upon land that is about 3 acres & halfe: part of it a small old orchard a highway going through it near y^e east end bounded North with Nath^l Beadle east y^e Cove south with m^r Willoughbies land west with Salem training common." It was valued at sixty-five pounds. The estate was divided among the heirs Jan. 25, 1737. The old house was then standing, but was gone soon afterward.

Samuel Gardner Lot. This lot was owned as early as 1681 by Samuel Gardner, jr., and he continued to possess it until he conveyed it March 7, 1701-2.||

John Archer Lot. This lot early belonged to Thomas Weeks, who died in 1656, leaving two daughters, Bethia and Hannah. Bethia married John Archer before 1664, and Hannah married John Pitman in 1667. Mrs. Pitman died Dec. 23, 1670, and Mr. Archer apparently purchased her half of the lot. The latter died possessed of the entire lot in 1700.

Ann Bradstreet Lot. That part of this lot lying north of the dashes was granted as "swampy ground" by the town of Sa-

lem to Rev. John Higginson 13:2; 1661. The grant is recorded in the following words: "Graunted vnto m^r Jn^o Higginson o^r Pastor a pcell of Swampy ground lying & beinge in the Comon Pen neare M^r Stileman field on the fouth & m^r Jn^o Gedneys & Jn^o Neale one the North to begine at the vpwards west Corner of M^r Stilemans pasture & Crosse ou^r to Jno Neals field & so Downwards to the sea between those fields aboue named."* Mr Higginson conveyed that part of the lot to Lt. Joseph Gardner, of Salem, vintner, before 1664.

That part of this lot lying south of the dashes and west of the lane had two dwelling houses upon it about 1653. Jonathan Ager, aged about seventy-three, and Rebecca Bly, aged about seventy, deposed, June 29, 1713, "That they well Remember that There was two Dwelling houses Standing vpon y^e Land Lately belonging to Madam Broadstreete of Salem in y^e County of Essex in New England and now in y^e possession of Ensigne Joseph Andrews of y^e Towne & County afore^d and y^t about Sixty years agoe there Lived in Said Houses William Golt & Jeremiah meacham." Sworn to before Stephen Sewall, justice of the peace.† This part of the lot belonged to Elias Stileman of Salem in 1661. He died in 1663. His son, Elias Stileman, of Salem, as administrator of the estate, for twenty-six pounds, conveyed this part of the lot to William Browne, jr., of Salem, merchant, April 7, 1664.‡ Mr. Browne conveyed the same portion of the lot to Lt. Joseph Gardner, who owned the other part of the lot, July 27, 1664.§ Thus Lieutenant Gardner came into possession of the entire lot. He was killed in the Narragansett fight in King Philip's war, while commanding a company of soldiers, Dec. 19, 1675. He died childless, and his estate passed to his widow Ann, who married the next year, Gov. Simon Bradstreet. She owned this lot for ten years after 1700.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 13.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 16.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 42.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 32.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 27, leaf 228.

*Town Records of Salem.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 25, leaf 253.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 78.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 85.

Deliverance Parkman and Susanna Parkman Pasture. This tract of twelve acres of land originally consisted of six two-acre lots apparently running north and south. When the writer first learns of them, there are three lots, first, a six-acre lot, then a two-acre lot, and beyond that a four-acre lot. The six-acre lot belonged, very early, probably originally, to Henry Cook. It then passed to Dr. George Emery; and before 1649 to John Gedney. The two-acre lot belonged, very early, and probably originally, to Richard Graves, who, for forty-two shillings and six pence, conveyed it to John Gedney Jan. 1, 1649.* The four-acre lot belonged, very early, and probably originally, to Michael Ward. He died, and it passed to his widow Margaret, who married, secondly, Thomas Rix, barber. Mr. and Mrs. Rix, for five pounds, conveyed it to Mr. Gedney 15 : 3 : 1655.† Mr. Gedney, for many years, conducted the Ship tavern, and this pasture, being used in connection with that inn, became known as the "Ship Tavern pasture." Mr. Gedney died in 1688, having devised the lot, one-half to Susanna Gedney, widow of his son John Gedney, and her children by her said husband, and the other half to the testator's son Col. Bartholomew Gedney. Colonel Gedney died Feb. 28, 1697-8, possessed of his half of the lot; and his children, Samuel Gedney, Hannah Grafton, Lydia Corwine, Bethiah Gedney and Deborah Gedney, all of Salem, conveyed the same interest to their uncle John's widow, Susannah, who had married Deliverance Parkman, of Salem, William Gedney of Salem, merchant, and Nathaniel Gedney of Salem, mariner, the owners of the other part, Dec. 10, 1698.‡ Fourteen days later, William Gedney of Salem, merchant, and Nathaniel Gedney of Salem, mariner, only surviving children of Mrs. Susannah Parkman, conveyed the lot to the latter's husband, Deliverance

Parkman of Salem, merchant.* Mr. and Mrs. Parkman owned the lot a number of years after 1700.

Jeremiah Neal Lot. This was a portion of the ancient Tuck lot, which was owned by Nicholas Howard, a fisherman, in the early settlement of the town. On this corner was his dwelling house. The depositions of Edward Gaskin, aged about seventy, and Francis Skerry, aged sixty-six years or thereabouts, severally testify "that Nicholas Hayward had to his Knowledge a house plott, on which he y^e said Hayward did live uppon, when he came first to Salem, this sd house plott scituate & lying in Salem, upon the west corner of John Neales land, which lyeth as I goe from Salem Ipswich ward on the right hand: this abouesd p'cell of ground or house plott being bounded on the east or south east corner with the well w'ch was in y^e sd house plott, & westerly neere upon a square home to y^e sd Neales now standing fence by the road, & from y^e sd well neere upon a square to y^e sd Neale's now standing fence sotherly, & further he saith not. Taken upon oath 22 : 3 mo : 74. Wm. Hathorne Assistant."† Mr. Howard (or Hayward) removed to Beverly (then called Cape Ann Side) about 1641, but retained the house and lot. The house was probably gone soon afterward. After his death, his son Nathaniel Hayward of Salem, for twenty shillings, conveyed the lot, namely, "that house plott which yet is well known y^t my father Nicholas Hayward did live on, when he did live in Salem towne," Dec. 14, 1681.‡ The narrow strip on the southwestern side of the lot, being about two feet wide at the southern end and running to a point at the other end, was granted to Jeremiah Neale Jan. 24, 1681, as hereinafter stated.‡ Mr. Neale owned the lot until after 1700.

Lydia Hart Lot. This lot was a portion of the Tuck lot, which was owned by

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaves 27 and 29.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaves 27 and 30.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 18, leaf 138.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 102.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 35.

‡Book of Grants, Salem Town Records, page 140.

John Neal as early as 1652.* Nathaniel Felton, sr., and John Massey, sr., testified, Jan. 15, 1699-1700, "that upon y^e quarter of an acre of Land given by y^e aboues^d John Neale unto his daughter Lidiah had a dwelling house upon it before the yeare 1661."* The house was probably gone in 1661. John Neal died May 12, 1672, having devised this part of the Tuck lot to his daughter Lydia, wife of Jonathan Hart, and after her decease to her children. She died about 1700, possessed of the lot.

Joseph Neal Lot. This was a portion of the ancient Tuck lot which was owned by John Neal as early as 1652.* John Neal died possessed of the lot May 12, 1672, having devised this part of it to his wife for her life, and then to his son John Neal. The son, John Neal, Jr., died in November, 1679, possessed of the lot. His widow married, secondly, William Starling of Lynn, shipwright; and the title to this lot was in Joseph Neal about 1700, but how he obtained the whole of it is unknown to the writer.†

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 222.

†Dr. William Bentley, in his journal, states that an ancient house stood upon this lot in 1794. The house and lot were then owned by Robert Hooper who died that year, July 3, unmarried, at the age of sixty-eight. He lived with his aged mother in this house. Doctor Bentley wrote of him and the premises as follows: "He has long embarrassed the laying out of ferry lane by his land which projects at the eastern corner and has been laid out by the sessions, and advanced for by subscriptions, but not yet to meet his expectations. His miserable buildings stand upon the intended road. * * The projecting angle of Hooper's land taken off, a favour that could not be obtained in his lifetime, not only from the singularity of the man, but from the position of his buildings. His barn and lintel, and part of the dwelling house were over the line. For the first time I entered the house, which is all now standing, the lintel having been taken down. It is very ancient, and has stood till it looked dangerous. It consisted of one room and chamber. The chimney was in the western end, and covered by the lintel, which was not framed into the house. The posts were of oak, large and supporting upon a large projection the beams which as the ground work was gone, by sinking perpendicularly into the ground, had bent the house at a considerable angle in the middle, there being only three posts of a side, two of which on

Estate of John Neal House. This was a portion of the Tuck lot, and was owned by Nicholas Howard in the early settlement of the town. He removed to Beverly (then called Cape Ann Side) about 1641, and conveyed this lot to John Neal in 1652.* There was a dwelling-house upon this lot before 1661. Nathaniel Felton, sr., and John Massey deposed, Dec. 13, 1699, that the "land given by John Neale Sen^r Deced Late in Salem, in y^e Countey of Essex in New England in his will to his sonne John Neale now Decd Caled in Said will Tucks Lott was by John Neale Sen^r pofsefssed from y^e yeare fifty Two to y^e yeare Sixty Two as his Owne right in Fee to our Certaine knowledge & wee doe further Testify that upon part of the land giuen in Said will to his son John as abouesaid had a dwelling house upon It before The yeare 1661."* John Neal died possessed of the lot May 12, 1672, having devised this part of it, the house being gone, to his wife for her life, and then to his son John Neal. The latter died Nov. —, 1679, possessed of the lot. His widow Ann married, secondly, William Starling of Lynn, shipwright, and she, as administratrix of the estate of her husband, conveyed this lot and the house that had been built upon it to her son Thomas Neale of Salem, husbandman, Feb. 13, 1699-1700.† On the same day Thomas'

each side were at the corners. The entry was in the space between the chimney and the side of the house. The stairs ascended over the projecting work of the chimney, which contained the oven. All the wood work of the house exhibited the account book of the old bachelor, for it was entirely covered with figures, neatly made, and with the names of the creditors. Dates might be traced for years past, and the course of his labours ascertained. The windows remained of diamond glass and lead, of two feet by one. The fireplace as laye as the room would admit. The house filled in with clay and bricks. The clapboards had been so long upon it as to be as thin as their adherence together could admit. The house sunk in the middle one end resting on the foundation of the chimney, and the other being on a range of cellar wall."

This was called "an old house" in 1759.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 222.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 14, leaf 64.

sister Rebecca Neale released her interest in the lot to him.* Thomas Neale died in the spring of 1705, possessed of the house and lot, which were then appraised at seventy-five pounds. His brother Joseph Neal of Scituate, husbandman was heir of Thomas apparently; and Joseph, for fifty pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Jeremiah Neale, jr., of Salem, carpenter, Feb. 14, 1712-3.† Jeremiah Neale probably removed the house a few years later.

William Browne Lot. The principal part of this lot was a portion of the Tuck lot, which was owned by John Neal as early as 1652.‡ John Neal died possessed of this portion of this lot May 12, 1672, having devised the same to his wife for her life, and then to his son John Neal. The son John died in November, 1679, possessed of it. His widow and administratrix, Ann Neale, for forty-five pounds, conveyed it to Capt. William Browne, jr., of Salem, merchant, Feb. 16, 1681-2;§ and he owned it in 1700.

That part of this lot lying on the southerly end between the dashes was granted by the town of Salem out of the common land, at a town meeting held Aug. 27, 1673, in the following words: "Mr. Batter to have one q^r of an acre of Land next to the End of Jn^o Neales ground neer old m^r Gedneys pasture."|| "Mr Batter" was Edmond Batter of Salem, merchant, who conveyed the lot to Jacob Pudeator of Salem, blacksmith, who lived across the street, May 15, 1674.¶ Mr. Pudeator conveyed it to William Browne, jr., of Salem, merchant, Feb. 7, 1681;** and Mr. Browne owned it in 1700.

That part of this lot lying within the dashes at the south-eastern corner, and the long strip on the western side next the street, which was apparently a part

of the lot the town purchased of Nicholas Hayward, were granted out of the common land "in part of satisfaction for about three-fourths of an acre of land the town of Salem had of John Neale, deceased, for a highway which said land joyned to y^e land that was formerly Thomas Watsons." The following is a copy of the town record:—

"Att a meeting of the Select men January 24th 1681.

"Whereas L^t Jeremiah Neale petitioned that hee might haue sattisfaction given him for the land layd downe for the townes vse by his father, which land is aboute three quarters of one acre and is betweene the land of Jacob pudeators which formerly was Thomas wattfons, And the land which Lately was Nicholas Howards and now the townes by purchafs from the Sayd Howard, which land was left to the Select men to vew and determine according as thay should judge equall therein as p^r a voate of the towne August 29th. 1681 doth appeare

"The Select men haueing vewed the abouesayd land doe heareby determine that L^t Jer^e neale as Executor to his father John Neale Late Deceased & in the behalfe of the rest of his relations vnto whome itt may belong, shall in way of Exchange for the aboue sayd land layd downe by his father. haue hould and peacably Enjoy the lane of the towne of aboute Eighteene foote wide which was betweene m^r John Gedneys pasture land, and y^e land of the Sayd Neales & now Incloafed by neale; also a strip of land of one pole Broad att the South-ward end of the same land of Neales and soe to run alonge the whole lenth which is aboute fourtye poles of that land which was purchased of Nicholas Howard & comes to a poynt at the Northward end of the Sayd land and is an acute Angle att which Sayd Northward end there is a stake driuen into the ground close to the Corner of the Barne;* likewise to run the fence strait at the Eastward end of the land granted to m^r Edm^o Batter & by him sould to Jacob Pudeator soe y^t the way left to m^r

*Unrecorded deed.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 26, leaf 151.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 222.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 41.

||Town Records.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 62.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 33.

Gedneys paftore will bee of an equall bredth which adittion Containes aboute foure pole in lenth & 2 pole in bredth at y^e Northwest end. y^e Southward end being an angle. likewise to run the fence straight att the westward end of the Sayd land of Pudeators wheare the aforesayd pole in bredth begins which runs to an angle att y^e vper end of Nicholas Howards land is aboute three poles and a quarter in lenth one pole broad at y^e northward end and one pole & thurteene foote att the Southward end; all & Euery part or parcell of the abouesayd land wee doe in behalfe of the Towne giue vnto the Sayd L^t Jeremiah Neale in Exchange for the abouesayd land layd downe by his father, and L^t Jeremiah Neale p his owne Consent & free & voluntary agreement doth accept thereof In full Sattisfaction for the aboue. Exprefsed land of aboute three quarters of an acre bee itt more or lefs layd downe by his father John Neale Late Deceafed in Wittnefs whearvnto hee hath Sett his hand to this agreement this 24 January 1681

“Jeremiah Neale.”*

These two lots were conveyed by Jeremiah Neale, who was of Salem, carpenter, to William Browne, jr., of Salem, merchant, April 25, 1682.† Mr. Browne owned these portions of this lot, also, in 1700.

BERRY NOTES.

Hannah Berry of Middleton married Theodore Ingalls Sept. 11, 1792.

—*Middleton town records.*

Ambrose Berry¹, carpenter, shipwright, wheelwright, and tallow-chandler, lived in that part of Newbury (on State street) which was incorporated as Newburyport in 1764; married, first, Hannah Kingsbury Jan. 10, 1716-7; and, second, Sarah Emery of Newbury June 3, 1728: Sarah was his wife in 1772; his will, dated April 16, 1770, was proved Dec. 3, 1777.

*Book of Grants, Town Records, page 140.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 51.

He had one child: *John*,² born in Newbury Nov. 4, 1718; blacksmith; lived in that part of Newbury that was incorporated as Newburyport in 1764; married Mary Little (a widow?) of Newbury Jan. 22, 1740-1; his will dated May 17, 1765, was proved May 28, 1770; she died, his widow, in the winter of 1791-2, administration being granted on her estate Jan. 30, 1792; children, born in Newbury: 1. Hannah,³ born Oct. 11, 1741; died Jan. 10, 1747; 2. Ambrose,³ born Oct. 12, 1743; died Jan. 20, 1747; 3. Sarah,³ born Oct. 3, 1745; died Jan. 22, 1747; 4. John³, born Jan. 16, 1747; died Feb. 4, 1747. 5. Hannah³, born Jan. 25, 1748; died April 29, 1749; 6. Mary,³ born June 12, 1750; 7. Sarah,³ born Sept. 30, 1752; 8. Nathan,³ born Sept. 4, 1754; 9. Elizabeth,³ born Sept. 1, 1755; 10. Anna,³ born July 21, 1758.

Michael Berry lived in Newburyport, 1785-1797; married Abigail Carr (born June 26, 1763); he died about 1798; and she married, secondly, Benjamin Kent of Danvers April —, 1805; children of Michael and Abigail Berry, born in Newburyport: Sally, born Jan. 3, 1785; Rhoda, born Dec. 7, 1786; married Benjamin Porter of Danvers Sept. 7, 1807: Michael, born July 2, 1789; married Ann Newman of Danvers Oct. 29, 1815; Mary, born Nov. 14, 1792; died Aug. 16, 1810; Harriet, born Dec. 3, 1794.

—*Records.*

Elizabeth Berry published to Thomas Browne Aug. 31, 1695.

Hannah Berry married Isaac Chase Oct. 29, 1710.

—*Newbury town records.*

Michael Berry, son of Widow Berry, died July 19, 1799.

John Berry married Miss Martha Page, both of Newburyport, Aug. 23, 1795.

—*Newburyport town records.*

Oliver Berry,¹ mariner, lived in Salem, 1757-1766; married, first, Elizabeth Paley of Salem April 21, 1757, and, second, Mary Brown of Salem Jan. 27, 1762; administration was granted on his estate Sept. 1, 1766; she survived him, and

was his widow in 1769; children: Elizabeth,² under fourteen years old in 1766, her guardian being widow Katharine Berry of Salem; Oliver,² under fourteen years old in 1766; lived in Salem; married Elizabeth Caves of Danvers Aug. 6, 1780; children, baptized in the North church in Salem: Oliver,³ baptized Nov. —, 1785; Betsy,⁴ baptized Nov —, 1785; Sally,⁴ baptized March 23, 1788; John,⁴ baptized April 22, 1792.—*Records.*

Capt. John Berry, mariner, lived in in Salem, 1722-1746; married Katharine Manning Oct. 26, 1722, in Salem; administration was granted on his estate Aug. 6, 1746; she survived him, and was his widow in 1763; the inventory of his estate mentions wearing apparel for children.—*Records.*

Mary Berry married John Burchmore, both of Salem, July 4, 1779.

John Berry of Salem published to Ruth Ingalls of Lynn March 22, 1711-2.

Hannah Berry of Salem married William Perkins of Andover April 3, 1728.

Elizabeth Berry married Benjamin Stone, both of Salem, Dec. 9, 1743.

Mary Berry married Samuel Ives, jr., both of Salem, July 11, 1745.

Catharine Berry, jr., married John Turner, jr., both of Salem, Sept. 29, 1752.

John Berry married Mary Putnam, both of Salem, June 15, 1757.

John Berry married Mary Ward, both of Salem, May 11, 1788.

Sally Berry married Micajah Johnson, both of Salem, Aug. 21, 1791.

John Berry married Mary Symonds, both of Salem, Oct. 21, 1794.

Lucy Berry of Salem married Jacob Chace of Lynn March 19, 1795.

Mehitable Berry married Isaac Hacker, jr., both of Salem, May 17, 1795.

John Berry married Mary Frye, both of Salem, Nov. 17, 1799.

Lucy Berry married John Brown, jr., both of Salem, July 6, 1799.

William Berry married Sally Cammel, both of Salem, Jan. 27, 1799.

Hanna Berry married Benjamin Valpy, both of Salem, Dec. 15, 1761.

Widow Elizabeth Berry married David Keif, both of Salem, Sept. 11, 1781.

—*Salem town records.*

IPSWICH TOWN.

BY JAMES APPLETON MORGAN.

I love to think of old Ipswich town,—
Old Ipswich town in the east countree,—
Whence on the tide you can float down
Through long salt grass to the wailing sea
Where the Mayflower drifted off the bar,
Seaworn and weary, long years ago,
And dared not enter, but sailed away
Till she landed her boat in Plymouth bay.

I love to think of old Ipswich town,
Where Whitefield preached in the church on the
hill,
Driving out the devil until he leaped down
From the steeple's top, where they show you still,
Imbedded deep in the solid rock,
The indelible print of his cloven hoof,
And tell you the devil has never shown
Face or hoof since that day in the honest town.

I love to think of old Ipswich town,
Where they shut up the witches until the day
When they should be roasted so thoroughly brown
In Salem village twelve miles away.
They've moved it off for a stable now,
But there are the holes where the stout jail stood,
And at night, they say, that over the holes
You can see the ghost of Goody Coles.

I love to think of old Ipswich town,
That house to your right a rod or more,
Where the stern old elm trees seem to frown
If you peer too hard through the open door,
Sheltered the regicide judges three,
When the royal sheriffs were after them,
And a queer old villager once I met
Who says in the cellar they're living yet.

I love to think of old Ipswich town,
Harry Main, you have heard the tale, lived there,
He blasphemed God so they put him down
With an iron shovel at Ipswich bar.
They chained him there for a thousand years,
As the sea rolls up to shovel it back;
So when the sea cries the goodwives say,
"Harry Main growls at his work today."

I love to think of old Ipswich town;
There's a graveyard upon the old High street,
Where generations are looking down
On the one that is toiling at their feet;
Where the stones stand shoulder to shoulder like
troops,
Drawn up to receive a cavalry charge.
And graves have been dug in graves till the sod
Is the mound of good men gone to God.

I love to think of old Ipswich town,—
 Old Ipswich town in the east countree,—
 Whence on the tide you can float down
 Through the long salt grass to the wailing sea,
 And lie all day on the glassy beach,
 And learn the lesson the green waves teach,
 Till at sunset, from surf and seaweed brown,
 You are pulling back to Ipswich town.

NOTES.

Edward Berry married Beatrice (Burt), who married, first, William Cattlebury of Salem; second, Francis Plumer of Newbury Nov. 29, 1665; he died Jan. 17, 1672-3; and she married, third, Edward Berry; they lived in Salem Village; and she died in 1683, aged eighty-three. William Sibley called her "mother," and claimed to have maintained her for eight years prior to her death. Her inventory amounted to £181, 18 s. She was formerly of Frampton, Dorset, England.

Edward Berry, a seaman and weaver, lived in Salem, 1668-1689; married Elizabeth, widow of Roger Haskell, before 1668; she was Mrs. Berry in 1677; he removed to Marblehead in 1678, and was there in 1679. He was deceased in 1693. He had a son Edward, who came to Salem from Panton, Devon, England about 1676, being a weaver and seaman, and of Salem, 1677-1706.

—Records.

John, William and Oliver, children of John and Mary Berry, baptized in the East church in Salem Nov. 20, 1796.

Benjamin, son of Oliver and Mary Berry, baptized in East church in Salem Dec. 17, 1797.

—East church (Salem) records.

Abigail Berry of Lynn, singlewoman, 1794, 1797.

Jonathan Berry of Lynn, cordwainer, 1760-1762; wife Joanna, 1761, 1762.

John Berry of Salem, mariner, 1762-1764.

James Berry of Lynn, cordwainer, 1764-1790, wife Mary, 1765-1790.

James Berry, jr., of Lynn, cordwainer, wife Sarah, 1789.

James Berry of Lynn, gentleman, 1786.

John Felt of Danvers, yeoman, and wife Catherine, in her own right, Mary Ives of Beverly, widow Elizabeth Stone of Salem, widow, Oliver Berry, yeoman, and John Berry, jr., both of Salem, and Abigail Valpy of Boston and Paul Gowin and wife Elizabeth, in her right, of Cape Persue, N. S., conveyed to John Berry, mariner, and Abigail Berry, spinster, both of Salem, descendants of John Berry of Salem, mariner, deceased, land in Salem, 1784, 1788.

—Registry of deeds.

James Berry of Lynn, gentleman, appointed administrator of the estate of Thomas Berry, of Lynn, cordwainer, May 2, 1780. His heirs were Jonathan Berry, Jonathan Newhall, Jacob Newhall, Mary Berry and Hannah Berry, and Mary Berry signed in behalf of her husband who was in the Continental army.

Sarah Berry appointed administratrix of the estate of her late husband Peter Berry of Ipswich, deceased, March 30, 1693. He was probably a mariner.

—Probate records.

John Beery of Ipswich (servant of Captain Perse), 1669.

Elizabeth Berry of Beverly, 1669.

John Berry married Hannah Hodgkins Jan. 17, 1670, in Ipswich.

Hannah, wife of John Berry, died May 29, 1676, in Ipswich.

Jon^a Berry married Joanna Riddan Oct. 29, 1759, in Lynn.

—County records.

Francis Michael Bequet married Miss Sarah Wigglesworth, both of Newburyport, Sept. 18, 1793.—*Newburyport town records.*

Benjamin Berson, jr., published to Judith Getchel Nov. 2, 1717.—*Newbury town records.*

Anthony Bessey of Lynn came in the James, 1635, from London, aged twenty-six; removed to Sandwich, 1637; was for many years active in holy service to the Indians. See 3 Mass. Hist. Coll., IV, 184. His will of Feb. 10, 1657, names wife Jane, children Ann, Mary, Elizabeth,

Nehemiah, and David, born May 23, 1649. The inventory of his estate was taken May 21, 1657.—*Savage*.

John Besom of Marblehead aged fourteen in 1668-9.

John Bessom of Marblehead, 1670.

—*County records*.

Widow Mary Basom appointed administratrix of the estate of her husband Elias Basom of Marblehead, deceased, July 12, 1734.

Administration granted upon the estate of Charles Besom of Marblehead, tailor, Nov. 27, 1752.

—*Probate records*.

Children of Nicholas and Rebecca Bessom, baptized: John, March 26, 1727; Mary, Aug. 4, 1728; Elizabeth, Feb. 21, 1730-1; John, April 1, 1733; Rebecca, April 25, 1736; Nicholas, Nov. 4, 1739; ———, April 26, 1741.—*Marblehead records*.

Capt. Philip Besom¹ lived in Marblehead, 1751-1797; shoreman and yeoman; owned schooner *Peacock*; married Sarah Bubier Sept. 30, 1751; he died in 1797, his will, dated Sept. 1, 1791, being proved Nov. 8, 1797; she survived him, and was his widow in 1799; in his will he mentioned children of my son "Joseph Brown, deceased." Children, baptized in Marblehead: 1. *Ruth*², baptized Aug. 16, 1752; married William Blaney Sept. 19, 1771; and was living in 1791. 2. *Margaret*², baptized Oct. 14, 1753; died young. 3. *Sarah*², baptized Oct. 13, 1754; married ——— Barker before 1791. 4. *Margaret*², baptized Nov. 7, 1756; married ——— Grant before 1791. 5. *John*², baptized Oct. 1, 1758; was devised land in Lyndeborough, N. H., by his father, 1791. 6. *Philip*², baptized July 13, 1760; lived in Marblehead; mariner; married, first, Ruth Collyer Feb. 11, 1779; second, Elizabeth (Betsey) Lewis Jan. 27, 1795; he died March —, 1836; his wife Betsey was living in 1818; his children, born in Marblehead: 1. *Ruthy*³, born March 23, 1781; married Samuel Stennis (published Dec. 16, 1797); 2. *Sarah*³, born Feb. 9, 1784; married Elea-

zer Graves before 1818; 3. *Elizabeth*³, born April 30, 1786; probably died young; 4. *Hannah*³, born Nov. 7, 1789; died young; 5. *Martha*³, born Nov. 16, 1791; married John Tucker in 1818; 6. *Philip*³, born Nov. 19, 1795; living in 1818; 7. *Hannah*³, born June 24, 1797; unmarried in 1818; 8. *Tabitha Lewis*³, born July 5, 1799; married John C. Cloon Feb. 15, 1818; 9. *Miriam Lewis*³, born May 31, 1801; died young; 10. *Miriam Lewis*³, born Aug. 31, 1802; married Eleazer Graves, jr., in or before 1818; 11. *Abigail Lewis*³, born Jan. 16, 1804; unmarried in 1818; 12. *Edmund Lewis*³, born Sept. 8, 1805; living in 1818; 13. *John Russell*³, born May 1, 1807; probably died before 1818; 14. *William Gray*³, born June 23, 1809; living in 1818; 15. *George Washington*³, born Sept. 13, 1811; living in 1818; 16. *Betsey Lewis*³, born Dec. 19, 1812; living in 1818. 7. *Grace*², baptized April 18, 1762; married Joseph Nance Jan. 20, 1784; and died before 1791, leaving children. 8. *Joseph*², baptized Feb. 12, 1764; probably died before 1791. 9. *Jane*², baptized Oct. 20, 1765; married Francis Freeto Sept. 8, 1785. 10. *Mary*², married Samuel Chinn July 28, 1787. 11. *Susannah*², baptized June 11, 1769; married William Strong Oct. 26, 1790. 12. *Elizabeth*², baptized Feb. 17, 1771; died young. 13. *Elizabeth*², baptized Dec. 18, 1774; married Paul A. Caul Jan. 29, 1792. 14. *Hannah*², baptized Sept. 29, 1776; married Thomas Anderton March 23, 1794. 15. *William*², living in 1791.

Richard Bessom married Sarah Gale July 31, 1753; lived in Marblehead, 1753-1798; fisherman, coaster, truckman and yeoman; wife Sarah living in 1776. Children, baptized in Marblehead: Sarah, baptized May 5, 1754; Jane, baptized May 16, 1756; married Peter Sawins June 2, 1778; Mary, baptized Jan. 8, 1758; died young; Richard, baptized Dec. 23, 1759; John, baptized Nov. 1, 1761; died young; Mary, baptized June 5, 1763; married Joseph Pedrick Jan. 28, 1787; John, baptized Aug. 25, 1765;

died young; Susannah, baptized Aug. 28, 1768; died young; John, baptized Sept. 9, 1770; Susannah, baptized Sept. 13, 1772; married Philip Ramsdell June 3, 1792; Richard, baptized Feb. 5, 1775; Jonas, baptized Sept. 15, 1776.

Nicholas Besome married, first, Elizabeth Lasky March 18, 1784; she was his wife in 1805; married, second, Hannah —; lived in Marblehead; fisherman; and died June —, 1838; children, baptized in Marblehead: Elizabeth, baptized July 11, 1785; Nicholas, baptized Sept. 21, 1788; died young; Nicholas, baptized June 5, 1791; died young; Nicholas, baptized Oct. 28, 1792; John, baptized Nov. 23, 1794; Richard Hawley, baptized July 29, 1796; died young; Polly, baptized Sept. 3, 1797; James Laskey, baptized Jan. 19, 1800; Richard Hawley, baptized Nov. 20, 1805.

John Bessom married Hannah Laskey Dec. 29, 1793; lived in Marblehead; coaster and truckman; children, baptized in Marblehead: Hannah, Feb. 1, 1795; John, June 26, 1796; Sarah Gale, Oct. 22, 1797; Peggy Hawley, March 17, 1799; Richard, May 18, 1800; James Laskey, Jan. 9, 1803; Jonas, May 27, 1804; Nicolas, Sept. 7, 1806; Elizabeth, Oct. 29, 1809; Mary, June 16, 1811; Philip, May 16, 1813; Harriot, Sept. 10, 1815.

—*Records.*

Richard Bessom, jr., married Hannah Bowden May 15, 1796; and lived in Marblehead, where their children were baptized, as follows: Hannah, April 10, 1796; Richard, Dec. 17, 1797; Michael, Nov. 10, 1799; Sarah, Dec. 6, 1801; John, Nov. 27, 1803.

Joseph Besome married Rebecca Chinn Feb. 28, 1786; and lived in Marblehead, where their children were baptized, as follows: Philip, Aug. 20, 1786; Rebecca, Feb. 27, 1791; Joseph, Jan. 26, 1794.

John, son of John and Mary Bezume, baptized Aug. 28, 1757.

Margaret, daughter of John and Margaret Bezume, baptized Oct. 11, 1761.

Elias Bessom married widow Mary Cogswell July 12, 1725.

Rebecca Bezume married Joseph Stacey March 31, 1757.

Elizabeth Bezume married Charles Flurey July 7, 1754.

—*Marblehead records.*

John Best¹, born about 1642; currier; lived in Salem, 1670-1711; married, first, Susanna Durin 10: 8 mo: 1670; second, Edith Hull Feb. 1, 1692-3; he died June 17, 1711, in his seventieth year; and she was his widow in 1748. Children, born in Salem: 1. *John*², born 5: 7 mo: 1671; living in 1704. 2. *Susannah*², born 28: 11: 1673; married John Messenger of Rhode Island (of Long Island, 1712), yeoman, before 1708. 3. *William*², mariner; lived in Newport, R. I.; died in 1712, probably unmarried; his will dated Jan. 6, 1711, being bound on a voyage to sea, was proved Sept. 1, 1712, devised to "my cousin Joseph Best of Salem." 4. *Jonathan*², lived in Salem; sailor on the ship Essex, Capt. William Bowditch, master; died on the ship, apparently unmarried, in 1700; he made a nuncupative will at sea on Christmas day, 1700; and it was proved May 27, 1701. 5. *Benjamin*², under age in 1700; living in 1704, and apparently unheard of in 1708. 6. *Mary*² (twin), born Sept. 20, 1693; died in about three weeks. 7. *Judith*² (twin), born Sept. 20, 1693; was living in 1704. 8. *David*², born Feb. 20, 1694-5; currier; lived in Salem; married Lydia Kimball of Wenham Jan. 20, 1719-20; died in 1730, his will, dated May 18, 1730, being proved Aug. 31, 1730; she survived him; children, born in Salem: 1. *John*³, born March 22, 17—; living in 1730; 2. *Elizabeth*³, married Stephen Webb of Salem Nov. 27, 1746; 3. *Lydia*³, living in 1730; 4. *Mary*³, married Nathaniel Nurse of Salem Nov. 7, 1754. 9. *Mary*², born Sept. 20, 1696; died in her tenth year. 10. *Sarah*², born Aug. 14, 1698; living in 1704.—*Records.*

John Best of Salem, tailor, came in the *Hercules*, 1635, from Sandwich, was of St. George, city of Canterbury.—*Savage.*

James Best of Salem, wife Mary (daughter of James Frie, deceased), was dead in 1735; children: James, aged under fourteen years in 1735; and Ellenor, aged under fourteen in 1735, and probably married Timothy Gray May 3, 1748, in Andover.—*Probate records and Andover town records.*

James, son of James Bettée, born in Wenham April 8, 1666. Thomas, son of James Bette, born in Wenham 4: 11 mo: 1667.

James Bettis of Wenham, 1668.

Richard Bettes of Ipswich, 1651.

Richard Betts of Ipswich, 1651, 1653.

Richard Bettes of Gloucester, 1658.

James Bette was apprenticed to Isaac Hull, cooper, 24: 4: 1673.

Betty (negro) married Titus Sept. 17, 1755, in Lynn.

—*Court records.*

James Bette of Wenham, husbandman, wife Sarah, 1662, 1673.—*Registry of deeds.*

Miss Usina Bezune of Marblehead married Samuel Cresey of Newburyport June 1, 1773.

Margaret Bezune married John Rogers Aug. 29, 1784.

—*Marblehead town records.*

John Bezune of Marblehead published to widow Ruth Whittemore of Salem March 4, 1775.

John Bezune published to Eliz^a Leach, both of Salem, Dec. 27, 1777.

Mary, daughter of James and Sara Betty, born 9: 9: 1661.

Rev. Ben^h Benott (?) of Salem published to Madam Mary Colman of Boston Sept. 16, 1748.

Sarah Best published to W^m Stacey, both of Salem, Jan. 24, 1735. She forbade it, as he never courted her.

Sarah Best published to Michael More, both of Salem, June 10, 1738.

—*Salem town records.*

Mary Best published to John Fern, both of Lynn, Aug. 16, 1747.—*Lynn town records.*

Bette married Cuff, negro servants, Sept. 16, 1762.—*Andover town records.*

Esther Bettys married Samuel Morse Aug. 18, 1793.—*Bradford town records.*

Robert Bettis published to Elcy Bridges, both of Rowley, Dec. 9, 1796.—*Rowley town records.*

Richard Betts of Ipswich, 1648, said to have come from Hemel Hempstead, county Herts, removed to Newton, L. I., 1656; there was in high esteem many years; and died Nov. 18, 1713, at the age of one hundred (?). By wife Joanna,* Riker says, he had Richard; Thomas; Joanna, who married John Scudder; Mary, who married Joseph Swazey; Martha, who married Philip Ketchum; Elizabeth, who was first wife of Joseph Sackett; and Sarah, who married Edward Hunt.—*Savage.*

Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas and Mary Bette, born May 19, 1737.—*Amesbury town records.*

Richard Bethell published to Hannah Manning, Salem, June 9, 1711.—*Salem town records.*

Hannah, wife of Richard Bethell, died Dec. 22, 1736, aged forty-seven.—*Charter street burial-ground, Salem.*

Richard Bethell of Salem, tailor, 1722-1747; wife Hannah, 1731-1747.—*Registry of deeds.*

Wife of William Bethel died Sept. 14, 1791, aged forty-five years.

Infant child of William Bethel died April 28, 1794.

William Bethel married Mary Smith May 24, 1792.

Ruth Betels of Manchester published to David Rust Oct. 8, 1763.

—*Ipswich town records.*

James Beveredge married Sarah Holman Feb. 7, 1733-4; and had children, Susannah, Mary and Jane, all of Marblehead, singlewomen, their mother, Sarah Beverage, widow, being deceased, 1789.—*Marblehead town records, and Registry of deeds.*

David Beverly¹ of Haverhill married Hannah Farnum of Andover Nov. 11,

*He married Joanna Chamberlyn before 1649.—*Ipswich court records.*

1720; and lived in Andover. Children, born in Andover: 1. *James*², born Jan. 19, 1723-4. 2. *Hannah*², born Jan. 24, 1725-6; died March 2, 1729. 3. *Mary*², born Feb. 2, 1728-9; married Asa Town of Andover April 6, 1750. 4. *Hannah*², born Sept. 11, 1731; married Aaron Town of Andover Oct. 15, 1755. 5. *David*², born Feb. 12, 1733-4; died June 9, 1738. 6. *John*², born Nov. 22, 1737; died May 26, 1738. 7. *David*², born Aug. 2, 1739; married Ruth Clough July 7, 1763; she was his wife in 1787; yeoman; lived in Andover, 1739-1787; children, born in Andover: 1. Jedediah³, born Oct. 17, 1765; 2. David³, born Aug. 3, 1767; 3. Daniel³, born Aug. 21, 1775; 4. Asa³, born Oct. 9, 1776. 8. *Tabitha*², born May 5, 1741-2; published to Stephen Wyatt of Danvers Aug. 13, 1763. 9. *John*², born April 19, 1744. 10. *Samuel*², born Aug. 8, 1748; published to Ruth Conner of Salisbury April 8, 1775.* —*Records*.

Tabitha Beverly of Danvers published to Silas Johnson, resident in Danvers, Oct. 7, 1780.—*Danvers town records*.

John Beverly married Lydia Hildreth of Andover Nov. 13, 1777; children: Joel, born March 5, 1794; Phebe, born Aug. 25, 1798.

Martha, "a Legitemat" daughter of Hannah Beverly, born Oct. 21, 1754.

Edward Bevins married Mary Clark Dec. 10, 1729.

—*Andover town records*.

Francis Beverly married Rhoda Devereux, free negroes, both of Salem, April 8, 1779.—*Salem town records*.

Mercy Giddings, Nancy her daughter, born April 29, 1751, her father William Bezoil.

Nancy Bezoil married Nicholas Lane March 10, 1771.

—*Gloucester town records*.

Thomas Bettes (Bettice—*church records*) of Wenham married Mary Dike of

*Samuel Beverly of St. John's, Newfoundland, married Ruth Connor of Newbury (she was published in Newbury also) Nov. 11, 1776.—*West Parish church (Newbury) records*.

Ipswich April 3, 1696.—*Topsfield town records*.

Ann, daughter of Stephen Billion, a Frenchman, who sojourned among us, himself and wife being in full communion with ye French church in Boston, Jan. 17, 1719-20.—*Beverly First church records*.

Administration was granted on the estate of Dr. William Bickham (spelled in one place "Beacom") of Salem, physician, Dec. 16, 1700. Bartholmew Browne of Salem had supported him for a year before his death.—*Probate records*.

Benjamin Bickner married Mary Littlehail Aug. 11, 1719; children: Mary, born Oct. 6, 1720; Benjamin, born Feb. 1, 1722; died Feb. 10, 1722; and Samuel, born Jan. 31, 1723.

Samuel Bickner, sojourner, married Abigail Littlehale May 11, 1760.

—*Gloucester town records*.

Anna, wife of Christopher Bidlacke died Dec. 13, 1692.

Mary, daughter of Christopher and Sarah Bidlake, born Aug. 15, 1694.

—*Ipswich town records*.

Rebecca, daughter of Rev. John Hale and his wife Rebecca, daughter of Mr. Henry Bile, late of the city of Sarum, in England, born April 28, 1666.—*Salem town records*.

Daniel Biggs married Eunice Nurse Dec. 19, 1774, in Danvers.—*Court records*.

Robert Biggs of Salem, a foreigner, married Ruth Presson of Wenham Feb. 25, 1752; lived in Manchester; he died between 1757 and 1763; she died, his widow, in Manchester Nov. —, 1770, aged forty-three or forty-four years; children, born in Manchester: Elizabeth, born May 27, 1755; Benjamin Presson, born Sept. 22, 1757.—*Records*.

Mary Boyles married Samuel Woodberry Feb. 7, 1771.—*Manchester town records*.

Elisha, son of Elisha Boyles, died March 7, 1759.

Mildred, daughter of Elisha and Mildred Byles, born April 29, 1759.

—*Lynn town records*.

Thomas Boyles of Marblehead, mariner, and his wife Mary, estate of "our mother" Ruth Gatchel of Salem, deceased, 1781.

Robert Hale of Beverly, clerk, conveyed land in Amesbury, formerly in possession of my grandmother Rebecca Biley, in 1701.

—*Registry of deeds.*

Anna Byles published to David Millet Jan. 26, 1745.

Rabine Byles published to Prince, blacks, Dec. 24, 1775.

Sarah Byles published to Henry Edgar Dec. 3, 1768. He was lost at sea.

Sarah Byles published to Andrew Eveleth Aug. 10, 1765.

—*Gloucester town records.*

Elizabeth, daughter of Henry and Sarah Bighted, baptized July 2, 1769.—*Marblehead church records.*

Rev. Benjamin Bill published to Mrs. Rebecca White of South Hampton Dec. 16, 1784.—*Amesbury town records.*

Mrs. Rebecka Biley of Salisbury in England married John Hale, son of Robert Hale, late deacon of Charlestown, Dec. 15, 1664, at Ipswich.

Bilhah, daughter of George and Dinah, baptized Feb. 7, 1747.

—*Ipswich records.*

Charles Bill married Ruth Fuller May 18, 1732.—*Lynn town records.*

Ann, daughter of John Bill, baptized June 21, 1674.—*Rowley church records.*

Administration granted on the estate of Jose Billabaso of Salem, mariner, a native of Bilboa, in Spain, Nov. 6, 1799.—*Probate records.*

William Bigelow married Margaret Lander, both of Salem, Jan. 13, 1799.

John Bigs (also, Biggs) of Danvers published to Sally Thornton of Salem July 21, 1798.

Sarah Bignal married George Day May 20, 1726.

Zachariah Birchmore married Sarah Daniels, both of Salem, Jan. 8, 1770.

John Billingham married Hannah Peters, both of Salem, June 17, 1782.

—*Salem town records.*

Binah (freewoman) married Peter, servant of Samuel Adams, Nov. 25, 1776.—*Ipswich town records.*

Dulcena Lothrop Bingham, schoolmaster, 1792, shopkeeper, 1796; deacon; town clerk; justice of peace; lived in Manchester; married Deborah Lee Tuck Jan. 31, 1788; he died, "sudden," Oct. 25, 1837, aged "seventy-three;" she died, his widow, Sept. 18, 1840, aged "seventy"; children, born in Manchester: Delucena Lathrop, born Feb. 5, 1789; married Mary —; died Oct. 7, 1842, of consumption; Mary L., born March 18, 1790; Rufus Lathrop, born Nov. 10, 1791; Debby, born May 23, 1793; Lucretia Huntington, born July 14, 1795; William T., born April 8, 1797; Lucinda, born Aug. 3, 1798; Aurelia T., born Oct. 4, 1800; Luther, born Aug. 11, 1803; Henry Lee Tuck, born May 8, 1805; Elisabeth Sewal, born Oct. 4, 1819 (1809?).—*Records.*

William Bingley married Elizabeth Preston Feb. 27, 1659-60; Children: A daughter born June 24, 1660; William, born Feb. 24, 1661-2; a daughter, born Feb. 27, 1663-4.

Elizabeth Bingley married John Chase May 23, 1677.

Hannah Barnet married Joshua Boynton April 9, 1678.

—*Newbury town records.*

Elizabeth Burch was appointed administratrix of the estate of her husband George Burch, deceased, intestate, 22:9:1672. His children were Elizabeth, John, Mary, Abigail and George, the boys being under twenty-one years old, and the girls under eighteen.—*Probate records, and Court records.*

A guardian was appointed for James Burch, aged fifteen years, son of James Burch, late of Topsfield, husbandman, deceased, April 4, 1770.—*Probate records.*

James Birch published to Sarah Gale Dec. 13, 1788.—*Danvers town records.*

James Birch married Sarah Warren, sojourner, Feb. 10, 1725-6.—*Gloucester town records.*

Widow Elizabeth Cole of Salem, formerly wife of George Burch of Salem, deceased, John Collins, fisherman, and wife Mary, Abigail Burch, singlewoman, said Mary and Abigail being ye surviving children of said George Burch, deceased, all of Salem, 1719.

Abigail Birch of Salem, spinster, daughter of George Birch, 1726.

—*Registry of deeds.*

Sarah, daughter of James Birch, "in full communion with the New North in Boston," baptized Jan. 1, 1726-7.—*Manchester church records.*

Hannah Bird of Marblehead appointed administratrix of the estate of her husband John Bird of Marblehead, fisherman, Jan. 5, 1767.

Administration was granted on the estate of Ralph Bird of Salem, fisherman, May 7, 1717.

—*Probate records.*

Samuel Bird published to Sally Elwell Sept. 11, 1790.—*Gloucester town records.*

Easter Birthby married John Dole Jan. 24, 1716, in Rowley.

Thomas Birtby married Mary Harris Feb. 3, 1718, in Rowley.

Jonathan Birtby married Hannah Platts Dec. 26, 1722, in Rowley.

Benjamin Bickner married Mary Littlehale Aug. 11, 1719, in Gloucester.

Sarah Bignal married George Day May 20, 1726, in Salem.

John Burd of Marblehead, aged about thirty, 1665.

Gilles Burdley of Ipswich, 1663, 1666, cousin of Andrew Hodges of Ipswich.

Jonathan Biley (of Wenham, 1670) married Sarah Gouldsmith Sept. 29, 1668, in Wenham.

Phillip Bill of Ipswich removed to Pullen Point, 1668.

Mrs. Bidgood of Ipswich apart from her husband, 1652.

Thomas Billington of Lynn, 1647, 1649, 1650, employed at the iron works, 1650.

John Birchley of Ipswich, 1647.

Henry Birdsall of Salem, 1643. Inventory of his estate taken Nov. 17, 1651.

—*Court records.*

• Jathniel Bird of Ipswich had grant of land, 1641; and there was a widow Bird there the same year.

Giles Birdley of Ipswich, 1648, had wife Elizabeth, and children, Andrew, born Sept. 5, 1657, James, born Feb. 10, 1660, Giles, born July 13, 1662, and John, died in 1668.

—*Savage.*

Widow Sarah Boils of Beverly, 1757.

Jonthan Boiles of Beverly, weaver, 1688.

—*Registry of deeds.*

Aug. 1, 1727, James Biles accused by Mary Mathews of Salem with being the father of her bastard son born "last February."—*Sessions court (Salem) records, page 47.*

John Bird married Miriam Allen Feb. 24, 1708. Children: Rebecca, baptized April 24, 1709; John, born March 25, 1711; Meriam, born Aug. 20, 1712; John, baptized April 25, 1714; John, born Sept. 18, 1724.

John Bird married Mary Brown July 16, 1744. Children: Meriam, baptized Dec. 2, 1744; Mary, baptized Sept. 14, 1746; Elizabeth, baptized Jan. 1, 1749; Martha, baptized Sept. 8, 1751; John, baptized Dec. 2, 1753; Sarah Brown, baptized Oct. 10, 1756; Benjamin, baptized Nov. 19, 1758; Benjamin, baptized Nov. 18, 1759; Rebeckah, baptized June 20, 1762.

Daniel Bird married Sarah Blaney Dec. 12, 1789. Children: Jenny Miller, baptized Feb. 21, 1790; Daniel, baptized March 3, 1793; Mary Brown, baptized July 6, 1795; Sally, baptized Dec. 2, 1798; Hannah Blaney, baptized Nov. 16, 1800.

Jonathan Bird married Ruth Hayne Jan. 11, 1725.

Miriam Bird married Germain Seal Jan. 22, 1733.

John Bird married Hannah Duggins Dec. 12, 1764.

Mary Bird married James Brown Jan. 16, 1768.

—*Marblehead records.*

Peter Bird published to Mrs. Sarah Colby, both of Newburyport, Dec. 1, 1781.

Miss Elizabeth Bird married David Wood, both of Newburyport, Jan. 22, 1795.

—*Newburyport town records.*

Elizabeth Bird of Marblehead married James Symonds, 4th, of Salem Jan. 2, 1770.

Miss Miriam Bird married Jonas Parnel, jr., both of Salem, Aug. 25, 1773.

Martha Bird married Samuel Gale, both of Salem, Feb. 8, 1775.

Sarah Bird published to Nathaniel Pease, both of Salem, Dec. 9, 1775.

Sally Bird married Abraham Mullit (Mullet—*publishment*), both of Salem, Jan. 18, 1789.

—*Salem town records.*

Administration on the estate of John Bird was granted to Moses Maverick in Ipswich court March 31, 1668.—*Court records.*

Nathan Birdsall of Salem, 1654.—*Registry of deeds.*

Thomas Birkley married Bathsheba Vinning Nov. 2, 1710. Their son William born Aug. 11, 1711.—*Marblehead town records.*

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

445. Elizabeth Masury of Lynn, Mass., married Samuel Peabody of Salem about 1805. Her mother was a Mansfield. Information is desired as to the full names of her parents and the dates of her birth, marriage and death; also, any other data as to her father, including genealogy and participation, if any, in the Revolution.

New York City.

H. B.

446. William Marshall of Brookline, Mass., had a daughter Rebecca who married Samuel Barry of Boston Nov. 30, 1802. Information is desired as to the genealogy of William Marshall and whether he participated in any manner in the Revolution.

H. B.

447. M. A. Allen of 2640 Indiana Avenue, Chicago, Ill., is preparing a genealogy of the family of William Allen of Salisbury, and would like to be put in communication with any one interested.

448. Where can list of passengers, and their origin, of "Angel Gabriel" and its master, cast away at Pemaquid, 1635, be obtained, leading to Ralph Bleasdale's origin (a passenger)?

Minot, N. Dak.

A. B.

ANSWERS.

306. Sarah Hovey, who married Jonathan Remington of Rowley (later of Suffield, Conn.) June 11, 1701, was undoubtedly a daughter of Nathaniel Hovey, who was born in Ipswich March 20, 1657. Her mother was Sarah Fuller. Miss Hovey was born in Ipswich in September, 1680.—*Ed.*

307. Elizabeth Lull of Rowley, who married Richard Tyler in 1725, was probably daughter of Thomas Lull, sr., of Ipswich, weaver, who was born Oct. 17, 1637, and died in Ipswich Dec. 31, 1719.—*Ed.*

314. Mary Bodwell who married Timothy Merrick in Methuen Dec. 5, 1728, was daughter of James Bodwell of Methuen, yeoman, who died there in 1746. Mr. Bodwell's will, dated March 19, 1745, was proved July 7, 1746. He mentions his sons Stephen Bodwell and James Bodwell, daughters Mary, wife of Timothy Mirick, and Hannah, wife of John Hibbard, jr., and second wife Sarah.—*Ed.*

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

NOTES FOR THE GUIDANCE OF AUTHORS. New York, 1905. This is a pamphlet of sixty-six 32 mo. pages, useful to authors in the submission of manuscripts to publishers.

THE IRISH VANGUARD OF RHODE ISLAND. By Thomas Hamilton Murray. Boston, 1904. This is a pamphlet of twenty-

seven octavo pages relative to the Irish who were early in Rhode Island. It is interesting and valuable ; and is published by the American-Irish Historical Society, 36 Newbury Street, Boston, Mass.

CONCERNING GENEALOGIES. *By Frank Allaben.* New York, 1905. This is a bound book of seventy-one duodecimo pages, containing excellent advice and suggestions for all interested in genealogical work and in the preparation of the history of a family. It is published by The Grafton Press, 70 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

SOME VOICES FROM Y^E OLDEN TIME : Historical notes relating to the Irish element in early American life. *By Thomas Hamilton Murray.* Boston, 1904. This is a pamphlet of 27 octavo pages, and is a collection of odd notes relating to the Irish in America in the colonial and provincial days. This is also published by the American-Irish Historical Society, 36 Newbury street, Boston, Mass.

VITAL RECORDS OF MARBLEHEAD, MASS. Salem, 1904, 1905. The Essex Institute has completed the printing of the births, baptisms, intentions of marriages, marriages and deaths in Marblehead before 1850. The first volume, containing the births and baptisms was issued last year, and the second volume, which includes the marriages and intentions and deaths, has just been issued. The two volumes aggregate 1272 pages, and are sold, bound in cloth, for \$13.20. Perhaps more demands have been made for the collection and printing of the Marblehead vital records than for those of any other town because the town records are so meagre and the index so poor. In this work, as heretofore, are records from gravestone inscriptions, church records and family bibles. The address of the Essex Institute is Salem, Mass.

THE OLD SHIPMASTERS OF SALEM : With mention of eminent Merchants. *By Chas. E. Trow.* New York, 1905. This interesting and valuable addition to the written

history of Salem's commercial life is issued in an attractive manner, and will be read by thousands who are glad to have such sketches as these preserved. Much of the material was gathered by the author from original sources, principally from log-books. There is not much in the way of biography in the volume, the aim of the writer having been to show the type of men who were in command upon the seas, and their life and times. The book is well illustrated with half-tone portraits of several sea-captains, merchants and others, of houses and vessels, and other half-tone and line prints. It is bound in cloth, and contains 337 pages. The publishers are G. P. Putnam's Sons, New York City ; and the price is \$2.50; twenty cents to be added if sent by mail.

THE HOUSE OF THE SEVEN GABLES. *By Nathaniel Hawthorne.* Boston, 1905. This is a specially illustrated edition of this famous story of Hawthorne with aids to the study of the house of the seven gables described therein. Mrs. H. A. Davidson has made this an edition fitted for the exhaustive study of the work. The frontispiece is a drawing of the house which figures in the story as the house of the seven gables. The drawing has been made from the many references to and minute descriptions of it in the story, all being consistent with each other. The effort was made to reproduce the house the author described whether it ever existed in fact or not. The study is divided into the subject of the Hawthorne family, the author's childhood, youth, college life, and subsequent life in Salem, Concord and Lenox ; the story and its scene ; the Pyncheon ancestry, family history and mansion ; the Maule family ; the opening of the shop, and subsequent events and characters in the story. Much matter is given in both novel and notes illustrative of life and times but little known to-day. The book is cloth-bound, and has 423 pages. Price, 60 cents. It is published by Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston.

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SUFFOLK COUNTY DEEDS.

VOLUME I.

THE following are abstracts of all records in volume I. of the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds relating to Essex-county persons and property, where parties are given as residing, or property is mentioned as being located in Essex county. The records in this volume come down to 1654.

Tho. Mayhew of Watertown, merchant, mortgaged to Rich: Dumer of Newbery, gentleman, farm of five hundred acres in Watertown, which he bought of Simon Bradstreet, gentleman, and all the weire and one hundred and fifty acres of land thereto belonging, 29: 7: 1640.—*Page 13.*

Tho: Dexter of Lynne mortgaged to Mathew Cradock of London, merchant, farm at Lynn, 29 June, 1640.—*Page 14.*

Ephraim Child of Watertown conveyed to Simon Bradstreet of Ipswich dwelling-house in Watertown and one hundred acres of land, 12 Sept. 1638.—*Page 15.*

Thomas Mayhew of Watertown conveyed to Simon Bradstreet of Ipswich farm of five hundred acres in Cambridge and buildings, 29 Sept. 1638.—*Page 15.*

Tho: Dexter of Linne mortgaged to Humfrey Hooke (alderman of Bristoll and others) farm of eight hundred acres in Linn, 20 Aug. 1640.—*Page 15.*

Rich Barnhowse and Edward Heale bond to pay money to Will Pester of Salem, Sept. 2, 1638. Witness: Nathaniell Pittman.—*Page 17.*

Samuell Wade, late of Linne, appoints William Ting of Boston (attorney of Richard Wollestone) and Thomas Savage of Boston (attorney of Richard Gerrard of London) his attorneys to sell his house

at Linn, and land bought of Goodman Collins, Joseph Armitage, in rumlye marsh and elsewhere in Linn, 20: 8: 1641.—*Page 23.*

Thomas Mayhew of Watertown mortgaged land to James Brown of Newbery 25: 3: 1642.—*Page 27.*

Thomas Dexter of Lynn mortgaged to Rebecka Cradocke of London, widow, his fishing ware at Lynn, Sept. 2, 1642.—*Page 29.*

Emmanuell Downing, Edward Holyoke and Samuell Sharpe, referees, decide the suit for slander brought by Mr. John Humfrey, esq., against John Holgrave of Salem, 5: 7^{mo}: 1642. Mr. Adam Otley appeared for the plaintiff.—*Page 33.*

Adam Otley and Thomas Dexter of Linne sold to Richard Russell thirty sheep and lambs in the hands of Goodman Belknap and James Axy of Linne and a bill due from Adam Hawks and three thousand clapboard bolts lying at "my Ladie Moodies Beach in Linne," Apr. 7, 1643.—*Page 42.*

Thomas Erington of Linne mortgaged to Robert Hethersay his house and land at Salem and corn at his house in Charlestowne, in consideration of ten thousand pipe staves cleaving by said Robert, Thomas to provide the bolts, 10: 5^{mo} 1643.—*Page 42.*

William Luckin of Marblehead mortgaged to Capt. Edward Gibbons two houses and land in the possession of W^m Chichester, to receive £14 claimed by Mr. Robert Tomson from John Thorpe, 18: 5: 1643.—*Page 43.*

James Hubbard of Long Island appoints Edward Tomlins of Linn his at-

torney to transfer house and land to Richard Lowden, Aug. 6, 1643. He conveyed the same, lying in Charlestowne, to Richard Lowden and Thomas Wilder 27 : 8 : 1643.—*Page 46.*

Thomas Ruck of Salem conveyed to Isaac Sterne of Watertowne 70 acres of land in Watertowne, which he bought of Captain Jennison, 2 : 9^{mo}. 1643.—*Page 46.*

John Stratton of Salem acknowledges indebtedness to Edmund Angier of Cambridge 1 : 12^{mo}. 1638. Edward Michison, marshall, says that he arrested "m^r Jn^o Stratton of Salem Merchn^t" on account of this debt, and that said John made over to said Edmund some goods in the hands of "m^r Jo Coggan," and that John Stratton has a frame of a house at Salem, 15 : 5 : 1641.—*Page 47.*

"Jo: Oliver late of the Cittye of Bristall Merc & now livinge in Newberye in New England aged 27" deposed that he received a letter from "Edward Benett the purser of the Marye Rose" desiring him to come and get a "packe" consigned to him by "M^r Simon Lewis of Bristall," and he went to Boston to get it, and went aboard with Tho. Millard's shallop, but could not get it. "Tho: Millard of Cape Anne in New: England ffisherman aged about 40 yeares" deposed that before the ship Mary Rose was blown up "he was entreated by M^r Jo: Olliver of Newberye in New England to go aboard said ship, which he did, but was refused his package, Aug. 25, 1640.—*Page 51.*

John Tinker of Windsor, Conn., conveys to "M^r Cullick of Harfford vp Conneticott" 6000 plank two or three inches thick, viz: 5000 lying on the banks of the fforrest River in Salem, which he bought of Will Brown of the same town, and 1000 to be delivered by John Jackson of the same town, June 2, 1644.—*Page 52.*

Thom Dexter of Linn mortgaged his farm at Linn to Simon Broadstreet Oct. 22, 1639.—*Page 52.*

Joseph Armitage conveyed to Rich. Russell of Charlston his house and land at Linn Dec. 10, 1640.—*Page 52.*

John Humfrye, esq., conveyed to Emanuell Downinge two ponds and fifty acres of upland in Salem 6 : 7^{mo} 1638.—*Page 52.*

John Pride mortgaged to Will Waltham of Waymouth house in which said John dwells with land at Salem Dec. 23, 1640.—*Page 52.*

Will Pester of Salem mortgaged to Charles Gott and John Horne his house and ground in Salem Oct. 20, 1641.—*Page 52.*

Samuell Skelton conveyed land in Salem to Lt. Rich^d Davenport Feb. 21, 1643.—*Page 53.*

John Elderkin conveyed to Samuell Bennett "ye new built Watermill in Linn" 16 : 7 : 1643.—*Page 53.*

Adam Oatley in behalf of "John Vm-freye Esq." conveyed to Raph Fogg "on frame of an howse & seller wth a quarter of an acre of Land neere ye Ponnds in Salem" 11 : 2^{mo}. 1644.—*Page 53.*

Jabesh Hacket of Linne transferred to "Susanna Hawkes the daughter of Adam Hawkes of Linne" money in the hands of Boniface Burton of Linne Village 5 : 9^{mo}. 1644.—*Page 54.*

"m^r Adam Otley" mortgaged to "m^r Richard Glover of London" land sometimes Goadham's, Cowdrey's, Daniel Howe's, all in Rumney Marsh, and land bought of Hen: Waltha and Job Sayre's; also, a house and land; also land in the possession of Goodma Tyler of Linne; and "marsh behind m^r Cobbetts house w^{ch} m^r King vsed the last yeare" 9 : 10^{mo}: 1644.—*Page 55.*

"James Parker of Strawberry banck" conveyed to Zaccheus Gould of Ipswich house and land in Waymouth, and land bought of Jeremie Gould, 26 : 9 : 1644.—*Page 56.*

Timothy Tomlins of Linne conveyed to Robert Bridges of Linne land bounded by Tho: Willis and Joseph Armitage June 14, 1641.—*Page 56.*

Emmanuell Downeing of Salem, esq., mortgaged to Tho: Fowle and John Winthrope, jr., esq., his mansion house and

land adjoining at Salem and land bought of m^r Endecot on South river, June 8, 1640. Ack. Dec. 20, 1644.—*Page 56.*

Emmanuell Downeinge of Salem, esq., enfeofed to John Winthrop of Charles-towne, esq., and Adam Winthrop of Boston, gent., his farm at Groton for his and his wife's lives, and afterward to the use of George Downeinge 23 : 5 : 1644.—*Page 57.*

"m^r Robert Saltonstall" mortgaged to "m^r Stephen Winthrop of Boston" "halfe his ffarme called the Pond ferme neere Salem (formerley m^r Humphreys)" 14 : 11 : 1644.—*Page 57.*

Zaccheus Gould of Ipswich conveyed to Capt. William Perkins, land in Waymouth bought of James Parker of Waymouth, April 2, 1645. Witnesses: Thomas Fowle and Robert Keine.—*Page 58.*

Nicholas Treroise of Charlstowne conveyed to Joshua Foote of London, ironmonger, house and lot in Charlstowne, and land in Linefield and elsewhere, 10 : 10 : 1644.—*Page 59.*

Increase Nowell, W^m Hibbins and Henry Dunster, feoffees of Josse Glover, late of Sutton, Sussexshire, dec'd, conveyed to Samuel Bennet of Linne a wind mill in Linne formerly in the possession of John Humphrey, esq., 22 : 3 : 1645. Witnesses: William Aspinwall, notary public, and Edward Michelsom.—*Page 66.*

Thomas Hudson of Linne conveyed to Thomas Hutchinson of Linne land adjoining "Goodman Townsends fferme" 22 : 10 : 1645 (?). Witnesses: William Aspinwall and John Arnold.—*Page 67.*

Thomas Dexter of Linn mortgaged to "m^r Symon Bradstreete" dwelling-house in Linn and farm of 600 acres, to be paid at Ipswich, 22 : 8 : 1639.—*Page 69.*

Thomas Dexter of Linne conveyed to Richard Leader of Boston, merchant, "agent for a certaine Company of Vnder-takers for an Iron worke," land, with an agreement to build fence toward Capt. Bridges' house and Tho : Dexter's land, 27 : 11 : 1645.—*Page 71.*

George Hawkins of Boston, shipwright, by letter of attorney from George

Richardson of Wapping, mariner, dated May 1, 1641, conveyed to William Dods land in Salem "neere the heade of Basse River, lately in the possession of Peter Palfrey," 28 : 7 : 1644.—*Page 74.*

Mary Allen, wife of Arnold Allen of Cascoe, appoints Edward ffletcher of Boston, cutler, her attorney to settle with Thomas Dexter of Linne July 8, 1645. Witnesses: Georg Cleeve and Richard Tucker.—*Page 75.*

Samuel Bennet of Linne acknowledges himself indebted to "m^r Increase Nowel m^r W^m Hibbins & m^r Henry Dunster ffeoffes in trust for the children of m^r Josse Glover . . . for a millne late bought of them," 22 : 3 : 1645.—*Page 77.*

Symon Bradstreete of Andover, gent., conveyed to Edward Jackson of Cambridge, "Nailor," farm of 500 acres lately in the tenure of Tho : Mayhew, 23 : 9 : 1646.—*Page 79.*

Stephen Dummer of Newberry, gent., acknowledges indebtedness to "my son in law Henry Sewall the yonger of Newberry," gent., "remainder of a Marriage portion formerly pmised to him wth my daughter Jane," payable "out of or for my estate or lands in Ould England," Oct. 5, 1646. Witnesses: Job Clements and W^m Wakefield.—*Page 79.*

"M^r Richard Lead^r Agent for the Company of vndertakers of the yron workes in N : E : acknowledges indebtedness to "Nicholas Davison of Charlstowne merch^t," and giving as security the interest of said company "in the ffarme & ware at Linne," Jan. 19, 1646.—*Page 80.*

Whereas Thomas Dexter of Linne, 20 : 4 : 1640, mortgaged his farm at Linne to Matthew Craddock, and mortgaged his ware at Lin, 2 : 7^{mo} : 1642, to "Rebecca Craddock of London Executrix to Matt : Craddock of London Merch^t; and whereas Richard Glover and Rebecca his wife executrix of said Matt : Crad : appointed Nicholas Davison their attorney therefor Feb. 12, 1645, said Nicholas discharges said mortgages and acquits Richard Leader on behalf "of the company of vn-

dertakers of the yron works in N : E :” Dec. 30, 1646.—*Page* 80.

Nathaniel Ward conveyed “to the College at Cambridge . . . all that ffarne of 600 Acres giuen mee by the Generall Court lyng neere Andevir by Merrimacke,” Dec. 10, 1646.—*Page* 81.

Thomas Dexter of Linne conveyed to Rich Leader “for the vse of the vnder-takers for the yron works his fferme at Linne” of 600 acres, May 1, 1647.—*Page* 82.

Agreement between Robert Andrewes of Ipswich and William ffrancklin of Boston. Mr. Andrewes daughter Alice was late wife of Mr. Franklin. She was deceased at this time, leaving a daughter Elizabeth ffrancklin, under the age of seventeen. Mr. Franklin’s present wife is Phoebe. Dated at Ipswich April 2, 1641. Witness : John Norton.—*Page* 85.

Robert Saltonstall requests the town of Watertowne to pay some money to Capt. Robert Bridges of Lynn, 12 : 9^{mo} : 1647.—*Page* 86.

Robert Saltonstall of Boston, gent., for his father Sir Rich : Saltonstall, assigns to Robt Bridges of Linne, gent., their claim against John Sherman or the town of Watertowne (Edward Carlton and John Johnson being arbitrators), 10 : 10 : 1647. Witnesses : William Aspinwall, Joseph Hills, Thomas Broughton and John Briscoe.—*Page* 88.

Raph Tompkins of Salem conveyed to John ffarham of Dorchester his house and lot, 2 : 4^{mo}. 1648. Witness : W^m Phillips.—*Page* 91.

ffrancis Johnson of Salem mortgaged to Nich : Davison of Charlestown mercht his fferme called Brookesby in the limits of Salem” Aug. 5, 1648.—*Page* 94.

Richard Littlehale of Haverhill mortgaged to Henry Webb of Boston his dwelling-house and land in Haverill, adjoining land of Samuel Gile, 27 : 8 : 1648.—*Page* 96.

Joseph Armitage of Linne mortgaged to Thomas Savage of Boston his now dwelling-house and stall and land in Linne June 4, 1648.—*Page* 96.

John Whittingham of Ipswitch conveyed to Bryom Pendleton his farm of 600 acres at Ipswich, and meadow, bounded by Wenham meadow, m^r Bradstreet, W^m Paine, 9 : 7^{mo}. 1648. Witnesses : Will : Paine and Richard Kemball.—*Page* 99.

Joseph Redknappe of Linne, cooper, conveyed to Capt. Ed : Tomlins of London, gent., land known as “Blackbush-aight, lying & being neere Hampton Court in the parish of Hampton & County of Middlesex,” Feb. 1, 1648. Witnesses : Robert Bridges, Henry Sandys and Edw : Burt.—*Page* 99.

John Porter of Salem conveyed to Nathaniell Baker of Hingham his house, barn and land in Hingham 15 : 1 : 1648.—*Page* 101.

Val : Hill of Boston mortgaged to Symon Bradstreete of Andover house and 500 acres of land upon Piscataqua river near Oyster river lately bought of Christ^f : Helmes and now in the possession of Darby ffield ; also, $\frac{1}{2}$ of saw-mill at Redding ; also, a bond of John Treworthy and Nicholas Shapley ; also, $\frac{1}{3}$ of cargo of ship Hope of Rotterdam, Gerrat Lombertson, “m^r,” and Paul Allestree, factor, 9 : 6^{mo}. 1649.—*Page* 106.

Valent Hill of Boston conveyed to Samuel Bennet of Lin Walker’s plain between Wading and Hammersmith, bounded by land of “m^r Leader and Lin river,” 29 : 9 : 1649.—*Page* 110.

Valentine Hill and John Leveret of Boston conveyed to Sam : Bennet of Lin 600 acres of land formerly purchased of m^r Thomas fflowle, bounded by Cap^t Robert Keines farm, and town lines of Charlestowne, Lin and Boston, Oct. 1, 1649. Witnesses : John Tincker and Robert Hubert.—*Page* 110.

Tho : Erington of Lin conveyed to Samuel Benet of Linn a farm in Charlestowne, bounded by Boston line, and land of M^r Bunker and John Chadock and Capt. Keine, Oct. 26, 1649.—*Page* 110.

Georg Halsall of Boston mortgaged to Richard Leader of Linne his wharf and ground in Boston, &c. (excepting house

and land he bought of m^r Clark), 14: 10: 1649.—*Page* 110.

Francis Johnson of Salem acknowledged indebtedness to M^r Rich: Russell of Charlstowne, and mortgaged "his fferme called Brookesby in the limits of Salem wth houses," etc., as security, 28: 9: 1649.—*Page* 111.

Francis Smith of Boston conveyed to George Keisar of Linne house & land in Boston, lately bought of Capt. Robt Keine, which was formerly the land of M^r Benjamin Keine, 25: 11: 1649.—*Page* 111.

Francis Smith of Boston, Card maker, conveyed to George Keisar of Lin house and land in Lin known as Benjamin Keine's house and land, &c., and fencings, poles, &c., 26: 11: 1649.—*Page* 111.

Matthew Chaffe mortgaged to Anthonie Stoddard his dwelling-house and land in Boston, and farm in Newbury, Nov. 26, 1649.—*Page* 113.

John Clarke mortgaged to Matthew Chaffe his dwelling-house and land in Boston, and sold to him his farm in Newbury, which he had mortgaged to John Ward, 27: 9: 1649.—*Page* 113.

W^m Hooke of Salisbury conveyed to Samuel Benet of Lin, land "giuen to him by an arbitration betwixt Tho: Dexter & him or his ffather Humfrey Hook by m^r Samuel Dudley m^r Mayhew m^r Jennings & Lieften^t Walker Arbitrator" "from his ffather Humphrey Hooke his brother W^m Hooke Robt Knight," March 15, 1649.—*Page* 117.

William Hudson of Boston mortgaged to m^r Symon Bradstreet of Andover "his warehouse in Boston over against the dwelling house of Joshua Scotto, w^{ch} warehouse was built by Major Nehemiah Bourne, 1: 4^{mo}. 1650.—*Page* 119.

Strong ffurnel of Boston mortgaged to W^m Browne of Salem his dwelling house in Boston, soap house, furnace, yard, etc., July 24, 1650.—*Page* 122.

Tho: Erington of Lin mortgaged to W^m Kilcup of Boston, two farms lately bought of W^m Knight and Richard Rooton, both of Lin, 25: 8: 1650. Also, an

agreement as to carrying on the works, 1: 11^{mo}: 1649. Witnesses: Edw. Burcham and Phinehas Pratt.—*Page* 129.

Thomas Hawkins of Boston mortgaged to m^r Symon Bradstreet his house built the last year in Boston, "between the land of John Smith & John Kenrick adioyneing to the lane that goes to the mil pond," for the security of money to be paid at the mortgagees dwelling house in Andover, 20: 9: 1650.—*Page* 130.

Danjell King of Lynne mortgaged to m^r Henry Shrimpton of Boston his house in Lynne wherein he nows dwells and land, "which howse and land was formerly m^r Benjamin Keajnes as also his Lott and orchard next the meeting howse which he bought of m^r wentworth Day As also that lott of ground which was formerly w^m fffewes next vnto the dwelling howse of the sajd Daniell King," Dec. 5, 1651. Witness: William Aspinwall, notary public.—*Page* 147.

Edward Rawson, late of Newbury, gent, conveyed to W^m Peelsbury of Dorchester, yeoman, my dwelling-house and forty acres of land in Newbury, bounded by land of John Pemberton, Henry Sewall, jr. and Wm. Elmsly and the highway, Dec. 13, 1651. Witnesses: Anthonie Stoddard and John Wisewall. The grantor's wife Rachel released dower.—*Page* 160.

Thomas Rucke of Boston, innkeeper, mortgages to Symon Bradstreet of Andover, gent (to secure money payable at the "South meeting howse a^t Boston"), my dwelling-house in Boston wherein I now dwell called "The Swan," Oct. 1, 1651. Witnesses: Tho Wyggin and George Halsae.—*Page* 162.

M^r Thomas Richards of weimouth, dec'd, bequeathed an annuity to his wife Welthean Richards, and the children agreed to allow her a full sum instead of the annuity, John Richards of Boston, merchant, son of the deceased, who held the estate in trust to pay the annuity, conveyed to his said mother house, mill and land in weimouth and a claim due from m^r George Corwine of Salem to said

estate, etc., Jan. 30, 1651. Witnesses: Edward Rawson and w^m Aspinwall.—*Page* 172.

Valentjne Hill of Boston, merchant, mortgaged to m^r Thomas Cobbett of Lynne, Clarke, Jane Skipper of Boston, spinster, and Joshua Scottow of Boston, merchant, land and sawmills in Dover at Oyster River, 18: 11: 1651. Witnesses: William Blanchard and Anthony Low.—*Page* 182.

Robert Starkweather (his W mark) of Ipswich, husbandman, conveyed to William Healy of Roxbury, husbandman, dwelling-house and land in Roxbury, now in grantee's tenure, bounded by land of Cap^t Prichard, etc., and lately given to me by my father John Roberts, Dec. 18, 1651. Witnesses: Daniell Brew^r and Jn^o Tincker.—*Page* 192.

Willjam Peelsbury of Dorchester mortgaged to Dep.-gov. Thomas Dudly of Roxbury dwelling-house and land in Newbury, which the grantor bought of Edward Rawson, March 29, 1652. Witnesses: Samuell finch and Jo Dudley.—*Page* 194.

John Stowe of Concord conveyed to John Pierpointe of Ipswich land and buildings in Rocksbury, bounded by land of Isacke Morrell, heirs of John Scarbrowe, John Stonnard, John Lewins, Richard Pepper, w^m Parke, John Rugles, Richard Woody, Abraham Newell, m^r John Elljott. willjam Heath, Isacke Heathe, Nathaniell Stow, willjam Cheny, 20: 4: 1648. Witnesses: Richard Peacocke and Thomas Stowe.—*Page* 199.

George, sagamore of Lynn, mortgaged to Niceolas Davison of Charlestown, merchant, for £20 due many years since to "m^r Mathew Craddock," deceased, "all that Tracke or necke of Land Commonly Called Nahant lying and scittvate, neere Adjacent vnto the Towne of Lynne," April 1, 1652. Witnesses: Willjam Phillips and John Giffard.—*Page* 205.

"Joseph Armitage of lynne and Jeane his wife" mortgaged to James Oliuer of Boston, "biskett baker", a horse &c., agreeing to pay money from the Iron

works, May 28, 1652. Witnesses: John Tincker and Isack Woodde.—*Page* 208.

James Everill of Boston, shoemaker, mortgaged to Symon Bradstreete of Andover, gentleman, dwelling-house and land in Boston in possession of Nathaniell Souter and Willm Blancher, and bounded by Edmond Jackson, and Joshua Scotto, June 5, 1652. Witnesses: Willm Hibbins and Willm Phillips.—*Page* 220.

Lionell Copley of — in Yorkshire, esq., Nich: Bond and Thomas Pury of the city of Westminster, esqs., John Becx and Willm Beauchamp of London, merchants, esqs., Thomas ffoley of London, gent., Willm Greenhill of Stepney, Midd county, minister, Thomas Weld of Gateshead, Durham county, minister, John Pococke and William Becke, merchant taylors, and Willm Hiccock, brewer, citizens of London, undertakers and copartners amongst others in the "Iron workes in Newe England" by virtue of their rules of May 30, 1645, appoint "our Loueing frends Willm Tinge of Boston in Newe England Merchant Robert Bridges of Lyne in Newe England M^rchant Henry Webb & Joshua ffoote of Boston aforesaid M^rchants" to be their attorneys to receive "of John Gyfford the present agent in the said workes and Willm Awbrey Richard Leader & William Osborne and all other psons in anywise imployed in the said Workes" the said business, and to oversee it, etc., April 16, 1652. Witnesses: "Christopher Townesend Not pub John Burt James Needles his ser."—*Page* 229.

Receipt of Willm Paine of Ipswich, merchant, for money received of "John Wall Ma^r of the Shipp Castle ffrigott," and also a bill drawn on "Allex^a": Bence senio^r Esq^r payable to M^r Thomas Laycocke M^rchant in London," Aug. 30, 1652. Witness: Richard Story.—*Page* 234.

"wilke the Carpenter of Salem" is mentioned in the accounts of James Reed and Thomas Carrick, owners of the ship Blessing of London, July 12, 1652.—*Page* 235.

Edward Burt of Charlestowne, Hugh Burt of Lynne and George Bunker of Charlestown gave bond to William Parke of Roxburie, Oct. 18, 1651, to pay money at the house of "M^r ——— Browning in Bell Alley in London or at the house of M^r Willm Peake in Cannon streete." Witnesses: Samuell Stow and John Johnson.—*Page 238.*

Edmond Leach, attorney of John ffish of wrexall, Warwickshire (power dated Feb. 28, 1647) receipts for money received of Thomas Dexter, jr., of Lynne, being for bonds dated Nov. 7, 1640, and Dec. 26, 1640. Dated 24:7: 1649. Witnesses: Isacke Waker and Lt. James Oliver.—*Page 241.*

Edward Gillman, sr., of Ipswich, yeoman, and his wife Mary (her W mark), conveyed to Daniell Cushin of Hingham, yeoman, our dwelling-house and land in Hingham, lately bought of Nicholas Jacob, being in Bachelors Rowe, and bounded by land of Thomas Barnes, Mathewe Cushine, lately bought of Bozome Allen, by land of John ffoulesham, Jeremie Bellimie; also, land bought of John Beale, sr., of Hingham, and bounded by land of Henry Gibbs and Mathew Cushine, sr.; and meadow bought of Thomas Minor, and bounded by land of Thomas Loarein; and land given by Thomas Linckhorne, weaver, and bounded by land of Joseph Pecke, "in free & Comon soccage and not in Cappitie nor be knights service," Oct. 1, 1652. Witnesses: "Nathaniell Sowther Script Edward Bellym, Angell Holland Edward Gillman Junior."—*Page 243.*

Protest: Edward Prescott, merchant, and freighter of the Ship Blessing of London, July 12, 1652, to John Endecot, governor of the Massachusetts Bay Colony, now resident in Salem, with agreement between said Prescott and "william Browne George Corwin & Walter Price marchants of Salem to lade and dispatch the said Ship out of New-England by the first day of this Instant July which Goods for Loading the said Ship having bin ready but the said ship being neither rigd nor

Graved," etc., protests against Thomas Carrick master of said ship "for loss of Time here and at the Barbados for hinderance," etc., and the same being read in the presence of the governor's two sons, John Endecot and Zorobabell Endecott, July 12, 1652, at Salem.—*Page 251.*

John Lowe (signed by mark) of Boston, wheelwright, mortgaged to John Ward of Ipswich, chirirgion, wharf, bounded by land of Sampson Shore and Leonard Buttels, Oct. 9, 1652. Witnesses: Thomas Hakins and Abraham Hakins.—*Page 252.*

William Hudson of Boston, innkeeper, mortgaged to Symon Bradstreete of Andover, gent., dwelling house, warehouse and land in Boston, bought of Maj.-gen. Edward Gibbons, March 16, 1651. Witnesses: Willjam Hibbins and Samuel Symonds.—*Page 262.*

Mortgage of John Tuttell of Boston, merchant, to William Stanley and Peter Legay & Co. of the town and county of Southton, merchants, March 1, 1650, house and land in Ipswich in occupation of said Tuttle, John Gage and John Pittis, to secure an adventure. Witnesses: Willm Wislad, Willm Roberts, ffra: Swanton and Rich: Stanley, notary public.—*Page 265.* Discharged by John Gore, attorney of mortgagees, Dec. 30, 1651. Witnesses: Edward Ting and Willm Aspinwall, notary public.—*Page 270.*

John Tuttell of Ipswich, merchant, is discharged Feb. 2, 1652, by Daniell ffarvax and Isaac Legay of London, merchants, of a bond dated March 13, 1650. Joanna is the wife of said Tuttell, Mr. Robert Hooper and Mr. Martin Bently, merchants at the Barbadoes, agents, and Chrispin Hooper, attorney, to said ffarvax and Legay. Witnesses: Edward Rawson, Robert Scott and Willm Awbrey.—*Page 271.*

Mr. John Coggan of Boston, merchant, and his wife Martha, conveyed to Samuell Bennitt of Linne, carpenter, land bought of Mr. John Cockshall, then of Boston, merchant, and which was granted to said John Cogshall about 1637, having now a

dwelling house thereon, bounded by Capt. Robert Kayne, 25 : 1 : 1653. Witnesses : Robt. Keayne, Edmund Jackson, Tho : Stocker and Nath : Sowther, not. pub.—
Page 294.

Martyn Stebens (his *m* mark) of Boston, brewer, mortgaged to Wm. Bartholmew of Ipswich "the Copper now being in his brew house," 15 : 10 : 1653. Witnesses : Nathaniell Piper and Matthew Clarke (his *M* mark).—*Page 330.*

WILL OF REV. EZEKIEL ROGERS.

The will of Rev. Ezekiel Rogers of Rowley was proved in the Ipswich court March 26, 1661. The following is a copy of the original testament on file in the probate office at Salem.

I Ezeikiell Rogers Borne at wethersfield in Essex in old England now of Rowley in Effex in new England being at this time of Good memory and Competent health through Gods mercy, yett not knowing when the lord may be pleased to put an end to this Pillgramage doe Ordaine and make This my last will and Testament

And first I will and desire that Everlasting praises be Giuen to the one holy God in Jesus Christ as for all his mercies to me which are innumerable soe for these three Spetiall Blefings : ffirst for my Nuture and Education vnder such a father m^r Richard Rogers, in Catachisme and knowledge of the holy scriptures the want whereof I fee to be the maine Cause of the Errors of the times.

Secondly that whereas till I was aboue twenty yeares of Age I made but ill vse of my knowldge but liued in a formall profefion of Relligion, the lord pleased by occasion of a Sore ficknes which was like to be death to make me to see the worth and Neede of Christ and to take such houlde of him as that I Coulede never let him Goe to this houre whereby I am now encouraged to bequeath and committe my Soulle into his hands who hath Redeemed it, and my Body to the Earth since he will Giue me with these very eyes to see my Redeemer

Thirdly to my Calling even to be a minester of the Gospell the most Glorious

Calling in the worlde which the lord brought into, not without difficulty for my calling in the time of the hottest Persecution of that Bloody Hirachy and being inlightned Concerning the euill and snare of subscription and Cerrimonies I was advised to giue ouer the thought of the ministry and to betake myfelfe to the study and practife of phifick But the lord mercyfully prevented it ; for though it be a Good and Necessary Calling ; I haue observed that the most through there *owne* corruption haue made it to themfelues the very Temptation to couetousnes or lust or both, I therfor Chose Rather to lye hide *about* a dozen yeares in an honorable famelly exercifing my felfe in minestiriall duties for about a dozen yeares after my leauing the vnnerfity. Then the lord Gaue me a Call to a Publique Charge att Rowley in yorkefhire whereby the Gentleneffe of —by mathewe I was faoured both for subscription and Cerimonies and injoyed my liberty in the minestry about seauenteene *years* in Comfortable fort Till for Refusing to Reade that accursed Booke that allowed sports on Gods holy Sabbath or lords day I was suspended and by it and other sad signes of the times Driuen with many of my hearers into New England wher I haue liued in my Pastorall Office about — years with much Rest and comforth Belieueing the way —he Churches here to be according to the present light that God hath Giuen the purest in the wholle world

Now Age and Infirmities Calling vpon me to looke daly for my Change I profese myselfe to haue liued and to dye an vnfeigned Hater of all the Base opinions of the Anabaptists and Antinomians, and all other phrentiche dotages of the times that springe from them which God will ere longe cause to *be* as doung on the earth I doe also protest against all the evel ffashions and *practises* of this Agee Both in Aparrile and that Generall Disguisement of longe Ruffianlike haire A Cuf-tome most Comonlly taken vp at that time when — Graue and modest weareing of heaire was a part of the Reproch of Christ as appeared by the tearme of Round

heads and was carryed on with a high hand not with standing the knowne Offence of foe many Godly persons, and without publique expreffion of there Reasons for any fuch libertie taken As for my *Eftate* I will and difpofe as followeth ffrft I doe Bequeath and Giue to my welbeloued wife mary Rogers, my dwelling houle Barne and all the outhoufes alfo my Orchard, Gardens, and the yeards belonging, and pasturage adioyning to the —eed on both fides of the *Brook* alfo the hemyyearde alfo the vpper houle lott on the other fide of the Highway *with* all the land and horfe pasture adJoyneing to the same land I Giue hir alfo sixe Acres of Aurable land By the House of ezekiell Northen and my part of the warehouse pasture alfo I Giue hir hay Grounde falt and frefh foe much as my Overseers shall Judge fufficient to affourd one yeare with another thirty loads of hay and where shee will chufe it and all this only for hir Natureall life alfo I Giue to my saide wife all my Goods, Houfehold stufe, Cattell, Corne, and all my stocke whatfoeuer, I Giue to my loueing Nephew m^r Samuell Stone of conecticot thirty pounds, I Giue to my Cousen his son John ten pounds, to my deere Brother and ffellow officer m^r phillips fiue pounds and aquinas his Iam—in folio, to my Sumtimes servant Elizebeth Tenney ells parratt —en pounds to my loueing Neece m^{ris} mary matofins of mall-don in efex in ouldengland I Giue ten pounds to my louing Neece m^{ris} Elizebeth C—ton wife of the preacher of Rotterdam in hollande I Giue ten pounds to the wife of my Caufin Rogers of Billrecay I Giue fiue pounds I Giue to my ||two|| prefent maid servants each of them an ewe lambe all and euery of these seuerall legacies I will to be paide within one yeare after my death, except Th— into England and Holland which Shalbe redy to be paide as soun as they shall apoint and I impoure any from themfellues or any marchant or marchants here that may receaue it in there behalfe and for There vse and Giue full acquittance as impoured from them that foe my execcutrix or ouerseers may be fully discharged therof I Giue

all my latine *bookes* to harverd Coledge in Cambridge and sume Englifh Bookes as apeares in the Catalogue.

Item the Rest of my eftate in lands that ar not Giuen vnto my wife dureing hir Natureall life that is the land at planting hill the land called Satchwell ground and all the rest be it meadow fresh or salt or other vpland what euer and one third part of Gats or Commonage I Giue to the Church and towne of Rowley vpon Condiffion that they pay or caufe to be paid, or leagally tender, vnto ezeakiell Rogers the son of m^r Nathaniel Rogers late pastor of the Church at Ipfwich, Deceased, the full Some of eightscore poundes in Country pay the one halfe, that is *to* say foure score pounds within one yeare after my Death, the other foure score pounds to be paid the next yeare after that is within two years after my death; and I intreat and appoint m^r John whiple of Ipswich the Rulling Elder to be Gardion for ezekiell Rogers to Receaue or Caufe to be Receaued this abouefaid eight score pounds, and to Giue vnto the Church or towne of Rowley a full discharge and acquittance vpon the Receaueing thereof, and in Cafe the Church or towne of Rowley pay not the abouefaid eight score pounds my will is that thes abouefaid lands that are not Giuen vnto my wife, shalbe assigned and fet ouer by my ouerseers vnto Ezeakiell for the abouefaid payment, prouided alfo that it shall not be in the liberty of the church or towne of Rowley to Giue sell or allien these landes or any part therof or appropriate them or any part of them to any other end or vse then for this, the Better inableing them to carry on the ministry fore euer: alfo all my houfes barne and orchard and all my landes pastures and commonages and meadows which I haue Giuen vnto my wife mary Rogers Dureing her Naturall life after hir Deceafe, I Doe Bequeath and Giue vnto the Church and towne of Rowley to inable them the Better to maintaine two teaching elders in the church, for euer, and vpon that condiffion I Doe Giue them, the time which I allow them for

the setleing of an elder shalbe foure yeares:
and soe from time to time as God makes
any changes either By Death or Remoue-
all any other way, and in case that the
church or towne of Rowley faile of the
condifion of providing themselfues of
two teaching elders according to the time
perfixed that is within foure years after
they haue this to inable them the beter
and soe from time to time within the
faid time of foure years after God by
his prouidence haue maide any Chainge,
my will is that the abouefaid houseing
and landes shalbe to the vse of Harvard
Colledge at Cambridge in New England I
Giue also to the church my Silluer Bowles
which they vse for the Communion to be
soe vfed still after my wiues Decease and
I make and appoint my said welbeloued
wife the Solle executrix of this my will and
Testament and I appoint maxemillion
Jewett and Samuell Brocklebanke to be
ouerseers of this my will and Testament,
made and signed the 17 of Aprill 1660

wittnesed by vs
Samuell Brocklebanke
maxemillion Jewett Ezekiel Rogers.
John Brocklebanke.

GLOUCESTER INSCRIPTIONS.

OLD CEMETERY AT LANESVILLE.

This old burial-place is situated south
of Lane's cove, in the rear of the houses
on the street, and near the ocean. The
following are all of the inscriptions to be
found there bearing dates prior to 1800.

Here lies Buried
the Body of M^r
JOSEPH GOTT
who Died APRIL
the 30th 1755
In the 30th Year
of his Age.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^r
NATHANIEL GOTT
DIED MAY Y^e 10th
I 7 5 2
AGED 25 YEARS

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^r
SAMUEL GOTT JUN^R
AGED 25 YEARS
DEC^D MARCH 26th
I 7 5 0

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^{rs}
SARAH GRIFFEN WIFE
TO M^r DANIEL GRIFFEN
DIED MARCH Y^e 31st 1737,
IN Y^e 22^D YEAR OF HER AGE

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF DEBORAH LANE
Y^e DAU^r OF M^r JOHN
& M^{rs} DARCOS LANE
DEC^D MAY Y^e 9th 1729
IN Y^e 27 YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LYES Y^e BODY OF
M^{rs} DORCAS LANE
WIFE OF M^r
JOHN LANE
DIED FEB^R 9th 1754
IN THE 93^D YEAR
OF HER AGE.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF JAMES LANE
SON TO M^r JAMES
& M^{rs} RUTH LANE
DEC^D MAY Y^e 14th
1729 IN Y^e 18th YEAR
OF HIS AGE

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF
DEACON JAMES LANE
DIED APRIL 20th
I 7 5 1
AGED 69.

JOHN LANE SON
TO Mr JAMES &
Mrs JUDITH LANE
DECD APRIL Ye 14 1732
IN Ye 7th YEAR
OF HIS AGE

HERE LYES INTER'D
THE BODY OF M^r
JOHN LANE OF
GLOUCESTER AGED 86
YEARS DEC^d JAN^{ry} Y^e 24th
I 7 3 7⁸

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^r
JOSIAH LANE
WHO DIED NOV^R
THE 23^D 1747
IN THE 59th YEAR
OF HIS AGE

Here lies interred
y^e Body of
M^r JUDITH LANE
wife of
Dea^c JAMES LANE
who died Aug. 23^d 1770
in y^e 86 Year of her Age.

In Memory of
M^r JONATHAN NORWOOD,
who departed this life
Feb^{ry} 16th 1799,
in the 59 Year
of his Age.

In memory of
M^{rs} Judith Norwood,
Wife of Cap^t William Norwood;
who died July 19—1775;
Æt^s 65.

In memory of
M^{rs} Sufanna Norwood,
Wife of Mr James Norwood,
who died Nov^r 16—1773;
Æt^s 29.

IN
memory of
Capt. William Norwood
who died Feb^y 1st 1781;
Æt^s 72.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY OF
M^{rs} ABIEL WOODBERRY WIFE
OF M^r CALEB WOODBERRY
DIED JANUARY Y^e 22^D
1737⁸ IN Y^e 36th
YEAR OF HER AGE

HERE LYES THE BODY OF
M^{rs} HEPHZIBAH WOODBERRY
WIFE TO M^r CALEB WOODBERRY
DEC^D FEB^{ry} 12th
I 7 3 I
IN Y^e 37 YEAR
OF HER AGE

In Memory of
MEHITABLE,
wife of
Cap^t Daniel Young,
who died Decr, 19, 1800:
Æt 47.

Cap^t. DANIEL YOUNG;
who died at Sea May 21, 1790;
Æt 38.

Life is uncertain death is sure
Sin gives the wound but Christ the cure.

*
Dau^r to
M^{rs} ANN *
Died FEBRUARY
1758 In y^e 20th Year
of her Age.

NOTES.

Richard Birmingham (also, Berming-
ham) of Salem, 1763-1773; wife Sarah,
1763-1773; coaster, 1765, 1769, mari-
ner, 1763, 1768, 1769.—*Registry of deeds.*

Widow Sarah Breminham of Salem
was appointed administratrix of the estate

*Broken.

of Richard Breminham (or, Birmingham) of Salem, mariner, April 5, 1773.

Administration was granted on the estate of Sarah Bermingham of Salem Sept. 5, 1775.

—*Probate records.*

Judith Bisco published to Benjamin Pigeon June 19, 1742.—*Newbury town records.*

ELIZABETH BISCO.

Hon. Edmund Trowbridge was born in Newton in 1709, graduated at Harvard college in 1728, and became one of the most eminent lawyers in the province, probably the most profound common lawyer of New England. Indeed, Chancellor Kent called him "The oracle of the common law of New England." He had the best library in New England. He was attorney-general of Massachusetts, 1749-1767; a member of the council in 1764; and a justice of the supreme court of the province in 1767.

Judge Trowbridge married, March 15, 1732, Miss Martha Remington, daughter of Judge Remington, and she died in July, 1772.

When trouble between the province and the mother country came on, Judge Trowbridge's sympathies were with the crown under which he had held office so many years, though he rarely gave any one the impression that he was a tory. He endeavored to remain neutral; and when the clash of arms came at Lexington and Concord, and Washington's army was encamped near his house in Cambridge, he left his home, and went to the retired parish of Byfield, that he might not be compelled to forego his neutrality. Doctor, afterward General, Joseph Warren, furnished the suggestion of this removal from the scenes of ardent patriotism and strife. He boarded in the family of Rev. Moses Parsons, pastor of the Byfield church.

With Judge Trowbridge came his colored man, named Sam, and a lady, a distant relative, Miss Elizabeth Bisco of

Cambridge. The judge had been a widower upwards of two years, and just what his intentions relative to Miss Bisco were is not known beyond what is suggested by the following papers on file in the probate office at Salem. The first is a nuncupative will, and the second an affidavit stating certain facts relative to Miss Bisco's sickness and death.

The reason that was given for their coming to Byfield was to avoid the small-pox; and only four days after their arrival Miss Bisco was taken sick with that dreaded disease. May 6th, she was removed to the pest house in Rowley, where she died on the 21st. She called Judge Trowbridge "Mr. Goffe," a name by which he was called a portion of his life by his friends, having had an uncle Goffe.

The will is as follows:—

"Rowley may y^e 18 1775

"M^{rs} Elisabeth Bisco gave to Sarah Stevens Daughter of the Rev^d Benjamin Stevens my Laid handkfs, Cap, Ruffles & Leather mounted fan She also gave to Rev^d Moses Parsons' Daughter my light Padusoy gown & light Coloured Lute String Gown & another Gown there is with Linnen there I Likewife owe Peggy Fessenden two Dollers for Work Which I Desire M^r Goff to pay & the rest of my estate I give m^r Goff and make him my Executor. Taken from her own mouth in prefence of us the Subscribers.

"John Bailey

William Hale Jun^r

Mary Rufsel

"Likewife the above m^{rs} Bisco gave to m^{rs} Mary Rufsel her light Coloured Petticoat and a Riding hood to Dinah a negro Girl in prefence of us the Subscribers

John Bailey

Mary Rufsel"

The affidavit of John Bailey is as follows:—

"I John Bailey of Rowley in the County of Essex Chairmaker of lawful age testify & declare That M^{rs} Elizabeth Bisco

being visited with the small pox at Byfield and removed from thence to Rowley on the sixth day of May last M^{rs} Mary Rufsel & I nursed her untill she died there on the twenty first day of the same month. That during her sickness Edmund Trowbridge Esq came every day within call of the house to know how M^{rs} Bisco did & what she wanted: that on the eighteenth day of May last I told M^{rs} Bisco that Judge Trowbridge was come to know how she did & if she wanted any thing; Upon which she said tell M^r Goffe I am afraid I shall never see him again. I went out and told the said Trowbridge what M^{rs} Biscoe said & how she was. He bid me tell her he hoped she would see him again & that she would do very well but bid me ask her how she would have her things disposed of if she should do otherwise than well. I did so & thereupon she the said Elizabeth Bisco said they are all M^r Goffe's & he may dispose of them as he pleases. I went out & told the said Trowbridge what M^{rs} Bisco had said. He replied I had rather she would say how she would have what she leaves disposed of if she should not recover & I will endeavour it shall be done accordingly, & desired me to tell her so which I did after he was gone; and thereupon the said M^{rs} Bisco declared before Mary Rufsel William Hale jun^r & myself that she gave to Sarah Stevens the daughter of the Rev^d Benjamin Stevens her laced handkerchief cap ruffles & leather mounted fan & that she gave to the Rev^d Moses Parsons' daughters her light padufoy gown & light coloured lustring gown & another gown there is there with some linnen there and that she owed Peggy Fessenden two dollars for work which she desired M^r Goffe to pay & that she gave the rest of her estate to M^r Goffe and made him her Executor. This was presently reduced to writing by the said Hale who read it over to the said M^{rs} Bisco & asked her if it was right & agreeable to her mind & will. She answered it was right & well & thereupon we subscribed our names thereto as witnesses thereof in

her presence; and afterwards the said M^{rs} Bisco declared before M^{rs} Rufsel & me only that she give her light coloured petticoat to M^{rs} Rufsel & her riding hood to Dinah a negro girl, saying it will do for her & she wants one. And I further declare that during M^{rs} Biscoe's sickness whenever she spoke of or concerning the said Trowbridge she used to call him M^r Goffe & that she appeared to me to be of sound mind when she made the several declarations aforesaid & to understand well what she said & did

“John Bailey”

This affidavit was sworn to in court June 13, 1775.

William Hale, jr., of Rowley, aged twenty, and Mrs. Mary Russel (wife of Henry Russel of Ipswich, yeoman) deposed to the same facts at the same time. The will was presented to the court by Judge Trowbridge and allowed July 25, 1775. He was appointed executor, and gave bond on that day, with Theophilus Parsons of Falmouth, Cumberland county, Me., gentleman, as surety. The witnesses to the bond were Peter Frye and Susanna Hovey.

Miss Bisco's next of kin of whole blood were John Bisco of Spencer and Josiah Bisco of Watertown, who appeared in court, but did not object to the will. Other next of kin were Jabez Tatman of Worcester, who married Sarah Gookin, and his two children by her, John and Lydia; and Samuel Parker of Berwick, Me., Noah Parker, Benjamin Parker, jr., Mary Parker, Sarah Parker, Elizabeth Haley and Hannah Webber, all of Kittery, Me., children of Benjamin Parker, esq., of Kittery.

Judge Trowbridge subsequently returned to Cambridge, and died April 2, 1793, at the age of eighty-four. He had no issue.

NOTE.

Giles Birdley, planter, lived in Ipswich, 1658-1668; wife Rebecca (wife Elizabeth named in his will); he died in 1668, his

will, dated July 18, 1668, being proved Sept. 29, 1668; his wife survived him, and married, secondly, Abraham Fitt Jan. 7, 1668-9; she was the latter's wife in 1679; children of Giles and Rebecca Birdley, born in Ipswich: 1. *Andrew*,² born Sept. 5, 1657; lived in Ipswich, in his minority with "old Goodman Brown;" married Mary Connant March 14, 1681; daughter Rebecka, born in Ipswich March 29, 1683. 2. *James*,² born Feb. 10, 1659. 3. *John*,² born July 13, 166[2?].—*Records*.

BLUNT GENEALOGY.

———— BLUNT¹ had two sons:—

- 2—I. WILLIAM², b. about 1642. *See below* (2).
- 3—II. SAMUEL², b. about 1647; was a boatman or lighterman; lived in Charlestown; m. Anna Fosdick June 9, 1680; she d. Aug. 8, 1715, aged sixty-two; he was living in 1704; had six children.

2

WILLIAM BLUNT² lived in Andover, 1668-1709. He married, first, Elizabeth Ballard at Chelmsford Nov. 11, 1668; and she died July 11, 1689. He married, second, Sarah —, who died Sept. 11, 1701. He died April 3, 1709, aged sixty-seven.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 4—I. WILLIAM³, b. Oct. 6, 1671. *See below* (4).
- 5—II. SAMUEL³, b. Jan. 29, 1673; d. July 18, 1684, in Andover.
- 6—III. MARY³, b. Sept. 28, 1679; m. Henry Grey May 3, 1699; and was living in 1704.
- 7—IV. HAMBURROUGH³, b. Sept. 22, 1681. *See below* (7).
- 8—V. BATHSHEBAH³, b. Nov. 13, 1684; m. John Lovejoy May 12, 1703.
- 9—VI. ANNE³, b. April 25, 1687; d. Oct. 25 (?), 1707.
- 10—VII. SAMUEL³, b. April 24, 1689; husbandman; lived in Andover, 1714; m. Elizabeth Dane of Concord April 10, 1712; and she was his wife in 1714. They settled in Plainfield, Conn.

4

WILLIAM BLUNT³, born in Andover Oct. 6, 1671. He was a husbandman, and lived in Andover, his father having de-

vised his homestead to him. He married Sarah — before 1699; and died July 7, 1738, aged sixty-six. She died, his widow, Dec. 6, 1760, aged eighty-four.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 11—I. DAVID⁴, b. Nov. 18, 1699. *See below* (11).
- 12—II. SARAH⁴, b. May —, 1702; m., first, Thomas Oakes of Medford Nov. 26, 1730; and, second, — Leavitt after 1762.
- 13—III. JOHN⁴, b. in 1706; H. C., 1727; clergyman; pastor of church at New Castle, N. H.; ordained there Dec. 20, 1732; m. Sarah Frost; he d. Aug. 7, 1748, aged forty-one; and his widow m., secondly, Judge Hill of South Berwick, Me.
- 14—IV. JONATHAN⁴, b. (after July) 1708; captain; lived in Chester, N. H.; had a sawmill there; wife Mary; and was living out of the Massachusetts Bay Province in 1762.
- 15—V. ISAAC⁴, b. Nov. 5, 1712. *See below* (15).
- 16—VI. ELIZABETH⁴, b. Sept. 26, 1714; m. Jonathan Ames of Boxford April 20, 1738; they lived in Boxford in 1769; and removed to Londonderry, N. H., in 1770.
- 17—VII. EBENEZER⁴, b. March 8, 1717; living in 1762; his father devised to him land at Sheepscoat, Me., and at Chester and Freetown; m. Lydia Francis in 1739.
- 18—VIII. EPHRAIM⁴, b. Feb. 5, 1720-1; m. Zerviah Abbott Sept. 17, 1745; his father devised to him land in Chester, N. H.; and he lived out of the province in 1762. He was of Suncook, N. H., when he was married.

7

HAMBURROUGH BLUNT³, born in Andover Sept. 22, 1681. He was a husbandman, and lived in Andover. He married Mehitabell Johnson Jan. 11, 1705; and they were living in Andover in 1715. They removed to Norwich, Conn.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 19—I. ANN⁴, b. in 1707; m. — Downing.
- 20—II. HANNAH⁴, b. (after July 24) 1710; m. — Cram.

11

DAVID BLUNT⁴, born in Andover Nov. 18, 1699. He was a husbandman, and lived in Andover, his father having devised to him the paternal homestead. He married, first, Lydia Foster Feb. 14,

1728; and she died May 5, 1731. He married, second, Mary Pearse of Portsmouth, N. H. (published April 7, 1739); and died April 21, 1752, aged fifty-two. His estate was valued at £908, 18s., 3d. His wife Mary survived him, and died, his widow, in 1773.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 21—I. DAVID⁵, b. March 9, 1728-9; d. April 11, 1729.
- 22—II. LYDIA⁵, b. April 6, 1751; m. Thomas Abbott, jr., of Andover, yeoman, Feb. 12, 1756; he d. March 29, 1775; and she d. Nov. 10, 1798.
- 23—III. DAVID⁵, b. Jan. 11, 1740-1; eldest son in 1764; yeoman; lived in Andover; m., first, Ruth Tay of Wilmington Dec. 12, 1769; she d. Dec. 8, 1802, aged fifty-four; she m., second, Mary Delap (pub. Aug. —, 1804).
- 24—IV. WILLIAM⁵, b. Oct. 6, 1743; cooper; lived in Andover in 1773.

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ISSAC BLUNT⁴, born in Andover Nov. 5, 1712. He was a hatter and felt maker and yeoman, and lived in Andover. He married, first, Mary (Abbott), widow of Joseph Chandler of Andover, husbandman, April 8, 1746; and she died April 20, 1760, aged thirty-five. He married, second, Mary (Kimball), widow of Edward Herrick, Nov. 27, 1760. He died Jan. 6, 1798, aged eighty-six; and his wife Mary survived him, dying, his widow, March 27, 1801, in her ninety-second year. Mr. Blunt's estate was appraised at \$5,858.63.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 25—I. MARY⁵, b. Feb. 14, 1746-7; pub. to Jeremiah Leavitt March 2, 1771; living in 1790.
- 26—II. HANNAH⁵, b. Sept. 25, 1748; pub. to Ezra Carter of Wilmington July —, 1773; living in 1790.
- 27—III. SARAH⁵, b. Dec. 12, 1750; pub. to David Webster of Haverhill July —, 1774; m. — Abbot before 1801.
- 28—IV. ELIZABETH⁵, b. July 27, 1752; unmarried in 1790.
- 29—V. JOHN⁵, b. Jan. 31, 1756; soldier in Revolution; m. Sarah Eames of Wilmington Oct. 26, 1780; his father devised to him land in Amherst, N. H.; lived in Milford and Nashua, N. H.
- 30—VI. ISAAC⁵, b. Sept. 12, 1757; d. Sept. 13, 1757.

- 31—VII. ABIGAIL⁵, b. Oct. 6, 1762; m. Asa Allen of Barrington, R. I., Nov. 1, 1781; and lived in Andover.
- 32—VIII. ANNA⁵, b. May 9, 1763; m. Henry Holt Jan 27, 1803.
- 33—IX. TABITHA⁵, b. Feb. 7, 1765; m. Isaac Holt, jr., Dec. 6, 1789; and was living in 1801.
- 34—X. ISAAC⁵, b. Sept. 26, 1776. *See below* (34).
- 35—XI. MEHITABLE⁵, b. Jan. 4, 1769; m. Henry Holt June 22, 1790; and d. Sept. 1, 1802.

34

CAPT. ISAAC BLUNT⁵, born in Andover Sept. 26, 1766. He was a feltmaker and hatter, and lived in Andover. He married Lois Phelps Dec. 13, 1791; and died Oct. 17, 1833, aged sixty-seven. She survived him, and died, his widow, Feb. 10, 1849, aged eighty-two.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 36—I. POLLY⁶, b. Dec. 25, 1792; m. William Durand in 1818.
- 37—II. ISAAC⁶, b. Nov. 25, 1795; m. Dolly Burnham in 1822; and d. in 1859.
- 38—III. SAMUEL PHELPS⁶, b. May 19, 1796; "major;" lived in Andover; m. Persis Bodwell in 1820.
- 39—IV. HANNAH⁶, b. Nov. 11, 1798; m. John C. Allen in 1822.
- 40—V. ANNA⁶, b. in 1801; m. Sylvester Stanley of Wilmington in 1828.
- 41—VI. ELIZA⁶, b. in 1803; m. Henry Jaquith in 1828; and d. in 1857.
- 42—VII. JOSHUA⁶, b. in 1806; probably d. young.
- 43—VIII. JOHN K.⁶, b. in 1808; lived in North Andover; m. Abigail Boardman in 1832.

NOTES.

Children of Andrew and Lydia Birdley: John, baptized March 25, 1722; James, baptized Oct. 3, 1724; died Oct. 23, 1724; Lydia, baptized Jan. 30, 1725.

Widow Mary Birdley published to Serg. Caleb Kimball April 4, 1722.

Elizabeth Birdley published to Daniel Caldwell Jan. 17, 1723.

—*Ipswich town records.*

Judith Birdsall married Henry Cooke June, 1639.

Mary Biscow married Samuel Silsby July 4, 1676.

—*Salem town records.*

In Salem court, 27: 4: 1671, Mary Bisco, aged about nineteen years, came and chose Ralph King to be her guardian, for a legacy given her by Mr. Robert Guy. —*Court records.*

BLYTH GENEALOGY.

JONATHAN BLYTH¹ was a shipwright (called a tallow-chandler in 1747), and lived in Salem, 1704-1747. He married Sarah Gustin July 20, 1704; and both were deceased in 1760.

Children, born in Salem:—

- 2—I. MARY², b. July 20, 170—.
- 3—II. SARAH², b. Oct. 24, 1705; m. Matthew Phillips of Salem Sept. 24, 1730.
- 4—III. ELIZABETH², b. Sept. 22, 17—; bapt. Sept. 18, 1707; m. John Jones (Janes?) of Salem, mariner, Sept. 29, 1727; and they were living in Salem in 1760.
- 5—IV. JONATHAN², b. May 20, 1709.
- 6—V. BENJAMIN², b. Feb. 26, 1711. *See below (6).*
- 7—VI. SUSANNA², bapt. Aug. 23, 1713.
- 8—VII. HANNAH², bapt. Jan. 1, 1715-6.
- 9—VIII. SAMUEL², bapt. Aug. 27, 1721. *See below (9).*

6

BENJAMIN BLYTH², born in Salem Feb. 26, 1711. He lived in Salem, and married Mary Legary of Lynn Jan. 4, 1733-4. He died before Nov. 1, 1744, when his widow, Mary Blyth, married Solomon Newhall of Lynn.

Children, born in Salem:—

- 10—I. MARY³, bapt. Jan. 4, 1735-6; of Lynn, spinster, unmarried, 1760.
- 11—II. SARAH³, bapt. Feb. 13, 1736-7; m. John Webber of Marblehead Dec. 2, 1756; and was of Lynn, his widow, in 1760.
- 12—III. ELIZABETH³, m. John Warden of Salem, joiner, before 1758.

9

SAMUEL BLYTH², baptized in Salem Aug. 27, 1721. He was a sailmaker, and lived in Salem. He married Abigail Massey of Salem Oct. 13, 1743; and died before March 25, 1774, when administration was granted on his estate, which was appraised at £352.

Children, born in Salem:—

- 13—I. SAMUEL³, bapt. May 13, 1744. *See below (13).*

- 14—II. BENJAMIN³, bapt. May 18, 1746. *See below (14).*
- 15—III. VERRIN³, bapt. June 19, 1748. *See below (15).*
- 16—IV. WILLIAM³, bapt. Nov. 11, 1750; lived in Salem, painter, 1777.
- 17—V. JONATHAN³, bapt. April 15, 1753; probably d. young.
- 18—VI. JOHN JONES³, bapt. Sept. 28, 1755; probably d. young.
- 19—VII. CHARLES³, bapt. Aug. 27, 1758; probably d. young.

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SAMUEL BLYTH³, baptized in Salem May 13, 1744. He was a painter, and lived in Salem. He married, first, Lucy Cleveland of Salem Oct. 11, 1767; and she was his wife in 1783. He married, second, Sally Rolland of Salem Nov. 13, 1787; and died in 1794 or 1795; his will, dated March 31, 1795, being proved April 15, 1795. His wife Sally survived him.

Children, born in Salem:—

- 20—I. SAMUEL⁴, bapt. July 6, 1769; probably d. before 1794.
- 21—II. STEPHEN⁴, bapt. Jan. 27, 1770; living in 1794.
- 22—III. LUCY⁴, bapt. Nov. 7, 1790; living in 1794.
- 23—IV. SALLY⁴, bapt. Jan. 20, 1793; living in 1794.

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BENJAMIN BLYTH³, baptized in Salem May 18, 1746. He married Mehitabel Cook of Salem Sept. 16, 1769.

Children, baptized in Salem:—

- 24—I. BENJAMIN⁴, bapt. Feb. 10, 1771.
- 25—II. FRANK⁴, bapt. Jan. 3, 1773.
- 26—III. SAMUEL⁴, bapt. July 2, 1780.

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VERRIN BLYTH³, baptized in Salem June 19, 1748. He was a sailmaker, and lived in Salem. He married Elizabeth King of Salem April 6, 1770.

Children, born in Salem:—

- 27—I. WILLIAM⁴, b. Sept. 21, 1770. *See below (27).*
- 28—II. ABIGAIL MERCY⁴, bapt. Aug. 30, 1772.
- 29—III. SAMUEL⁴, bapt. Dec. 4, 1774.

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WILLIAM BLYTH⁴, born in Salem Sept. 21, 1770. He was a painter, and lived in Beverly after his marriage. He mar-

ried Judith Wood of Beverly; and died there Jan. 22, 1806. She survived him, and died in Beverly Feb. 22, 1842.

Children, born in Beverly:—

- 30—I. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Nov. 21, 1794; d. Jan. 28, 1806.
 31—II. SOPHIA⁵, b. April 17, 1797; m. Thomas L. Pickett.
 32—III. ELIZA⁵, b. Dec. 10, 1801; m. John P. Roundy.
 33—IV. JUDITH⁵, b. Dec. 5, 1804; m. Thomas B. Smith.

WILL OF JOSEPH JEWETT.

The will of Joseph Jewett of Rowley was proved in the Ipswich court March 26, 1661, the following copy is transcribed from the original on file in the probate office in Salem.

I Joseph Jewett of Rowley, being weake of body but *perfect* in understandinge and memory doe make this my last will and test— in manner and forme as followeth, In primis after my debts be payed, I desire the rest of my goods may bee equally diuided *among* my feaven children, as well those two that I haue by my last *wife* as the five that I had before Allwayes provided that my eldest sonne Jeremiah Jewett must haue a dubbell portion, of all Estate I haue both in New England, and Olde, whether Personall or Reall, fur— provided that one hundred pounds I haue allredy payed to my sonne Phillip Nellson, that shall be counted as part of what I doe now giue him. Item I doe giue unto my sonne Jeremiah Jewett the farm I bought of Joseph Muzzy I meane all such Lands bought of *him* or any other, that are on the Norwest fide of the River called Egipt River, with all the meadow I bought of Nathaniell Stow, *and* Robert Lord Senior, provided he accept of it at five hundred pounds and wheras in the fourth Line it is faide I desire the rest of *my* goods to be equally diuided amongst my feauen children, I *meane* Lands as well as goods, and if any of these my aboue faide feauen children, should depart this life, before the age of twenty one years, or day of Marriage, then there

portions, shall bee equally diuided Amongst the rest, allwayes provided my Eldest son Jeremiah shall haue a dobbell portion, and as for my two yongest Children, and there portion, I leaue to the disposinge of my brother Maximillian Jewett, and who he shall apoint when he departeth this life, and I make Exequetors of this my last will and Testament, my Brother Maximilian Jewett, and my sonne Phillip Nellson, my sonne John Carlton, and my sonne Jeremiah Jewett allwayes free and willinge, that they shall be satisfied out of — estate, for all such pains *and* labour, that they shall be at concerninge the aboue premiffes

Dated the 15 : of february in the yeare 1660

signed and sealed in the
 prefence of us

Ezekiel Northend Joseph Jewett[SEAL]
 Mark Prime

At the signinge and sealinge hereof I doe giue my Exequitars full power to *make* deeds, and to confirme any Land — haue fold to any.

Ezekiel Northend Mark Prime

BISHOP NOTES.

John Bishop, jr., married Rachel Rich Oct. 5, 1794, and they had son John, born Dec. 15, 1794.

John Bishop married Judith Rand Oct. 15, 1792; and they had son John, born Sept. 20, 1793, and daughter Judith, born July 8, 1793(?).

John Bishop, sojourner, married Sarah Gray Dec. 10, 1767.

Benjamin Bishop, sojourner, married Hannah Lufkin March 5, 1768; and they had children, John, born July 24, 1769, and James Lufkin, born July 10, 1774.

Samuel Bishop published to widow Elizabeth Potter of Ipswich Dec. 12, 1769.

Samuel Bishop published to Mary Porter of Beverly July 28, 1770.

Abigail Bishop married William Diggs Aug. 28, 1770.

Martha Bishop married Michael Flanikin alias Flamingham Dec. 9, 1766.

Martha Bishop married Ebenezer Trask April 21, 1768.

Hannah Bishop published to David Ingersoll June 16, 1798.

John Bishop married Mrs. Elizabeth Brier June 13, 1783.

—*Gloucester town records.*

SALEM IN 1700. NO. 20.

BY SIDNEY PERLEY.

The map on page 117 represents that part of Salem known as Salem Neck and Winter Island. It is based on actual surveys and title deeds, and is drawn on a scale of eight hundred feet to an inch. It shows the location of all houses that were standing there in 1700.

Winter harbor was so called as early as 1636. The following consecutive references show that it has filled up to some extent. It is first called the sea or Winter harbor, and the cove or Winter harbor, and later ye creek called Winter harbor. These dates are between 1675 and 1713.

Cat cove was so called as early as 1638. It was called the river over against Winter Island in 1659; the cove, 1742; and Cat cove opening to the harbor in the South river, 1792.

Collins cove was so called in 1723; and also, in the same year, Planters Marsh cove.

The causeway connecting Winter Island and the Neck was built about 1645. At a town meeting, 7 : 2 mo : 1645, "Capt. Trask, Peter Palfry & Jeffry Massy are appointed by the towne to sett out the way neere Mr. Holgraues howse into winter Island." This was called the causeway in 1677; ye way and bridge which leadeth down to Winter Island, 1713; the way which leads to ye fort, 1714; and the way, 1738.

The Neck is first mentioned 12 mo : 1634, in the town records, as follows : "Its agreed that the townes neck of land shalbe preserved to feed the Catle on the Lords dayes and therefore pticular men shall n[ot] feed theire goates there at other tymes, but bring them to the h— that

grasse may grow against the Lords dayes." At a meeting of the proprietors of the common lands in Salem, held Nov. 22, 1714, it was "Voated That the Neck of Land to the Eastward Part of the Block-houfes be Grant[ed] and Reserued for the vfe of the Town of Salem for a Pasture for Milch Cow[es] and Rideing Horfes, to be fenced att the Towns Charge and Lett out yearl[y] to the Inhabitants of the Town by the Selectmen, and no one Person to [be] admitted to putt Into Said Pasture in A Sumer more than one Milch Cow or one Rideing Horfe and the whole number not to exceed Tw[o] Acres and a half to a Cow and fouer Acres to A Horfs the Rent to be paid into the Town Treasurer for the Time being for the vfe of thee Town of Salem."* The neck was called the Neck in 1636; the town Neck, 1669; Salem Neck, 1675; and town pasture, 1738. It has been known as the Neck generally to the present time.

Butt point was so called as early as 1637. The first ferry from Marblehead had this point for a terminus.*

Between Butt point and the extreme western end of the map near the narrowest part of the Neck Richard Hollingworth built ships. His son succeeded him as a ship-builder here. They occupied the place for that purpose more than fifty years, prior to 1690.†

At a town meeting, 7 : 7 : 1637, "It is granted to M^r Stephens to haue 18 poole of ground by y^e waters side in length & 12 poole in bredth in y^e narrow of y^e neck for the building of Ships pvided, y^t it shalbe imployed for y^t ende. "At a town meeting, April 13, 1661, "M^r Rich Hollingworth mouing to haue the Land bought by his father of M^r Stevens vpon the neck of land to be Confirmed to him refered to the felect men."† At a meeting of the selectmen, April 22, 1661, "Rich Hollingworth his fathers grannt of land to

* Commoners' Records, page 27.

† Town Records, book 2, page 16.

‡ Salem Quarterly Court Files, volume 49, leaves 73-75.

be layd out to him accordinge to the fame."*

Several grants of land were made by the town in this neighborhood, but probably few of them were laid out, and apparently those that were laid out received no fee in the land. 20: 4: 1637, "Its ordered that Richard Johnson is receiued an Inhabitant and is appoynted half an acre of land for an house lott nere vnto Richard Hollingworths works." 7: 7: 1637 "W^m Huson Tho Chadwell & Roger — shall haue each of them half an acre of grounde at But poynte neere where Hollinwood builds." 15: 2: 1639, "Charles Glover is admitted to be an Inhabitant wthin this towne, — desires the place between Hollingwoth & M^r Steephens at Cat-cove, as also for planting grownd."

Other grants were made, many of which were probably never laid out. 1: 11 mo: 1637, "Richard Moore is Rec. Inhabitant and is granted halfe an acre one the [Darb] neck." 4: 12 mo: 1638, "Henry Bayly desires a little nooke of land next M^r Conants howse at Catt Coue." 8: 6 mo: 1639, at a private town meeting, "Graunted to Thomas Pickton a tenne-acre Lott & a house lot of half an acre vpon the neck neere Catt Cove. Graunted to Beniamyn Parmiter one acre of land vpon the north side of the neck next to Henry Bayly. Samuell Edson is intertayned to be an inhabitant within this towne, and halfe an acre of ground is graunted him neere Catt Coue, & 5 acres more for planting ground. Henry Sillsby mr Sharpes man is receaued an Inhabitant within this Jurisdiction & ther is graunted to him halfe an acre of land neere the Cat Coue for a howse plott." 16: 7: 1639, the town voted that "There is graunted Mathew Nixon a house lott at Cat Coue & a plott for a garden of about a quarter of an acre." 18: 9: 1639, "Mr Ruck desires a howse lott in Cat Coue & there is graunted to him one acre in that place to be layd out by the towne." At

a meeting of the seven men, 12 mo: 3: 1647, "Ed: Wilson mad a request for a $\frac{1}{4}$ of acre of land in the neck near his house: left to Capt. Hawthron & to mr Corwine to view it."

In 1639, Micha Ivers owned a lot of land in the cove near Mr. Holgrave's, by Dixie's, and, also, half an acre of land upon the neck toward Winter harbor that he had bought of George Dill.*

Winter Island is first mentioned 18: 2: 1636, in the town records, as follows: "Granted vnto m^r John Holgrave fisherman three quarters of an acre of land vpon Winter Island for flakes &c." 18: 9: 1639, the records of the town read as follows: "It is pmitted that such as haue fishing lotts about Winter Harbo^r & the Iland shall haue libertie to fence in their lotts to keepe of the swine & goates from their fish, soe that they leaue it open after harvest is in." 11: 10 mo: 1639, the town voted "that the fence w^{ch} was intended to be sett vp [was] by John Holgrave at Winter Island & the neck are forbidden & eu^rie one to fence their owne ground." The next month, the town voted "That the Iland Caled Winter Iland may be fenced Inn for the saftie of the ffishing trade & so to Continue vntill the prim. of the third month Called may vnless such as haue Goats doe fence in the flaks for the saftie of [the] ffish." At a town meeting held 3: 12 mo: 1644, "It is ordered that Mr Hathorne Henry Bartholomew & Mr Moses Mauerick, Captaine Trask & Goodman Lord: or any fflowre of them: [shall] be intreated to view the Ground & marsh at winter Iland & to returne to the next generall towne meeting the true estate of things how they stand concerning the seuerall lotts there." 17: 3: 1655, the town voted and "Its: Ordered y^t: the Iland where the [fort] is: is appropriated for the vse and . . . of the mayntaininge the fort." There were early at least two or three warehouses upon the island. Capt. Walter Price of Salem owned a warehouse on Winter Island

*Town Records, book 2, page 17.

*Court records.

at the time of his death in 1674. It was then valued at forty-five pounds. In his will he gave half of it to his son Capt. John Price. It was standing June 23, 1697, when the executor of the will of Mrs. Elizabeth Price of Salem, deceased, conveyed one-eighth of one-half of it to John Ruck and his wife Elizabeth, daughter of the deceased Elizabeth Price, and after their deaths to their sons Samuel and James Ruck.* Thomas Ives of Salem, for twenty pounds, conveyed to Stephen Sewall of Salem and Nathaniel Dumer of Southton, England, "all y^t my warehouse or fish house, with the leantou adjoining as it is standing & being att Winter Island in Salem," Nov. 23, 1686.† Stephen Sewall, esq., of Salem, merchant, for four pounds and ten shillings, conveyed to Capt. John Browne of Salem, merchant, his eighth part of the wharf and wharf land at Winter Island in Salem "at ye place Sometimes knowne by y^e Name of fish Street," Jan. 20, 1712.‡ The administrator of the estate of Lt. Thomas Gardner of Salem, deceased, conveyed to Capt. John Turner of Salem, merchant, a certain warehouse or fish-house in Salem "at a place comonly Known by y^e name of Winter Island nigh y^e wharfe there," Dec. 23, 1698.§ Thomas Maule of Salem, merchant, for forty-three pounds, conveyed to James Browne of Salem "a certaine fish house or Ware house at winter Island So called within y^e Towneship of Salem aforesaid Standing on ye North Side of Said Island neare vnto fish Street & is Joyning vnto a ware house now in the possefsion of Benjamin Gerrish of Salem," Jan. 31, 1698-9.|| At a meeting of the proprietors of the common lands in Salem, held Nov. 22, 1714, it was "Voated That Winter Isleand be wholly Reserued and Granted for the Vse of the Fishery and shuch Shoreman as Dry ffish there who Live in the Town shal pay an acknowledgment or Rent of fiue shillings

p annum for a Room to dry ffish for a ffishing vefsell and such as liue in other Towns that come and dry ffish there shall pay an acknowledgment or Rent off Twenty Shillings p annum for a ffish Roome for each vefsell; To be Lett by the selectmen of the Town of Salem yearly and the Rents to be paid in to the Town Treasurer for the Vse of the Town; The Hirers to fence in the same att their own Charge."* Winter Island has been so called, generally, since 1636. It was called The Winter Island in 1637, and Winter Neck in 1644.

Several grants were made by the town of lands lying upon Winter Island, but the location is not known, and probably the grants only included the use of the land. 3 : 1 mo : 1637, "Widow Moore desireth a howseloote [vpon] neere vnto the Winter Iland among the ffishermens lotts."

In the inventory of the estate of Timothy Lyndall of Salem, in 1699, one item is the following: "An old tattered house at Winter Island £1, 6 s."

Mr. Thomas Maule of Salem, for thirty-three pounds, to Benjamin Gerrish of Salem, part of "a certain warehouse with the land it stands upon, carrying that breadth down to the water side westward, * * in y^e bounds of Salem, upon Winter Island, * * butting on Catt cove," Jan. 6, 1690-1;† and Mr. Gerrish, for a similar consideration, reconveyed the same land and buildings to Mr. Maule April 14, 1693.‡

John Hardy of Salem died possessed of one-half of a house on Winter Island, "in which we lay fish," in 1652.

William Roach and Hannah Roach Lot. This lot is now the site of the alms-house; and it belonged to Thomas Pighden before 12 : 11 mo : 1661, when John Gidney of Salem, vintner, for love, conveyed it to his son-in-law, Nicholas Potter, sr., of Salem, bricklayer, and wife Mary, daughter of the grantor.§ Mr. Potter

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 12, leaf 26.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 111.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 25, leaf 97.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 15, leaf 127.

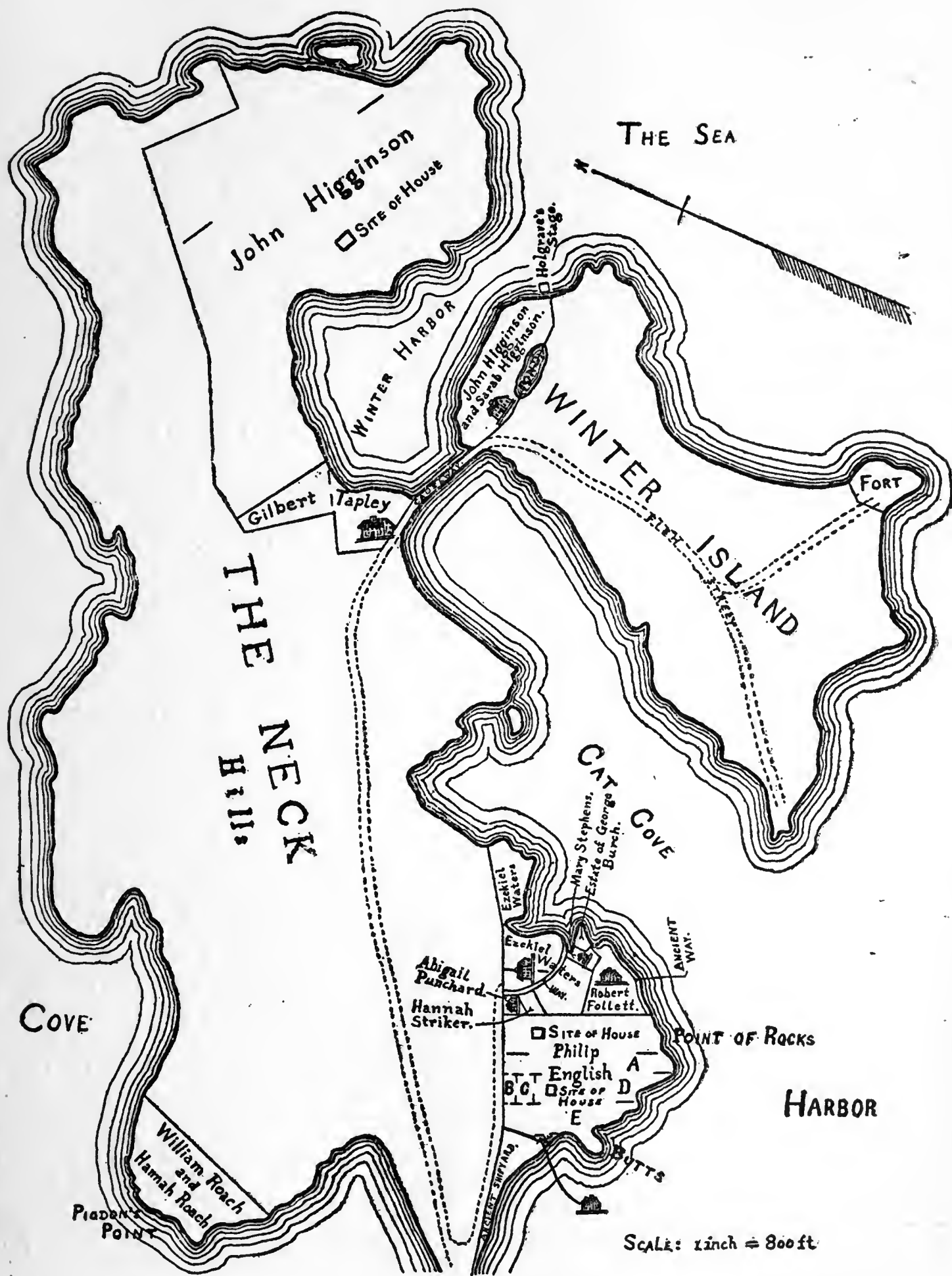
||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 79.

*Commoners' Records, page 27.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 182.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 9, leaf 111.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 35.



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died 18: 8: 1677, having devised this lot to his six children, Samuel, Benjamin, Sarah, Mary, Hannah and Bethiah. By an agreement between the children, dated Aug. 14, 1697, this lot was assigned to Hannah, who was wife of William Roach.* Mr. Roach died possessed of the lot in 1705, and it was then appraised at fifteen pounds. His widow married, secondly, Daniel Darling of Salem, cordwainer, April 15, 1717; and Mr. and Mrs. Darling conveyed the lot to her son William Roach of Cape Cod, tanner, July 16, 1718.† Mr. Roach, then a whale-fisherman, conveyed the lot to Benjamin Ives of Salem, glazier, Sept. 25, 1723;‡ and in 1739, Mr. Ives released it to the town of Salem for land granted to him elsewhere.

John Higginson Lot. That part of this lot lying north of the dashes was granted to Rev. John Higginson 13: 2: 1661. The lot was described as "fixe Acres of land in the great neck neare to Mordechai Creuets new Dwelling."§ Mr. Higginson, for twenty-five pounds conveyed the lot to Capt. Thomas Savage of Boston, merchant, Nov. 25, 1671.||

That part of the lot south of the dashes was granted very early to Thomas Moore, John Herbert, John Pride, and others. The lot of Thomas Moore, "sonne to widow Moore," granted to him by the town 11: 5 mo: 1636, occupied the extreme eastern point of this part of the lot. Mr. Moore removed to Southold, Long Island, and for ten shillings, conveyed to Mordica Craford the half-acre, "joining to y^e land of m^r Jo: Herbert on y^e poynt of land by Winter harbour," 30: 4: 1656.¶ Mr. Herbert also removed to Southold, and, for ten shillings, conveyed to Mr. Craford his half-acre 30: 4: 1656.¶ The half-acre of John Pride was granted to him by the town 20: 1: 1636. It is de-

scribed as being "on Winter harbor by their house." Mr. Pride mortgaged to William Waltham of Waymouth, for four pounds, eight shillings and six pence, his house wherein he dwelleth with one and a half acres of ground enclosed "nere Mr. Holgraves stage in winter harbour," 23: 10: 1640.* Mr. Pride had probably bought two half-acre lots, thus making the one and a half acres that he thus conveyed in mortgage. Mr. Craford had probably come into possession of many of the half-acre lots that were granted by the town to various persons. Two of them were probably purchased by Mr. Pride, and the rest by Mr. Craford. These half-acre lots were granted by the town as follows: To Mr. John Holgrave for a house lot without Winter island, 18: 2: 1636; to Mr. John Jackson, Anthony Dike, Mr. Rayment, Pasca Foote, Jn^o Sibley, Robert Leech, George Williams and Humphrey Woodbury, all at Winter harbor, for fishing trade and to build upon, 16: 11: 1636; to Sergeant Wolfe 14: 6: 1637; to Richard Graves 25: 10: 1637, he promising to follow fishing; to Robert Gooch "nere Winter harbor by his father Holgrave, 1: 11 mo: 1637; to Francis Dent, 24: 12: 1637; Henry Harwood, 26: 9: 1638;† to — Prior, "upon or neere Winter Harbor," 27: 10: 1638; to John Browne, for a fishing lot near Winter Harbor, 21: 11: 1638; to Hugh Browne, Daniel Jeggles, Joseph Younge, Christopher Younge and Thomas Fryar near about Winter harbor to further their fishing, 4: 12: 1638; to Henry Swan, 11: 12 mo: 1638; to Joseph Kitcherill (or Chicherill), 15: 3: 1639; and to Edmund Tompson, Henry Hayward and William (or, Richard) Moore, for fishing lots 18: 9: 1639. The lot granted to John Jackson of Salem, mariner, was conveyed by him, for nine pounds and ten shillings, to Jeffry

*Probate records.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 33, leaf 217. See, also, book 40, leaf 237.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 43, leaf 16.

§Town Records, book 2, page 16.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 125.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 31.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 1.

†This lot had been granted to Michael Lambert, "if he inhabite here," 21: 12: 1637; but he probably failed to come at that time, and the lot was granted to Mr. Harwood.

Massy of Salem, planter, 30 : 9 : 1651;* and Mr. Massy probably conveyed it to Mr. Craford. Thomas Chubb, sr., aged about seventy-five, and Jno. Glover, aged about fifty-one, deposed in Salem court Nov. 25, 1684, "y^t that tract of land now in possession of Jno. Higginson Jun'r, upon Salem necke, whereon Jno. Pride deceased formerly lived, was quietly & peaceably possessed & enjoyed by y^e sd Jno. Pride & successors, from y^e yeare one thousand, six hundred fifty & two, to y^e yeare one thousand, six hundred, sixty & two, according to y^e law of possession as it is now fenced in excepting y^e six acres of land w^{ch} was given by y^e towne of Salem, to Mr. Jno. Higginson, sen'r.† John Pride and Mordecay Craford and the latter's wife Judith, all of Salem, mortgaged all this portion of the lot to Capt. Thomas Savage of Boston, with one dwelling house, barn and all outhouses thereunto belonging with eighteen acres on which the house standeth "on a neck of land in Salem near unto Bass river," the deed being acknowledged Dec. 27, 1661.‡ The mortgage was evidently foreclosed by Captain Savage, who, in consideration of marriage between his daughter Sarah and John Higginson of Salem, merchant, conveyed to them the entire lot Aug. 26, 1675.§ No buildings are mentioned in the deed, but the house may have been standing as late as 1702, for a cottage right is given by the commoners to "John Higginson, esq., for his house on the Neck where [near?] Jn^o Abbots." Mr. Higginson owned the lot until after 1700.

Gilbert Tapley House. That part of this lot northwesterly of the dashes was probably a part of the lot mortgaged by John Pride and Mordecay Craford and the latter's wife Judith to Capt. Thomas Savage of Boston Dec. 27, 1661.‡ Major Savage, for eight pounds, conveyed this lot being half an acre, "lying in Salem up-

on ye neck of land neere Winter harbour enclosed with a stonewall the most part of it," to Gilbert Tapley of Salem, fisherman, Nov. 7, 1677.* The executors of the will of Capt. Walter Price, deceased, released this lot to Major Savage Dec. 20, 1677.†

That part of the lot lying southeasterly of the dashes and the house thereon were the property of Mordecai Craford before Oct. 15, 1677, when Henry Bartholmew of Salem conveyed to Gilbert Tapley of Salem, fisherman, "a dwelling house with all ye ground adjoining to ye sd house which formerly was the house & ground of Mordecai Craford, in Salem, near ye causeway going over to Winter Island."‡

Mr. Tapley became a shoreman, and died possessed of the house and lot in 1714. He had apparently erected another house upon the lot, as the inventory of his estate mentions "a dwelling house & small dwelling house a little barn and about an acre of land," valued at one hundred pounds. Mr. Tapley's administrator, for one hundred pounds, conveyed the lot and the house that then stood upon it to Capt. John Abbott of Salem, shoreman, Feb. 14, 1714-5.§ One of the houses was destroyed or removed, apparently, in 1714. Captain Abbott conveyed the house and lot, then called three-fourths of an acre, for eighty pounds, to Benjamin Ives of Salem, merchant, Aug. 16, 1738.|| Mr. Ives became a tanner, and died in the summer of 1752, possessed of the land, but the house was gone.

John Higginson and Sarah Higginson House. This lot was conveyed by the executors of Capt. Walter Price (who died June 5, 1674) to Maj. Thomas Savage of Boston, merchant, Dec. 20, 1677.† The lot then had a stonewall around it on the land side. Major Savage built a house upon the lot, and died possessed of the

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 19.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 12.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 33.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 134.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 168.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 189.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 17.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 29, leaf 254.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 74, leaf 176.

estate in 1682. In his will he gave to his daughter Sarah, wife of John Higginson of Salem, merchant, two hundred pounds in money or all of his real estate in Salem, at her election. She chose the real estate, and his executors conveyed the same to Mr. and Mrs. Higginson, including this lot and the house thereon, Aug. 18, 1683.* John Massey of Salem, husbandman, evidently had some interest in the lot, being perhaps the original owner, and he released it to the executors of Capt. John Price, deceased, March 7, 1683-4.† Mrs. Higginson died June 24, 1713, and Mr. Higginson March 23, 1720. The surviving executor of the will of Mr. Higginson, for three hundred pounds, conveyed the lot and buildings thereon to George Daland of Salem, cordwainer, Dec. 1, 1727,‡ and on the same day Mr. Daland conveyed the same estate, for a similar consideration, to John Higginson of Salem, shopkeeper, son and surviving executor of the deceased John Higginson.§ Mr. Higginson conveyed the lot to Benjamin Ives of Salem, tanner, the house being gone, April 8, 1730.|| Writing in September, 1791, Dr. William Bentley mentioned the site of this house as follows: "On Winter Island, near the causeway is a mound of earth round which I traced stones set in the earth, and on each side hollows, that to the eastward being evidently a cellar, and the other artificial tho' 'tis smaller, and both joining in a line the mound, which is now nearly two feet above the stones. . . . I find by digging that it was a very large house, and that the heap, which lay so high above the ancient method of putting in foundations, is a heap of earth and stones, with the old bricks and rubbish of which a large stack of chimneys was made."¶

The Fort. This fortification was established in or before 1643. In 1644,

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 94.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 10.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 57, leaf 49.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 52, leaf 183.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 55, leaf 92.

¶Journal of Dr. William Bentley (in manuscript), volume XIX, pages 211 and 213.

Capt. Thomas Breadcake was permitted by the general court to take two small guns from "Winter Island by Salem" for his cruise against Turkish pirates. In 1652, the general court gave one hundred pounds towards the fort. At a town meeting held 17: 3: 1655, "Its: Ordered that the fort vpon winter [Iland] shall be finished with all speed: Mr: Corwin[e:] Leift: Lawthrope: Edmo: Battar: ar apoynted [to] order the work aboute the forte together with those form'ly apoynted. Its: Ordered yt: the Iland where the [fort] is: is appropriated for the vse and [] of the mayntaininge the fort. Its Ordered yt those men apoynted for the ordering of the fort: haue power to warne men to work abou[te] the forte to the finishinge of it, accordinge to the ppor[tion] of each mans Rate: and vpon the neglecte of any [] the penalty of 3^s: p day accordinge to a [for]mer order to be destrayned vpon them." In 1666, every male in the town above the age of sixteen years was required to take his turn in working upon the fort; and the town spent three hundred and twenty pounds. The next year it was ordered "that the great guns be carried to the fort with speed." In 1673, it was repaired, the "great artillery got ready for use, and all else done as this juncture requires," as there was apprehension of hostile movements by the Dutch. In 1690, it was again repaired and eleven great guns and ammunition were brought to the town. In 1699, it was known as Fort William, in honor of the king.

In 1706, There was a serious dispute between the house and the governor and council because the latter had paid the men in the fort without consulting the house. In 1794, after the Revolution, the fort was ceded to the United States, and Oct. 30, 1799, the royal name it had borne for a hundred years was changed to that of Fort Pickering, in honor of Timothy Pickering. The fort had just been rebuilt under the superintendence of Jonathan Waldo of Salem, an apothecary.

cary; and it was thought to be in some respects a model fortification, especially on account of semi-circular stone carriage-ways on which the guns were worked. On that day, which was the 64th birthday of Pres. John Adams, "At 12 o'clock the company marched to an eminence near the fort, where the superintendent of the works, agreeable to the direction of the secretary of war, made proclamation under a federal discharge of a rillery that the fortress of the United States formerly called Fort William was from that day forward to bear the name of Fort Pickering. The company then repaired to Captain Felt's where they dined . . . a number of toasts appropriate for the occasion were given; and they concluded the day with the decent regularity of citizen soldiers."

The fort was garrisoned soon after it was built, and also in the time of the Dutch troubles, during the war with the French and Indians and in the war of 1812. There was a brick garrison house and barracks within its stone walls, its garrison consisting of a single sergeant, the last being Sergeant Cahoon. This was just before the war of the Rebellion.

The last reconstruction of this ancient fortification was during the war of the Rebellion in 1863, when a conflict with England seemed likely to grow out of the Mason-Slidell affair. The old fort was then demolished and new and more extensive works were constructed, with bombproofs, magazines, a ditch, platforms for heavy guns and a line of earthworks in the rear extending across the island.

Ezekiel Waters Lot. This point of land belonged to Robert Follett in 1659, when he had a house upon it. He also owned it in 1669. It was owned by Ezekiel Waters in 1700. How long the house stood after 1659 is not known.

Ezekiel Waters House. This lot was a part of that conveyed by John Ormes of Salem, carpenter, to Robert Follett of Salem, with the house thereon, May 24, 1659.* Mr. Follett conveyed the lot,

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 67.

the house being gone, to Richard Waters of Salem, gunsmith, April 9, 1669.* Mr. Waters erected a new house upon the lot in 1671; and before it was finished conveyed the eastern half of it and that part of the lot to his son Ezekiel Waters, for his services to the father and mother to that time, Oct. 24, 1671.† Richard Waters died possessed of the western half of the house and that part of the lot in 1677. It was then appraised at seventy pounds. In his will he devised his estate to his wife Rejoice for her life with power to sell and convey it. In her "old age," she conveyed the part of the house that was devised to her by her husband and that part of the lot, being the western portions of the house and lot, to her son, Ezekiel Waters, Oct. 20, 1687.‡ There were also upon the lot and conveyed with the same a brewhouse and well. Thus Ezekiel Waters became the owner of the entire homestead. Widows Elizabeth McMarr and Martha Coats, both of Salem, conveyed one third of the land and buildings to Nathaniel Andrew of Salem, merchant, March 19, 1742.§ Sarah Felter and Joanna Felter, both of Boston, spinsters, granddaughters of Ezekiel Waters, conveyed their interest to Mr. Andrew March 21, 1742.|| Widow Rejoice Bullock of Boston and Priscilla Waters of Boston, single woman, conveyed their interest to Mr. Andrew on the same day.¶ The house was gone before the death of Mr. Andrew, which occurred Feb. 4, 1762.

This little settlement was called Watertown (or Waters' town) early in the eighteenth century.

Abigail Punchard House. This was a part of the lot that was conveyed by John Ormes of Salem, carpenter, to Robert Follett of Salem May 24, 1659.** Mr. Follett conveyed the lot to Richard Waters of Salem, gunsmith, April 9, 1669.*

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 53.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 134.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 29.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 88, leaf 169.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 88, leaf 191.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 88, leaf 192.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 67.

Mr. Waters conveyed this part of his homestead to his daughter Abigail, wife of William Punchard, who had just erected a house thereon, 4 : 7 : 1671.* The house was standing in 1702, when it was in his possession, and was gone in 1742, while the title to the lot was in their children.

Hannah Striker Lot. This was a part of the lot that was conveyed by John Ormes of Salem, carpenter, to Robert Follett of Salem May 24, 1659.† Mr. Follett conveyed the lot to Richard Waters of Salem, gunsmith, April 9, 1669.‡ Mr. Waters conveyed this lot to his daughter Hannah, wife of Joseph Striker, Oct. 26, 1675.§ The lot apparently belonged to Mr. Striker in 1700.

Mary Stephens House. This was a part of the lot that was conveyed by John Ormes of Salem, carpenter, to Robert Follett of Salem May 24, 1659.† Mr. Follett conveyed the lot to Richard Waters of Salem, gunsmith, April 9, 1669.‡ Mr. Waters conveyed it to his daughter Mary, wife of Clement English of Salem July 2, 1671.¶ Mr. English had erected a house upon the lot before the date of the deed. He died Dec. 23, 1682; and the lot of twelve square rods and the dwelling house and a little cowhouse thereon were appraised at twenty-five pounds. His widow, Mary, married, secondly, John Stephens of Salem, fisherman, before Sept. 28, 1685. The house was standing in 1702, when she owned it, and it was gone before 1742.

Estate of George Burch Lot. This lot belonged to George Burch in 1659, when a house stood thereon. Mr. Burch died 1 : 8 : 1672. The house was then standing, and, with the lot, was appraised at twenty-two pounds. The house was gone before 1702; the lot being owned by the heirs of Mr. Burch, his widow, having married again, and being then Mrs. Cole, and children, Mary, wife of John Collins,

fisherman, and Abigail Burch, single woman, all of Salem.

Robert Follett House. This lot was a part of the land conveyed by John Ormes of Salem, carpenter, to Robert Follett of Salem, shoreman or husbandman, May 24, 1659.* Mr. Follett immediately built a small house thereon, and, for ten pounds, conveyed the house and lot to his grandson, William Herbert of Salem, mariner, April 29, 1703.† Mr. Herbert died possessed of the house and lot before 1732, when two at least of his children were William and Benjamin. The house was gone before Jan. 20, 1761, when Capt. Benjamin Herbert died possessed of the lot, the house being gone.

Philip English House. That part of this lot lying north of the northern dashes belonged to Humphrey Woodbury in 1669. It subsequently belonged to Robert Codnam; and later was the property of Edward Wilson of Salem, ship-carpenter. The latter removed to Fairfield, Conn., before Jan. 24, 1679, when he conveyed this part of the lot, for nine pounds, to Benjamin Browne of Salem, merchant.‡ Mr. Browne conveyed it to Philip English of Salem, mariner, Feb. 9, 1679-80.§ There was a house upon this lot before 1661, but it was not subsequently mentioned.

The remainder of the lot belonged to Richard Hollingsworth of Salem, mariner, in 1672.

The lot marked "A" was conveyed by Capt. John Corwine to Philip Cromwell of Salem; and Mr. Cromwell died possessed of the lot March 30, 1693. His executor conveyed it to Philip English of Salem, merchant, Nov. 10, 1697.¶

The lot marked "B" was set off to Philip English on execution against Mr. Hollingsworth 15 : 3 : 1675.¶ This was then part of an orchard.

* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 134.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 67.

‡ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 53.

§ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 127.

¶ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 148.

* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 67.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 17, leaf 67.

‡ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 59.

§ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 62.

¶ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 64.

¶ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 125.

The lot marked "C" was set off on execution to Henry Bartholmew of Salem; and he conveyed it to Philip English 17: 8: 1677.* This was part of the orchard.

The lot marked "D," having a house upon it in 1673, was conveyed by Mr. Hollingsworth to Philip Cromwell of Salem soon after that date. Mr. Cromwell died possessed of the lot March 30, 1693. His executor conveyed it to Philip English, the house being gone, Nov. 10, 1697.†

The lot marked "E" was conveyed by Mr. Hollingsworth to Philip Cromwell of Salem Jan. 27, 1672-3.‡ It was a half acre of pasture. Mr. Cromwell died possessed of the lot March 30, 1693; and his executor conveyed it to Philip English Nov. 10, 1697.†

The lot marked "F" was the small lot of twelve square rods conveyed by Mr. Hollingsworth, for five pounds, to Peter Welcome of Boston Aug. 19, 1672.§ Mr. Welcome had "lately" built a dwelling house upon the lot. He conveyed the house and lot to Philip Cromwell of Salem April 17, 1673.|| Mr. Cromwell died possessed of the house and lot March 30, 1693; and his executors conveyed the same to Philip English Nov. 10, 1697.† The house was gone in 1702.

Thus Mr. English became owner of the entire lot, and continued its owner until his decease in, or before, 1737.

WILL OF JOSEPH PEASLEY.

The will of Joseph Peasley of Salisbury was proved in the court held at Salisbury April 9, 1661. The following is a copy of the original on file in the probate office at Salem.

The ||last|| will and testament of Joseph Peasly is that my deats shall bee paid out of my estate and the remainner of my

estat wich is left my deats being paid I doe give and dooe beequeaf the on have vnto mery my wiff during her life and I doo giue to my dafter Sera all my hous and lands that I have at Salsbery and I doo give vnto Josef my Sonne all my land that I have upon the plain at Haverell and doo all so giue vnto Jofef my Sonn ||all|| medo ling in the East medo at Haverell and doo give vnto Josef my Sonn all my right in the oxespaster at Haverell and doo giue vnto Josef my Sonn five of the common rites that doo be long vnto the plain I doo give vnto my dafter Elesebeth my forty fouer eakers of vpland lying west word of Haverell and doo giue vnto my dafter Elesebeth fouer Eakers and a have of medo liing in the west medo at Haverell and doo all so give to my dafter Elesebeth fouer of the common rits that doo belong to the plain and doo give vnto my daffter Jean tenn shillen and to my dafter mary tenn Shellens I doo give vnto Sarah Saier my granchild my ||vp||land and medo liing at Speaket reuer and I doo give vnto my Sunn Josef all the re mainer of my land at Haverell wich is not heare disposed of this is my laft will and testement being in my righ[t] mind and memore wittnes my hand the 11 of nouember 1660

wittnes Phill: Challis

Thomas Barnard Josef pesle

Richard Courrier

I doo all so make mary my wiffe my Soull exseceter and doo allso leave Josef my Sunn and the estat that I haue giueen him to my wiffe desposen tell Josef my Sonn be twenty yeares of aige

NOTES.

Samuel Bishop married Eleanor Matthews Dec. 25, 1718; and had children: Samuel, baptized Nov. 2, 1729: John, baptized Oct. 3, 1731: and Mary, baptized May 20, 1733.

Children of John and Sarah Bishop: John, baptized Dec. 7, 1755; Samuel, baptized May 21, 1758; and Sarah, baptized Jan. 24, 1762.

* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 62.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 64.

‡ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 55.

§ Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 161.

|| Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 141.

James Bishop married Mary Ball, both of Marblehead, Sept. 16, 1765; and they had son James baptized May 25, 1766.

—*Marblehead records.*

IPSWICH COURT RECORDS AND FILES.

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Court, 25; 1: 1651.

Judges: John Endicot, esquire, dep.-gov., Mr. Symon Broadstreet and Mr. Samuëll Symonds.

Trial jury: Moses Pengry, Jerymyah Belchar, Thomas Clarke, William Fellows, Regnall Foster, Ezekell Northen, Willm Law, John Tod, John Pickard, Nicholas Noyce, Tho: Coleman and John Hull.

Robert Crose v. Cornelious Waldo.

John Broadstreet v. Joseph Muzye. Slander. Judgment for plaintiff, £6; defendant to make such acknowledgment as the court shall appoint in the meeting-house at Ipswich on some lecture day within three weeks, or to pay £4 more.

John Chatter v. Nathaniel Wire. For detaining a beast. ["Brother Wier's letter from ——— about a writing Mr. Endicote had of you," etc., about the ear mark. Christopher Bartlet testified in reference to arbitration, and to going to the steer with Goodman Wire and another, laying the ear upon a piece of paper and marking it out with a pen, and also that the ear was cut. Sworn in Ipswich court, 25: 1: 1651. John Davis deposed about a strange steer being at his house, which he cried in the meeting-house; that Goodman Wier came to see whether it was his, and he said it was not; that John Chator came to "my house" to see it four days afterward, said it was his, Chator carried it to his (Chator's) house and he has got it still. Archelaus Woodman deposed as to the mark. John Knight testified that, being in Goodman Wire's yard upon a lecture day, Goodman Adames came, saying he was come to see the steer, which was a little black one; Wire asked him whether it was Goodman John Chater's; he answered, "No; but my children know him better than I." John

Emery, sr., deposed that the six arbitrators asked Goodman Roper, who new ear-marked the steer. He said he did not. He said, "I sold the steer to Will Titcombe, and John Chater claimed it by reason of the ear-mark." Goodman Roper said he cut it deeper to make it plainer. Robert Adams testified that he sold the steer to Goodman Chater; and his daughter Joane Adams, aged above seventeen years, testified the same. Richard Browne testified about the steer. Edmund Moores testified that he was asked to go to Goodman Adams, house to see the steer, etc. Francis Browne testified that he believes the steer to be Chater's. John Trewman testified that the steer John Cheter bought of Goodman Adams was delivered to me, that I kept it six weeks, and that this is not the steer. John Bartlet testified that he was about to buy John Cheter's steer, but this was not it. The plaintiff demanded the steer in custody of Nathaniel Wyer on the testimony of Archelaus Woodman and of the above named Robert and Joan Adams and of Abraham Adams, aged about ten years, daughter and son of said Robert Adams.—*Files.*]

Alexander Knight v. Theophilus Willson. Defamation.

Edward Clarke v. Jo: Newman. [Richard Kembell, jr., deposed that John Newman came to him about the middle of this winter and said that he would hire a pair of oxen for Edward Clark, though they cost him three pounds. Wilm Whiteridg deposed that he was present in the company of Edward Clark, John Newman, Henery Kembell and Thomas Whiteridg about last Michelemesse time; John Newman spoke to Edward Clarke of two oxen which Clarke had hired of him, etc.; and Newman would have Clark go to Roger Lankton about the oxen. Thomas Newman testified that he came "to my Brother John" and said that the oxen had been let to Edward Clark; sworn 30: 11: 1650, before Samuel Symonds. Thomas Kimball testified that he heard John Newman say that Edward Clark

had hired the oxen; sworn in court 27 : 1 : 1651. Witness subpoenas to Marke Symons and Robert Lord of Ipswich, in this case, dated 25 : 1 : 1651; by the court, John Whipple.—*Files.*]

Tho : Dorman undertakes to pay for Je : Clarke.

John Pike v. John Wright and John Davis. For taking away a rick of hay.

William Flint v. Edmond Farrington. Review. [Phillip Verin and John Hill, aged above twenty years, testified that they saw Mathew ffarrington and two others with him come to William flint's yard at Mr. Downing's farm when he lived there, and they brought two teams and loaded with hay. Sworn to before Jo : Endecott, dep.-gov. Witness bill of John Davis and John Wright. Ruben Guppy and Parsca Souden (also Sawden) testified that we were mowing the hay for which Wm. fflynt and Daniell Rumbell were sued by old goodman ffarrington of Lynn; said ffarrington came to us and showed us the bounds of his farm, which were a great oak on one side and two pines on the other; where we mowed was none of his. Sworn before Jo Endecott, dep.-gov. Edward Burcham testified that he was with Goodman ffarrington when the hay was levied on; William Flint his man told us that such a parcel was Goodman ffarrington's hay, and that was levied on, by the marshall. Copy of judgment, Salem court, 26 : 10 : 1648, in Edmund ffarrington v. Lawrence Suthwicke and Danyell Rumball; action of trespass, cutting grass, etc. Daniell Rumball testified about the hay; sworn before Jo : Endecott, dep.-gov., 26 : 1 : 1651; copy. Daniell How, sometime an inhabitant of Lynn, was a lot-layer of Lynn, and with brother Walker and brother Collins (also lot-layers) testified about Edmund ffarrington's five-acre meadow lot at west end of long meadow without Mr. Humphry's farm; those who lived at the farm informed us as to the bounds, Aug. 28, 1649. Sworn before Robert Bridges 2 : 8mo : 1649; copy. Edmund ffarrington's bill of costs.—*Files.*]

Samuell Dalibar v. Andrew Leyster (also, Leister). Case. [Samuell Dlover, living in Marblehead, letter from Andrew Lester, dated Gloster 8 mo : 10 : 1649; "Samvoll dallouer my loue remembrd unto you this," etc.; "send bill to Mr. Rusell," etc. Order to Mr. Rusell, dated Feb. 24, 1650, signed by Andrew Lester (his mark A), to deliver certain woolen cloth to Samuel Daliber.—*Files.*]

Jeremiah Belchar v. Charles Glover. Debt. Withdrawn. [John Newmarch testified that Charles Glover promised to satisfy Goodman Bellsher for money.

John Devorix v. Mr. Valintyne Hill. Two cases. [Writ : To marshall of Boston : John Devorex v. Mr. Vallentine Hill of Boston; charge of voyage at Munhegen in 1650, and the former part of that winter, in 1649, at Marblehead; dated 12 : 25 : 1650; by the court, Henry Bartholmew; served by Richard Waite. Bill of John Devericks to Mr. Hill, upon a fishing voyage at Marblehead. Paid to Major Seidgwick — Vinson of Cape Ann, for provision while stage was building, for building a stage at Annisquam. To Gabrill Hatherly and John Gorgroell out of their shares. To Mr. Lake, Mr. Hathorne; to John Bennet and Mather Coe, portlidge; to Rich : Rowland and James Smith; to Mr. Manninge, boat hire; to Arter Sanden, beer, etc.; and to Mr. Stilman, for provisions. Bills of disbursements to Captain Hawthen. Bills referring to Tho : Yow, Mr. Browne, Tho : Bowen; etc. Bill of John Deverickes of Marblehead, June, 1650. Bill of Mr. Hill due to John Devorix, voyage at Marblehead and Munhegon last year; John Stacy's wages, Tho : Yeow, Mr. Brown, Thomas Boen's wages at Marblehead. Bill of same 15 : 12 : 1647, to Goody Knight and Goody Parkes. Bill of Benjamin Mungey. Letter from John Manning to John Deverix :—

"mr John deverix

"I moft kindly falut yow ettq^a I fhall Intreat yow that yow would deliuer up my bote unto my brother Moses the first of June and the hire of him in fifh. Ac-

ording as you and I agreed for with all things that doth belong to him foe not Ells att p^rfent reft yo^{rs} to Command

“John Manning”

Receipt of Tho Lake of Mr. Jno. Deuerex on account of Mr. Jno. Manning, July 21, 1647. John Deuerix testified as to expenditures for Mr. Hill among his men that fished for him in 1647. Mr. William Lullaby testified that in 12th mo: 1649, being at Mr. Hill's house in Boston with John Deverex Mr. Hill much importuned him to go to Munhigon with his men (one of whom the affiant was apparently), saying that if he should leave him all his men would forsake him, and he would be undone, etc. Mathew Coe testified that he was employed, in 1647, by Mr. Hill in fishing, but agreed as to wages with John Deuerex, and was paid by the latter, and not by Major Sedgwick nor Mr. Hill. James Browne testified as to what was fetched from Goodman Sandens in beer and provisions at the weighing of the fish, etc. James Browne and Francis Johnson testified that Mr. Thomas Lake said that John Deverex demanded his money, etc. James Smith testified that he sold something to Mr. Chapell, master of Mr. Hill's voyage, at Marblehead, in 1647, an order being given by Mr. Hill to John Deuerick. Sworn to before Jo: Endecott, dep. gov. Francis Johnson testified about John Deverick, etc., in Salem court 25; 12: 1650, and the same by James Browne 12; 1 mo: 1650-1. Thomas Hawkins testified that he heard John Devericks and John Bennett say that they had none of the meal, etc., that Mr. Price of Salem charged to Mr. Hills in 1646 and 1647. James Browne testified as to a boat hired of Mr. Maninge that Major Sedgwick ordered me not to pay for, etc. James Browne testified that though Mathew Coe was appointed to haue his portlidge of Major Sedgwick, yet he had it of John Deuericks in fish, etc. James Browne testified that he “faw John Deuerix deliver a board a vefsell that to my befte remembrance was ould Groces w^{ch} m^r Edward Weath-

ridge was in & that m^r weatheridge tooke fishe from the ftage m^r Hill beinge then present.” George Tucker testified that Mr. Hill being at Munhigon when John Deverex was in his employ, etc. Richard Waite, aged about fifty years, deposed that being at Marblehead 12th month last year, John Deverix demanded £13 of Mr. Vallentine Hill for a fishing voyage at Munheagon this last summer. Job Hawkings testified the same. Sworn before William Stibbins 24: 1: 1650.—*Files.*]

Mr. Willm Norton v. Richard Johnson. [Samuel Taylor testified that being at Goodman Armitayge's, Mastor Norten and Goodman Johnson, said etc. John Hardman testified that being at the house of Joseph Armitage when Mr. Willm Norton of Ipswich and Rich Johnson had a difference about some pay, about paying him at Lynn, and that Edward Burcham was present. Sworn to 24: 1: 1650, before Rob: Bridges. Edward Burchum testified somewhat as John Hardman above, and also that Norton had a bill that he had bought of Richard Johnson which was made over to Richard Johnson by Abraham *Frghe*, etc.—*Files.*]

Made free: of Ipswich, Mr. Samuel Symonds, jr., Nath: Stow and John Layton; of Newbury, John Chatter; and of Andover, Willm Ballard.

John Frye sworn sealer of weights and measures for Andover; and John Trumble, for Rowley.

John Knolton sworn constable for Ipswich.

John Perye of Newbery discharged of his bond of good behavior.

Mr. William Gerish, John Pike, jr., and Mr. Edward Woodman chosen to end small causes for Newbury; and the first two were sworn.

Will and inventory of Tho: Barker, late of Rowly, received and proved.*

Mr. Jonathan Wade allowed costs, being summoned by Willm Symonds, and the action not entered.

*A copy of this will is in *The Antiquarian*, volume IV, page 88.

Abraham Whitacre,* for pilfering ten pounds from his master, Joseph Jewett, to pay him thirty pounds and fees of court. [Presented for pilfering certain goods from Joseph Juett of Rowley. Witnesses: Joseph Juett and goodman Acey.—*Files.*]

[George Keyser deposed about a bill that he had charged upon one Mr. Gray, etc. Sworn to before Robt Bridges 24 : 1 : 1650. Mr. Bridges added to the affidavit a note addressed to the court saying that he sends depositions of Jon^o Mansfeild and Anthony Newhall referring to arbitration between George Keyser and Thom^s Newhall.—*Files.*] Georg Keizer given fees as witness in Salem court.

Mary Muzye, "being of age," according to her father's will, chose Mr. John Norton for her guardian and gave him power to dispose of her in marriage.

Mr. Valentine Hill, Thomas Haukins and Jeremiah Belchar signed bond to prosecute said Hill's appeal.

John Chote, for stealing apples, to pay Mr. Hubard eighteen pence and fees of witnesses and court. [John Chote of Ipswich presented, 10 : 8 mo : 1650, for stealing fruit out of Mr. Hubard's orchard. Witnesses: goodwife Starkweather and Thomas Bishopp. Samuel Ayres testified that being a general training at Charlestown, Theophilus Salter asked me whether I called at Mr. Hubbard's farm; I replied, No; he asked John Chote to go to Hubbard's and get some apples; and Chote said that he was afraid to. William Auerill testified that being at the raising of a house where Goodman Bishop and Theophilus Salter were. Bishop asked Salter about taking the apples, etc. Joseph Fowlar stated that Theophilus said that he would bear out John Chot in his appeal, about taking apples in Mr. Hubbard's orchard, etc. Joseph Begsy heard Chote say that Mistress Hubard gave him leave. Thomas Bishop testified that Theophilus Salter said that he did not tell John Chote that he had leave to take apples. Joseph Lanckton testified

that as he was going to the last general training at Charlestowne, with Theophilus Salter, John Chote and John Buck, when they came near Mr. Hubbert's farm, Salter said he would have apples, as he had leave of Mistress Hubbert, and he persuaded John Choat to go in with him, and he said, Joseph Bixbe is my witness.—*Files.*]

Ezekiel Northen fined.

Rich: Swan fined three shillings, and to pay fees of Ezekell Northen and court. [Richard Swaine of Rowley presented, 10 : 8 mo : 1650, for breach of the peace in striking Ezekiel Northen in the face with a staff or goad. Witnesses: Deacon Mitchall and Good Acey.—*Files.*]

Mary Crose to pay Mr. Rogers twelve shillings witness fees and ten shillings for a proved lie. [Mary Cross of Rowley presented, 10 : 8 m : 1650, for lying and pilfering. Witnesses: Elder Raynor and Deacon Michael. Thomas Dickanson notified the marshall that the freemen of [Ro]wlay have chosen Ezekiel Northen, [J]ohn Pickard, John Tode and William Lawe, jurymen, and warned Richard Swane, Abraham Whiteker and Mary Crose ye wife of Twyfourde West and also as *witnesses* Elder Rainer, Deacon Mighel, Joseph Jowet and William Asee. Endorsed by jury Moses Pengry, Serg. Jer: Belcher, Serg. Tho: Clarke, Will Fellows, Regnell Foster, Ezekiel Northen, William Law, John Tod, Jo: Pickard, Nicolas Noyce, Thomas Colman and Jo: Hull. Humfry Reyner and Thomas Mighell certify that they being at the house where Mary Crosse did dwell (she being to serve Mistris Shoue, and were called to care for her goods), we saw some bags of malt there, and asked her (Mary Crosse) where she had that; she said it was goodman Cross', and she had it to grind for him. She said he had it of Charles Brown, but goodman Crosse and Charles Brown denied it. She afterward said she took it out of Mr. Rogers' chamber without his knowledge or consent. Thomas Mighell testified that the malt Mary West saw was goodman Cross' which

Elder Rainer and I saw in Mistress Shove's house, when Mary West was their servant, etc.—*Files.*]

William Randall and his wife fined forty shillings for suspicion of uncleanness, and to pay fees of court and of witnesses, John Emery and his wife. [William Randall of Newbury and his wife Elizabeth presented, 10: 8 mo: 1650, for suspicion of fornication. Their child was born nine or ten weeks before due time. Witnesses: John Emery, jr., and his wife. John Emmery and his wife *Hener* deposed that William Randall and his wife Elizabeth was married a fortnight and a day or two after *myallscit*, and said Elizabeth was brought to bed May 14, 1650. Mary Emery deposed that William Rendale denied that the child was his as it came before her time. I said she might come a month before her time. He replied that from six or seven weeks before marriage he would own the child to be his.—*Files.*]

Mr. Sewall, for contemptuous speeches and gestures to Rev. Ezekiel Rogers, Matthew Boyse, etc., admonished and to make acknowledgement in the Rowley meeting house, being called on, or pay forty shillings. [Mr. Henry Sewell of Rowley presented 26: 1: 1651. Witnesses: the grand jurymen of Rowley, Thomas Michall, Mathew Boyes, etc. Rowley, 10th mo: 1650, Humfrey Reyner, Thomas Mighell, Ezekiel Northend and Will — and Mathew Boyce certified that Mr. Shouell was walking in the foremost seat in the meeting house of Rowlye near the pulpit. Mr. Rogers, being present and ready to step into the place to begin prayer, said, "Mr. Showell, cease your walking." Mr. Showel answered "You should have come sooner," etc. Mr. Showel continued his walk, our pastor said, "Mr. Shouell, remember where you are; this is the house of God." Mr. Shouel answered with a loud voice, "I know how to behave myself in the house of God as well as you," etc. Then our pastor said, "Rather than that he disturb the congregation put him out." Mr. Showell replied, "Let us see who dare."

After this a brother spoke to him in a friendly way, but Mr. Showell with a stern countenance and threatening manner said he would take a course with some of us, etc. On another Lord's day Showell was walking in the meeting house, a part of the congregation being assembled, he, looking up, said, "Good Lord, this day is spent, I know not how, and nothing is yet done," expressing some trouble in other words. Sworn to by said H. R. and M. B., 25: 1: 1651, in Ipswich court.—*Files.*] The following is a copy of the acknowledgment:—

"I Henry Sewall being p^rfented to the Court holden at Ip^fw^h in the first month 1651 for contemptuous speaches, & gestures, to the reverend m^r Ezeckieall Rogers & others in the publiq^e meeting; and the truth thereof being proved by full Testimony; vpon which as part of y^e sentence I am inioyned to make my confession & acknowledgment of my great finne against god & offence against his meffinger, & espetially in charging Mathew Boyse about buying my howse for the remoovall of me out of the Towne which was denyed by him, & not pved by me. I doe now in the p^rfence of god & of this reverand assembly freely acknowledg my evell according to the full extent of the Testimonies and doe earnestly desire you all to pray to the god of all wifdome & grace to pardon these & all other my finnes & to guide me in his bleffed wayes of Truth & peace for tyme to come."

Thomas Rolinson, proven impotent, on complaint of his wife, he is to take counsel of physicians forthwith, follow their advice, and report to court.

John Deverex swears to account of the voyage. Mentions Mr. Hill and Marblehead.

June 3, 1651.

Rowly, presented for defect in the highways, being mended, is discharged, paying fees of court. [Town of Rowley presented, 1st mo: 1651, for defect in highway between Rowley and Newbury. Witnesses: Mr. Gerrish and Archelaus Woodman.—*Files.*]

Town of Ipswich, presented for defect in the pound, being made sufficient, is discharged. [Town of Ipswich presented, 10: 8 mo: 1650, for defect in their pound, being decayed and insufficient.—*Files.*]

Town of Ipswich, presented 10: 8 mo: 1650, for defect in highway [between Ipswich and Rowley—*Files*], being mended, is discharged, paying the fees of court.

Martha, wife of Joseph Fowlar, fined for lying. [Martha, wife of Joseph fowler of Ipswich presented for pernicious lying tending to defamation of her own sister. Witnesses: George Palmer and wife and Goodwife Lovell. George Palmer and wife testified that Joseph fowler and wife (?) liuing at my house upon a time, J. F.'s wife was sitting by the fire with us, speaking of Robert ffilbrick ———, I was commending his good husbandry, and she said she knew him to be a rogue. She had had no criminal intercourse with him, but one of the fishermen's wives had, namely her sister Dutch, etc.—*Files.*]

Alexander Knight fined for lying. Witness: James How. [Alexander Knight of Ipswich presented, 10: 8 mo: 1650, for lying. Witnesses: Marke Symones, Robert Lord, Goodwife Perey, Goodman How and Richard Cooke.—*Files.*]

Job Bishop fined, or be whipped, for suspicion of fornication. [Job Bishop of Ipswich presented, 1st mo: 1651, for fornication, his wife being delivered of a child twenty weeks after their marriage.—*Files.*]

Edward Gillman, sr., bound to answer his son John Gillman's presentment. John Gilman was discharged. [John Gilman, now of Ipswich, presented, 1st mo: 1651, for unlawful inticement of Hanna Cross, daughter of the widow Cross. Witnesses: the mother and William English.—*Files.*]

Frances Usellton fined or be whipt on his presentment. John Knight promised to pay the fine. [ffrancis Usselton, servant to Henry Jacques of Newbury, presented, 1st mo: 1651, for using the name of God

profanely, etc. Witnesses: Thomas Doue and another.—*Files.*]

Theophilus Salter fined in 1650 and 1651 for lying, and to acknowledge his offence of encouraging to steel apples, etc. [Theophilus Salter of Ipswich presented, 10: 8 mo: 1650, for lying. Witnesses: Thomas Bishop and William Avery, jr. He was also presented, 1st mo: 1651, for *pyracy*(?). Witnesses: Richard Coy and his wife.—*Files.*]

[John Tillison of Newbury presented, 10: 8 mo: 1650, for scandalous and reproachful speeches cast upon the elders and others in a public church meeting on ye Lord's day. Witnesses: Goodman Mowdey, Goodman Meriall and Arche-laue Woodman. Presentment signed by William Bartholomew in the name of the rest of the grand jury.

Deed of John Cross, charging his farm in Ipswich to pay ten shillings yearly to the free school there, 6: 10 mo: 1650. Witnesses: Nath: Rogers, Robert Payne and John Whipple. Acknowledged 26: 10: 1650, before Samuel Symonds.

William Cogswell deposed that when Robt Crose said that he would provide twenty-five of the fifty shillings, then Brother Waldoe said he would rather have that than nothing; so he prayed me to take notice of it. Sworn in Ipswich court 25: 1: 1651.

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Thomas Colman, jr., fined for striking; and discharged on his other presentment. Witness: Willm Michell. [Thomas Coleman, jr., of Newbury presented, 26: 1: 1651, for striking William Richardson of Newbury with the swingle of a flail. Witness: William Mitchell and his own confession. William Michell testified that Thomas Collman came to Goodman Sandar's barn and with a great swingell did strike William Nicheson athwart the bake and so run away.—*Files.*]

Mark Symonds fined for lying and railing, and admonished for serving a warrant on the Sabbath evening. Mark Symonds of Ipswich presented, 26: 1: 1651, for lying. Witnesses: Richard

Bettes, Thomas Whitredg, John Broadstreet, Thomas Scott, Joseph ffowler, Phillip ffowler, Richard Kemball, jr., Richard Kemball, sr., John Kemball, Henry Kemball and Edward Coleburne. Also, presented for reproachful speeches, etc. Witnesses: Daniell Roffe and John *Bishop*(?). Also, presented for several railing and scandalous speeches against Joseph ffowler. Witnesses: Edward Coleburne, ——— Smith, Richard Kemball, sr., James ———, John Johnson, sr., and Thomas *Savell*(?). Daniel Roffe deposed that he was at Goodman Cross' house on a Sabbath day in the evening when Mark Simonds being there called me to the door and said he had a warrant for me, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court 4 : 4 : 1651.—*Files.*]

William Tittcombe sworn constable of Newbury.

Joseph Muzye fined for lying and for saying, when some one was reading that it was the devil's service book. Witness: Daniell Rofe. [Joseph Mussy of Ipswich presented 26 : 1 : 1651. Witnesses: the widow Cross, Cor Davis and Daniel Roffe.

Thomas Scott deposed that he heard Joseph Muzy say that John Bradstreet had three or four bastards at Road eyeland and that he should know them wherever he saw them for they had a natural mark and that was lowell ears like their father, and I told him so to his face. Sworn to in Ipswich court 25 1 : 1651.

Joseph Fowler testified that being upon occasion at Goodman Cross' house to see him, being very sick, Joseph Muzi being present, John Bradstreet and I persuaded Joseph Muzi to give his brother satisfaction for calling him bastard and to agree with him. Joseph replied: "You have been whipt once allredy for saying yt the fellow in the silver buttons came and said he swore hime befor the gret saggamore the deputy Gouvernar and he would doe the best he could to bring hime to it againe and tould him he would haile hime out by the hares and yt he was good for nothing but to rune rouging about the Cuntry. * * That he heard this latly de-

ceased John Croff say that he formarly loued John brodstret well vntell that Joseph Muzi had raied such reports on hime which caused him to procecut against him which he feared now seing he was a lying fellow had don him rong for the said John cross: said he was such a lying felow thar was noe beleving of him he was a nose to set a hole town and cuntrary togeather by the years." Sworn to in Ipswich court 25 : 1 : 1651.

Daniell Roffe testified that he heard Joseph Muzi say he never spoke the words, but the witness spake falsely; and another time I heard him say he would rather my brother would be quiet, but if he would come to the court he should make yet appear to be true of what he had said: he thought he were better they did not go to the court, but if they did it would be to his disgrace as to me; also, that my brother Bradstreet and I being at Goodman Cross', the latter said I believe Joseph Muzi is a lying fellow and the cause of the breaches between John Bradstreet and myself. Sworn to in Ipswich court 25 : 1 : 1651.

John Remington deposed that last haytime twelve month, being with the late deceased Goodman Cross, I had much discourse with him about John Bradstreet, and he gave John good commendation, saying that he bore great love towards him in so much that he could willingly have bestowed his daughter on him to wife if he carried himself well; their farms lay together; also, he commended him for minding good things and loved him well until he heard a report raised by Joseph Muzie against him, concerning himself and others, which did exceedingly incense Goodman Cross against said John, and altered his mind towards him, etc. Sworn to in Ipswich court 25 : 1 : 1651.

Hannah Crosse, daughter of John Crosse, testified: I heard Joseph Muzzy say that John Bradstreet "was the leereingest hang doge that was in the world and that he had three or fouer fones at Rode eyland," and that he intended to

go thither once in a while and then he should see them, and he was confident he should know them, and said that he used to set maids on their heads when he did dwell at Rode Eyland; and that Joseph Muzzy said that John Bradstreet inticed him to combine with him to knock Goodman Cross off his horse when he was upon Muddy river bridge, etc. Sworn to in Ipswich court 26:10:1650, before Samuel Symonds.

Thomas Scott deposed that being at Goodman Cross' house, that the latter said he believed Joseph Muzzy to be a lying fellow, etc. Sworn to in Ipswich court 25:1:1651.

Ezekiel Northene and Thomas Abbott testified that Joseph Muzzy said, beginning of March, 1651, that John Bradstreet had dealings with the maids at Road Island, set them on their heads, took them by the gingoos, etc. Sworn to in Ipswich court 25:1:1651.

Elizabeth How deposed that she heard Joseph Muzzy say that John Bradstreet had three or four bastards at Rhode Island, and that he was going there and hoped to see them. Sworn to 26:10:1650, before Samuel Symonds.

William Smith deposed that he heard Joseph Muzzy say in Master Appleton's barn that John Bradstreet desired him to combine with him and to lie in wait at Muddy river to knock Goodman Cross off his horse and to knock him on the head, and said John would run away with his horse; and that said John had bastards at Rhode Island, and he should go there ere long and should know them by their Bangell ears, just like himself. Sworn to in Ipswich court 25:1:1651.

—*Files.*]

John Bradstreet, Joseph Fowler, Tho: Scott and Richard Betts, upon their presentments, discharged. [Thomas Scott, Joseph Fowler, John Bradstreet and Richard Bettes presented 26:1:1651. Witnesses: Nathaniel Stow and Thomas Nor—. Mark Symonds, informant. Presentments signed by William Bartholmew for the grand jury.—*Files.*]

Court, 30:7:1651.

Judges: Jo: Endecot, esq., gov., Mr. Symon Bradstreet, Mr. Samuell Symonds, Major Denison and Captain Hathorne.

Grand jury: Math: Boyce, Willm Asye, Jeames Barker, Will: Boynton, Tho: Scott, Robt Daye, Tho: Knolton, Ed: Bridges, And: Hodges, Will: Goodhue, Dan: Br dlye, Jo: Emery, Abell Huse, Robt Long and Ed: Falkner.

Jury for trials: Rich: Jacob, Tho: French, Symon Tomson, John Dane, Tho: Bishop, Hen: Short, Rich: Thury, Tho: Hale, Rich: Swan, Jo: Smith, Dan: Harris and Ed: Hassen. Joseph Med[calf?], Jo: Perkins, jr., and Jo: Newmarch in Deverix case.

Daniell Pearce of Newbury, constable, fined for not returning the grand jury.

Robert Berwicke of Andover fined for not returning the grand jury.

Daniell Harris of Rowley and John Coggsell, jr., of Ipswich made free.

Zacheous Gould took the oath of fidelity.

Henry Walker of Gloster v. John Holgrave. Slander.

Rich: Kent v. Robert Adams of Newbury. Case for denying him passage in a usual highway. Jury found for defendant. [Concerning the way in controversy John Bartlet testified that it was never made use of until Goodman Goffe went to dwell there, but that it was through the marshes from Goodman Kent's island up to Goodman Hull's and Goodman Thurlay.—*Files.*]

Joseph Fowler v. Robert Beacham. Battery. Two cases.

John Holgrave v. Henry Walker.

Mr. Samuel Sharpe v. Mr. Samuell Mavericke. Debt.

Daniell Rofe v. Thomas Rolinson, jr. Slander. Judgment for plaintiff.

John Coggsell v. Martin Stebin.

John Devorix v. Mr. Valentine Hill. Account of a fishing voyage in 1646 and 1647. Two cases.

John Coggsell v. John Chote.

Sept. 30, 1651, Nath: Edwards and his brother Thomas Edwards (the latter

now in England) appointed administrators of the estate of Nathaniell Smith, deceased, in New England, being nominated in his will, as per certificate of Michaell Oldsworth and Henry Parker, registers. Jeremia Savage and Jos Donaldson, nota publicus. Court at London. Copy of will, etc., presented.

George Ingersall of Gloster licensed to keep an ordinary at Gloster, with the same liberty that Goodman Lister had by his license.

Robert Gutch is allowed to keep an ordinary at Salem, being desired by the selectmen.

Elizabeth Barick appointed administratrix of estate of Rich: Barick her late husband.

Robert Tucker allowed and sworn one of the commissioners to end small causes at Gloucester.

Nicolas Noyce sworn clerk of the market for Newbury.

John Tillison released of his bond for good behavior, and his fine abated to five pounds.

Edward Richards complained that Joseph Armentage attached him, and the action not entered. He was allowed costs.

Will of Honer Rofe, in two papers, allowed upon oath of Henry Lurgen and George Vaughan.

Willm Duglas, chosen and sworn surveyor of pipestaves for Ipswich.

Benjamin Muzye, for bartering a gun to the Indians, and denying of it, fined, to sit in the stocks, to pay the Indian his beaver again, etc.

John Broadstreet to sit in the stocks one hour for ffronting the court in words.

Joseph Fowlar, for abusing the watch, to sit in the stocks four hours and give bond for good behavior.

Inventory of estate of Sarah Baker received, and her kinswoman Sarah Lumpkin appointed administratrix of the estate.

Joseph Rolinson to pay or be whipt for "seting up a scandalous lybell," and expense of marshall's going with an attachment to Cambridge and Boston, and fees

of court. [Joseph Rowlandson, through the suggestion of satan, etc., * * the writing I affixed to the meeting house I am sorry for, etc.

"By mee Justice Pleader in y^e towne of Conscience in America in new england where I saw her triumph in a greene chariot y^e lady Afrsa riding in y^e night boate.

"Alexander ille magnus. I live at Ipswich."

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Joseph Muzy was accused by his brother Benjamin of stealing an axe. Discharged.

Robert Beachem fined upon his presentment.

Mr. Willm Hubbard perfected the inventory of the estate of Mr. John Whittingham. Amount, £981, 16 s., 1d.

[Joseph Fowler testified concerning Goodman Simons: affirmed at Rob^{rt} Dutch. Ear of hog marked so as to be seen from Mr. Baker's parlor to ye street gate. Rich: Kimball, sr., affirmed about the same. John Kimball deposed that he heard Mark Simonds profess to Joseph Fowler, after having prosecuted him and John Bradstreet, that he was not the accuser and would go forty miles to do him good. Sworn to in Ipswich court 4: 4: 1651. Thomas Smith testified that he asked Goodman Symonds why he said that Fowlar would swear or lie for ten shillings, etc. Thomas Scott deposed, I heard Goodman Simonds say that Mr. Treadwall told him that the hog at M. Cogswell's was Goodman Cobean's mark, etc. Richard Kimball, sr., testified that Mark Simonds affirmed about the mark of the hog that was shut up in Robert Dutch's yard. It differed from Mr. Cheuts and Goodman Coburn's hogs' mark.

Henry Kimball testified that he never gave Goodman Simons five shillings and six pence a day for his boy and two bullocks, etc. Thomas Whiterit testified: I heard Goodman Simonds and Goodman Beals reckoning concerning work done by both parties. Simonds said

that Henry Kimball paid him same price for use of his cattle, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court 3 : 4 : 1651. Richard Beals testified that Goodman Simonds plowed for me with a boy and two bullocks, and I worked for him. He told me that Henry Kimball paid him, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court 3 : 4 : 1651. Witnesses (?) : Daniell Rofe, Tho : Louell, John Johnson, Henry Kemball, Tho Scott, Rich : Betts, Thomas Whitred, John Kemball and Joseph Fowlar.

Abraham Foster and Wm. Dellowe testified that Daniel Rosse and John Broadstreet standing together at the barn door A^m Symonds came by and desired said Rosse to speak with him, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court 4 : 4 : 1651.

Thomas Harris testified that being at Mr. Baker's ye 2d day before Salem court when Nathaniel Stow was to testify, the latter came out of the new room and inquired of me for Goodman Lord, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court 25 : 1 : 1651.

——— English testified that Goodman Broadstreet (also Brodstreet), etc.

——— Appleton testified that lot layers laid out Goodman Cross' one hundred acres.

Joseph Fowler testified that he was hilling corn with Nath : Stowe and heard ——— Cooke say there was no true church because they ——— people of God to Rhode Island and fettered them, and that he would *give* (?) the ——— death by setting him on a tre naked in a swamp in the summer time ——— musketoes should have stung him to death, and he would sit ——— till he was dead, and after that that the governor had to ——— further Mr. Norton taught lies, etc. Mr. Stowe affirmed the same.

——— Sanders said that Henry Dow told him that he had bought a neck of Mr. Spencer's land, etc.

——— Armitage said that Dowe bought it of John Sanders.

Frances Smith heard Joseph Armitage ask Tho : Turner to pay a bill, etc.

Rich : Graves testified that he was at Boston and spoke to Tho : Turner, etc.

Thomas Perkins testified that he came into a room where Nathaniel Stow, Thomas Scott, Joseph fowler and Richard Bettes were talking about a hog Thomas Harris had killed, as to its mark. Sworn in Ipswich court 25 : 1 : 1651.

Nathaniel Stow testified that the hog was brought from Plum Island.

Rob^t Roberts testified about the mark of the hog March 25, 1650.

Presentments, 30 : 7 : 1651 :

Mr. William Snelling of Newbury, for using these words upon one drinking to him and his friends, he answered, "as for our foes a plague on theare heeles and a pox on theare tooes." Witnesses : Mr. Miler, John Wheller and Mr. William Thomas.

Elizabeth Randall of Newbury, for using sinful language, telling gudy Silver base lieing divell, base lieing tode base lying sow, bas liing iade. Witnesses : Gudy Silver and Gudy Blumifield.

Mr. Henry Shawell of Rouly, for a battery upon William Asey of Rowly, etc. Witnesses : William Asey and Mihill Emerson.

Robert Bechem of Ipswich, for misdemeanor in the meeting house on the Lord's day in or about the time of the public exercise, by striking Joseph Fowler with his elbow on his breast, and calling him rascal, etc. Witnesses : John Johnson, Jacob Pirkins and Joseph Fowler.

Samuel Ingalls, for lighting fire and smoking in it on the court day in master baker's yard. Witnesses : Robert Day, Edward Briayton and Robert Lang.

Signed by Mathew Boyes in the name of the grand jury.

"turninge out all Affociates which are able to corrupt justice bee y^e cause neuer fo good." These words were blotted in the paper, yet were so legible that we distinctly read them 3 July 1651.

John Rogers*

Joseph Paine*

Moses Pengry*

I read ye words above written without much difficulty. W : Hubbard*

*Autographs.

5th mo: 1651, Benjamin Mussey of Ipswich against his brother Joseph Mussey of several misdemeanors, lying and sitting upon the bed where the sister of said Benjamin's wife was to lie, and breaking the chest of said Benjamin. Bound to keep the peace, and answer at next Ipswich court.

Daniel King to appear at next Ipswich court to answer Sir *Gervas* Moday in an action of the case. 17:9:1651. ———

——— testified that Mr. Daniel King
——— of the part of the Lady Moodie
——— receive from Thomas *Crevie*, etc.

John ffuller, aged thirty years, testified that meeting his brother Dexter and Edward *Ro—ley* at Boston they informed him that they were employed by the Lady Moodye to sell her *farm*, etc. She had promised refusal of it to Mr. King. Sworn 25:9:1651.

In a letter to Mr. King from his friend Edward Browse, dated at Gravesend Jan. 25, 1649, is mentioned Mr. Lucker's account, — money that had been paid to Mr. Williams. If you surrender the farm to her you must pay for my voyage. List of various articles written on back of the paper.

—Files.]

Will of Walter Tibbott proved. This will is printed in full in *The Antiquarian*, volume IV, page 117.

To be continued.

ESSEX COUNTY MEN AT MARTHA'S VINEYARD BEFORE 1700.

BY DR. CHARLES E. BANKS.

The Island of Martha's Vineyard, a history of which I have been preparing in the last ten years, is a neglected quantity in the field of New England genealogy. Many "disappearances" of settlers on the main can be traced thither. Below I give a list of early residents of the Vineyard during the seventeenth century who went from various towns in Essex county and became prominently identified with the island county. The interrogation point

(?) following several of the names indicates doubtful identity with persons of the same name known to have been of Essex county prior to their appearance at the Vineyard. I shall be glad to exchange information relative to each of these persons, particularly Edward Searle, Richard Arey, George Martin, Peter Jenkins and Philip Watson. The latter's son Elias may serve to identify him. The asterisk (*) shows that descendants still reside on the Vineyard.

Salem: John Pease,*
Robert Codman,
Edward Searle.

Wenham: Francis Usselton.

Salisbury: George Martin (?),
Edward Cottle,*
Samuel Bickford.

Rowley: Peter Jenkins,*
Philip Watson (?).

Lynn: Samuel Tilton,*
Thomas Look.*

Haverhill: Joseph Merry.*

Gloucester: Richard Arey* (?).

*U. S. Marine Hospital,
Key West, Fla.*

NOTES.

SALEM, May 30.

"Laft Thurfday the Freeholders and other Inhabitants of the Town of Danvers, legally warned, met at the South Meeting-Houfe in faid Danvers, and there made Choice of Doctor Samuel Holten, to represent them in the General Affembly at the approaching Seffion."

Instructions voted by the town of Salem to Richard Derby, jr., and John Pickering, jr., representatives to the general assembly, May 27, 1769, are given in full in this issue of the *Essex Gazette*.

Instructions voted by the town of Marblehead to be given to Joshua Orne and John Gallison, esquires, representatives to the general assembly, May 29, 1769, are given in full in this number of the *Essex Gazette*.

Advertisement, notifying the proprietors of the undivided land at New-Salem,

Hampshire county, to meet June 7th at the King's Arms tavern in Salem; signed by Benjamin Pickman, jr., proprietors' clerk; dated at Salem, May 24, 1769.

Benjamin Kimball, 3d, advertised for sale at auction, June 20, "A Small Farm, laying in Ipswich, confisting of about 26 Acres of good Land, (Mowing, Pasturing, and Tillage) with a Houfe, Barn, and Orchard on the fame; well accommodated for a Farmer or Tradefman, and pleafantly fituated (on the Country Road) within a Mile of the Rev. Mr. Leflie's Meeting-Houfe;" and some woodland. To be sold at said Kimball's house on the premises.

Mr. John Gooll has sailed for London, and left the settlement of his business in our hands. We shall be at his shop every Saturday to settle claims. Mr. John Norris attends at Mr. Gooll's shop. Signed by James and Robert Selkrig, and dated at Salem, May 23, 1769.

—*Essex Gazette*, May 23-30, 1769.

THE LAND BANK.

In the earliest days of our colonial history we had little currency,—only that which had been incidentally brought across the water; and wampum, the shell money of the Indians, and articles of merchandise were used instead of money; as, for instance, in 1630, Sir Richard Saltonstall was fined four bushels of malt for absence from court; and the next year the Indian Chickataubott was fined a beaver-skin for shooting a swine of Sir Richard.

In 1652, the colony took charge of the coinage of money, ordering John Hull, whom it appointed mint-master, to produce silver shillings, six-pences and three-pences, and making them legal tender. Any one having silver bullion could have it coined upon payment of the actual expense of coinage.

The money then coined was in amount too small to perceptibly increase the quantity in circulation; and in 1658 more two-pences were ordered to be coined of the first silver bullion that came to the hands of the mint-master.

These unmistakable acts of sovereignty were in ill-repute with the English government.

While the mint was endangered by threats of its abolition, the question of establishing a bank, by men of known financial credit, who should issue bills, was discussed; and in 1686 such a bank was in actual operation in Boston. It probably continued through Andros' administration.

The privilege of coining money being no longer allowed to the colonial government by Great Britain, the colonists issued some paper money in 1690. The credit of the colony was poor, and the people were afraid to receive the bills. The situation was little improved by their issue. It was tried again in 1702, with the same result.

A private bank based on real estate security was contemplated soon afterward, to be known as the Land Bank, from the character of its security, but the project came to an end in 1714.

The province continued to issue large amounts of paper money, which was almost worthless, and useless as a medium of exchange.

In 1740, a bank of the same character as the proposed Land Bank was established in Boston, holding its meetings for business at various places, Boston, Lynn, etc. It was called the Manufactory company.

The bills issued were redeemable in twenty years; and were issued to the partners, as the shareholders were called, upon the delivery of a mortgage of real estate conditioned to pay the face value of the bills they received in twenty years, in annual instalments of five per cent of the amount issued to them, and three per cent annual interest.

The directors were Robert Auchmuty, esq., of Roxbury, Samuel Adams, esq. (father of the patriot), William Stoddard, esq., Peter Chardon, merchant, all of Boston, Samuel Watts, esq., of Chelsea, George Leonard, esq., of Norton, Robert Hale, esq., of Beverly, John Choate, esq.,

of Ipswich, and Thomas Cheever, gentleman, of Lynn.

The partners' mortgages were payable to the directors, and were all issued on a printed blank dated Sept. 9, 1740. It would seem that a large proportion of the stockholders were of Essex county. The registry of deeds at Salem show that forty-seven of these mortgages were recorded, and there are on file there thirty-three more that were not recorded, probably because the general court annulled the bank before they could be copied into the record books. The names, residences and occupation of these Essex county stockholders, and the amounts they respectively subscribed,* are as follows: Ebenezer Walcott,³ yeoman, of Andover; John Dodge, jr.,² mason, of Beverly; John Baker,³ yeoman, of Boxford; Josiah Chandler,² innholder, of Bradford; Benjamin Davis,⁵ yeoman, John Millet,⁵ yeoman, Eleazer Parsons,⁸ John Parsons,⁴ yeoman, Dr. David Plummer,⁵ John Sargent,³ yeoman, David Stanwood,³ esq., James Stanwood,² husbandman, Rev. John White,² Humphrey Woodberry,⁵ yeoman, Ezekiel Woodward, jr.,⁶ yeoman, and Thomas York,³ yeoman, all of Gloucester; Abner Kimball,³ coaster, of Haverhill; John Boardman,⁹ gentleman, John Brown, jr.,³ yeoman, Andrew Burley,⁹ esq., Francis Choate, jr.,⁹ gentleman, Thomas Choate, jr.,⁹ gentleman, Parker Dodge,³ Benjamin Dutch,³ Joseph Fowler,³ gentleman, Benjamin Gilbert,⁷ Joseph Gilbert,³ yeoman, Ebenezer Knowlton,⁷ yeoman, John Whipple, jr.,⁸ gentleman, Ami Ruhamah Wise,⁴ esq., and Daniel Wise,⁴ shopkeeper, all of Ipswich; Thomas Baker,³ yeoman, Thomas Cheever,⁹ gentleman, Robert Edmonds,³ yeoman, Thomas Fuller,³ currier, Elkanah Hawks,⁵ yeoman, John Hawks, jr.,³ yeoman, John Hawkes, 3^d,³ tanner,

Moses Hawks,³ yeoman, Daniel Hitchins,³ yeoman, John Jencks,³ blacksmith, Nathan Jenks,³ blacksmith, Samuel Jenckes,³ blacksmith Richard Mower,⁷ gentleman, Francis Norwood,² blacksmith, David Townsend,² yeoman, Jonathan Wayt,³ yeoman, Benjamin Wiley, sr.,¹ yeoman, and Benjamin Wiley, jr.,¹ yeoman, all of Lynn; John Hill,² yeoman, John Knights,¹ yeoman, Joseph Knights,¹ yeoman, and Samuel Morgan,⁷ yeoman, all of Manchester; Edward Clark,³ yeoman, Jonathan Corlis,³ yeoman, Abiel Kelley, jr.,³ yeoman, and Richard Kelley,⁷ yeoman, all of Methuen; David Wilkins,² yeoman, of Middleton; Stephen Ordway,³ yeoman, Bartholomew Pearson,³ millwright, and Jonathan Pearson,³ clothier, all of Newbury; William Adams,³ Nathaniel Mighill⁷ and Amos Pilsbury,³ yeomen, all of Rowley; Eleazer Brown,³ yeoman, Joshua Buffum,³ yeoman, Benjamin Creesy,³ wheelwright, Joseph Creesy,⁵ yeoman, Daniel Gardner,⁷ gentleman, John Gardner,⁷ yeoman, David Goldthwayt,³ yeoman, Capt. Benjamin Ives,⁷ merchant, Samuel Manning,² gunsmith, Israel Porter, jr.,³ yeoman, John Porter,² yeoman, John Procter,³ yeoman, and Henry Putnam,³ yeoman, all of Salem; Israel Webster,³ yeoman, and Stephen Webster,³ shipwright, both of Salisbury; Thomas Baker,³ yeoman, and Richard Towns,³ yeoman, both of Topsfield; and John Kimball,⁷ yeoman, and John White,³ yeoman, both of Wenham. These amount in all to eleven thousand and six hundred pounds.

Though forbidden by the general court some of these bills were circulated. Their entire suppression was sought but differences existed as to means.

Governor Belcher, threatened to dismiss from office all persons holding commissions under his hand who had anything to do with the issue of paper money by this private bank. Believing that the good of the country depended upon this money, many patriotically resigned their commissions, among them being John Choate of Ipswich and Dr. Robert Hale of Beverly, two of the directors of this bank.

* The amounts are indicated by the indices 1 to 10, placed after the name of the stockholders in this list, and signify that those marked 1 subscribed to the amount of £50; 2, £75; 3, £100; 4, £125; 5, £150; 6, £175; 7, £200; 8, £400; 9, £500.

There threatened a popular uprising against Governor Belcher and the council for opposing the bank scheme. Rev. Jonathan White of Gloucester wrote to the governor, apologizing for promoting it. The representatives favored it, and successfully sought the governor's removal.

In 1741, a company formed in Essex county applied to the general court, John Choate of Ipswich heading the petition, for authority to issue notes to the amount of fifty thousand pounds on land securities. They were not, however, encouraged to proceed, though they had engaged an engraver, and indeed printed some of their bills, which were probably never circulated. There are only three of these known to the writer to be in existence, one at Portland, and the others in the Essex Institute at Salem. The headquarters of the company was at Ipswich. The form of the bill is shown in the frontispiece of this number of *The Antiquarian*.

OLD NORFOLK COUNTY RECORDS.

Continued from volume VIII, page 179.

Thomas fowler of Amesbury and wife Hannah conveyed to James ffreeze 6 acres of upland in Amesbury bounded by Merrimack river, highway, Edward Cottle, grantor and George Carr, sr., with dwelling house, etc., in free and comon sockage, Feb. 18, 1669. Wit: Jeremiah Hubbard and Jn^o Hoyt, jr. Ack. Oct. 14, 1670, before Nath^l Saltonstall, commissioner.

Sam^{ll} ffelloes of Salisbury, weaver, for £3, conveyed to Jn^o Maxfeild of Salisbury, planter, my 10-acre planting lot granted to me by town of Salisbury and situate therein at ye long hill, bounded by Anthony Colby, Jn^o Stevens and Wm. Brown, March 1, 1655. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Jn^o Pressie. Ack. 27: 12: 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Richard Dole of Newbury, merchant, discharged Tho: Davis of £63 received by Mr. Tho: Clarke of Boston, Sept. 22, 1673. Wit: Wm. Gerish and John Knight. Ack. Feb. 24, 1674, before

Nath: Saltonstall, commissioner. This was written on back of the following instrument, and was in discharge of the same.

Thomas Davis (his 2 mark) and Joseph Davis, both of Haverhill, to Richard Dole of Nuberie, merchant, for £63 paid by bill to Mr. Joseph Dudley of Roxbery, son-in-law and assignee of ye worshipful Edward Ting of Boston in Essex, esquire, mortgaged the messuage said Joseph now lives upon in Haverhill, westward of ye little or saw-mill river, 200 acres, bounded by said river, west meadow highway, Hogg-hill highway, land in possession of Thomas Lilforth and land in ye hands of Robert fford, with the orchard, barn and dwelling house in which said Joseph now lives, standing thereon: also, 9 acres of meadow which was laid out in Haverhill to said Thomas Davis, Sept. 7, 1671. Wit: Andrew Grele and Robert fford. Ack. by both Sept. 7, 1671, before Nath^l Saltonstall, commissioner.

Isaac Pirkins of Hampton agreed with Tho: Philbrick of Hampton: Said Isaac for love to his son Jacob Pirkins, and in consideration of a marriage between said Jacob and Mary Philbrick, daughter of said Tho: Philbrick, conveyed to said Jacob one acre of land in Hampton, bounded by Tho: Philbrick, a common highway and said Isaac Pirkins; also, 2 acres of planting land adjoining above lot and also bounded by Tho: Philbrick; also 6 acres of salt marsh between Jn^o Brown's farm and Salisbury line; also, $\frac{1}{3}$ of all his upland and meadow or marsh now in possession of said Isaac, after the decease of said Jacob's father and mother, &c.; said Tho: Philbrick, for love, conveyed to his daughter Mary Philbrick £40, a part to be paid by 3 acres of land in Hampton, bounded by said Isaac Pirkins and a common highway; dated March 19, 1668-9. Susanah Pirkins was the wife of said Isaac. Wit: Edward Gove and Jos: Dow. Ack. by both 14: 7: 1671, before Sam^{ll} Dalton, commissioner.

Robert Ring of Salisbury, cooper, for £6, conveyed to Mr. Tho. Bradbury of

Salisbury interest in 6 acres of land situated upon a place called Robert Ring's island in Salisbury, laid out by the town of Salisbury and taken on execution by said town Oct. —, 1665, April 23, 1666. Wit: Samuell fflowler and Ephraim Winsley. Ack. 26 : 7 : 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner. Possession given in presence of Andrew Grele and David Wheelar.

Rev. Seaborne Cotton of Hampton, clerk, for £51, conveyed to John Garland of Hampton, planter, 200-acre farm granted to me by town of Hampton in Hampton about four miles west of the meeting house upon Hogg pen plain, bounded by land laid out to Willi : ffullar, sr., now in ye possession of Jn^o ffullar and ye house now built is built in ye line dividing betwixt ye said farm and ye land of Jn^o ffullar, one half of the house upon each lot, the farm being an average of about 130 rods wide and 220 rods in length; and 30 acres of meadow, & c., about 160 rods from the house, May 4, 1671. Wit: Samuell Dalton, jr., and Hannah Dalton. Ack. May 5, 1671, before Samuell Dalton, commissioner.

John Gill (his **P** mark) of Salisbury, planter, and wife Phebe (her **D** mark), for £20, 7s., 6d., and 500 feet of good board and a bill of £9, 12 s., 6 d., conveyed to Tho : Bradbury a dwelling house, house-lot, orchard, etc., in Salisbury; also, ½ of yt island called William Barns' island; also, a division of land on ferry neck being a 4-acre planting lot which I bought of Anthony Sadler; the said house-lot lies between ye highway leading to ye ferry and ye house-lot formerly Mr. Jn^o Hodges and now in ye possession of Tho : Bradbury butting upon ye street, ye planting lot formerly Josiah Cobham's now in ye possession of Isaac Buswell; and ye said island lies encompassed with ye meadows of Jn^o Clough, Willi : Barnes, Rodger Eastman, Jn^o Bayly, Will : Sargent and Lionell Worth, June 25, 1662. Wit: William Buswell and Andrew Grele. Ack. 5 : 8 mo : 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

John Ilsly of Salisbury, barber, conveyed to Mr. Tho : Bradbury of Salisbury four divisions of upland in Salisbury on ye ferry neck formerly belonging to John Eyer, John Clifford, Henry Brown and myself, formerly and now inhabitants of said town, March 25, 1660. Wit: Willi : Buswell and Henry Brown. Ack. 5 : 8 mo : 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Jn^o Ilsley of Salisbury, barber, for 30 s., conveyed to Mr. Tho : Bradbury of Salisbury a division of upland on ye ferry neck in Salisbury formerly ye land of Joseph Parker, May 20, 1663. Wit: Willi : Bradbury and Jane Bradbury. Ack. Oct. 5, 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Abraham Drake of Hampton, yeoman, for money paid to me or by my order to Capt. Pendleton, conveyed to Sam^{ll} ffulsham of Exiter 2½-acre house-lot in Exiter, bounded by Nath^{ll} Boulter now in ye hands of Sam^l ffoulsham, ye fresh river, a way, and land granted to James Wall, Oct. 8, 1666. Wit: Elizabeth Ayers and Hannah Dalton. Ack. by grantor and his wife Jane Drake (who signed) July 8, 1668, before Sam^l Dalton, commissioner.

Capt. Christopher Hussey of Hampton, for £80, conveyed to my sons Steven Hussey and John Hussey, both of Hampton, land that is due to me on ye island of Nantuckett and all neat cattle, goats, horses, etc., there, Oct. 23, 1671. Wit: Sam^{ll} Dalton. Ack. 23 : 8 : 1671, before Sam^{ll} Dalton, commissioner.

Richard Morgan (signed by **O** mark) of Exiter in ye river of Pascataway, planter, conveyed to Sam^{ll} ffolsome of Exiter a certain house and 2½-acre house-lot in Exiter, bounded by land of Jn^o Robinson now in ye tenure of Sam^{ll} Levett, Abraham Drake now in ye occupation of grantee, and a common way yt goeth by ye fresh river, March 23, 1668. Wit: John ffol-some and Edw : Smith. Ack. by grantor and wife Rebecca (who released dower, signing by mark **C**) Oct. 12, 1671, before Sam^{ll} Dalton, commissioner.

John Godfrey of Hampton, tailor, conveyed to Abraham Pirkins, jr., ½ acre of

swamp land in Hampton at ye end of grantee's lot, bounded by Jn^o Marian, Jn^o Godfrey, grantee and common land, March 2, 1670-1. Wit: John Clifford and Hannah Dalton. Ack. March 2, 1670-1, before Sam^{ll} Dalton, commissioner.

Jonathan Smith of Hampton, brick maker, conveyed to Abraham Pirkins, jr., of Hampton, carpenter, 6 acres of planting land in Hampton in a common field called ye north plain, being $\frac{1}{2}$ of ye 12 acres granted to Henry Sayword sometimes of Hampton, the 12 acres being bounded by Anthony Tayler, Jn^o Brown (formerly in ye hands of Jn^o Sanders), and ye commons of Hampton; ye other half of ye 12 acres being now in ye hands of Robert Page, May 30, 1667. Wit: Allexander Dunham (his O mark) and Mehitable Dalton. Ack. June 5, 1667, before Sam^{ll} Dalton, commissioner.

Steven Dowe of Haverhill, husbandman, for £40, conveyed to Phillip Eastman of Cambridge and Nath^{ll} Singletary of Haverhill 32 acres in Haverhill to ye westward of ye saw mill river, bounded by ye long plain that leads to Michaell Emerson's farm, James Pecker, highway that goeth to ye west meadow, Georg Corlis, Willi: Allin of Salisbury and common land, June 1, 1669. Wit: Robert Swan and Robert Clement. Ack. by grantor July 31, 1669, before Nath^{ll} Saltonstall, commissioner. Grantor's wife Ann Dow released dower March 2, 1669-70, before Nath^{ll} Saltonstall, commissioner.

Execution: William fifeild v. Richard Oliver, dated April 14, 1671. Levied by Abraham Drake, marshall of Hampton, May 4, 1671, one share of cow common in Hampton, and 3 acres of land at Ass bridge in Exiter, bounded by Hampton line, highway that goes to Exiter, sometimes William Taylers.

Execution: Abraham Drake, Benjamin Swett and Henry Green v. Capt. Walter Barfoot and Mr. Henry Greenland, dated 10: 8 mo: 1671. Levied by Abraham Drake, marshall of Hampton, 21: 8: 1671, on land lying on Kitterie point, except the warehouse site by Capt. Bare-

foot over against ye great island, bounded by Major Shapleigh; and appraised by John Redman, sr., and Jno Pickerin chosen by Capt. Barefoot and Henry Green chosen by the marshall. Also levied upon £303 worth of biskett of Capt. Walter Barefoot, appraised by Mr. Richard Stileman and John Redman, sr. Also levied upon 2046 feet of pine boards of Mr. Henry Greenland, appraised by Rowland fflansall and Nath^{ll} Drake chosen by Henry Green and Mr. Greenland at 30 s. per thousand, Nov. 15, 1671. Remainder of the execution was satisfied by Isaac Coule upon Mr. Greenland's account, Nov. 18 or 19, 1671.

Rev. John Wheelwright, pastor to ye church and congregation of Salisbury, for love, conveyed to my daughter Sarah, ye now wife of Richard Crispe of Boston, merchant, after my decease, all my houses and lands in ye township of Nawthorp, Boundthorp and Cumberworth, Lincolnshire, England, lately in ye occupation of John Green, Nov. 21, 1671. Wit: John Stevens (his I mark) and Tho: Bradbury. Ack. 28: 9: 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Robert Jones (his I mark) of Amsberie, yeoman, for £42, mortgaged to Richard Dole of Nubery, merchant, 25 acres of meadow in Salisbury, bounded by ye town creek, a creek, ye widow Worth, William Sargeant, ye ware island and Merrimack river, Nov. 15, 1671. Wit: Tho: Woodbridg, Richard Currier and Joseph Hills. Ack. 28: 9: 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

William White of Haverhill and wife Mary (her M mark), for £16, conveyed to Rodger Eastman of Salisbury a 2d division lot of 16 acres in Haverhill which was formerly a lot of John Ceneries, bounded by John Williams, sr., Abraham Witticker, Merries creek and Long hill, Sept. 1, 1670. Wit: Daniell Hendrick and Thomas Walle. Ack. by W. W., his wife Mary consenting, May 22, 1671, before Nath: Saltonstall, commissioner.

Maj. Robert Pike of Salisbury, planter, for land, to Mr. Tho: Bradbury of Salis-

bury my 10-acre lot of upland in Salisbury, bounded by Thos. Carter, land in ye hands of John Bayly, John Stevens, Richard Goodale's rye lot, and Pawwaus river, May 4, 1668. Wit: John Pike, Robert Pike, jr., and Dorethie Pike. Ack. 25 : 10 : 1671, before Sam^l Dalton, commissioner.

Maj. Robert Pike of Salisbury, for a 3-acre lot of meadow, bounded by grantor, cove and creek, conveyed to Tho: Bradbury of Salisbury a 4-acre lot of meadow in ye great meadows towards ye beach point in Salisbury, bounded by Mr. Henry Monday, Robert Ring, ye great neck and marsh granted to Mr. Sam^l Winsly, April 24, 1657. Wit: Samuel Hall and Mary Wiggin. Ack. 25 : 10 : 1671, before Sam^l Dalton, commissioner.

Onesephorus Page (his O mark) of Salisbury, weaver, and wife Mary (her M mark), for 40 s., conveyed to Mr. Tho: Bradburie of Salisbury, planter, ye division of upland belonging as an addition to ye planting lot of Tho: Hauxworth sometime of Salisbury, deceased, being 2 acres on ye ferrie neck so called in Salisbury, 5 : 14 : 1669. Wit: Philip Challis and Sam: ffoot. Ack. by both July 14, 1670, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Corp. Christopher Palmer of Hampton, planter, for £50, conveyed to Daniell Tilton of Hampton, blacksmith, a parcel of upland and meadow in Hampton up Tayler's river near ye Indian graves, the upland being the south half of 100 acres which Nath^l Boulter bought of John Barrat, the other half being now in ye possession of John Huggins; ye meadow containing yt one half of ye meadow which Jno Barratt sold to Nath^l Boulter, joining to said upland, according to ye grant in Exeter town book, which was sometimes John Legatts, and half of it lately sold to Christopher Palmer by Nath^l Boulter, Oct. 20, 1671. Wit: Mary Stanian and Joseph Dow. Grantor's wife Susanna Palmer consents. Ack. 2 : 11 : 1671, before Sam^l Dalton, commissioner.

John Ilsly of Salisbury, for one-half of one-half of ye 10-acre meadow lot granted

to Rev. William Worcester by ye town of Salisbury, lying in a place called ye great meadow near ye neck bridge, and conveyed to me by Edward Goue of Hampton, planter, today, conveyed to said Goue my 2-acre addition lot of salt marsh in Hall's farm in Salisbury, lying in a corner of marsh next Hampton line, formerly belonging to Richard Goodale, sr., now deceased; also, my addition of marsh belonging to ye purchase of Hall's farm, being one acre and 12 rods, lying between ye lots of John Severans and William Osgood, sr., in Salisbury; also, my proportion of marsh I bought of John Easman in ye same division, being 166 rods and one acre; also, my proportion I bought of Abraham ffitts, being one acre and 17 rods of marsh, adjoining above lot, bounded by Edward ffrench and Anthony Stanian; also, 4 divisions of upland, my own, Rodger Eastman's, Robert ffitts' and John Maxfeild's, lying in yt division between William Allin's lot and ye highway, 16 : 11 : 1671. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Phill: Challis. Ack. Jan. 16, 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Edward Goue of Hampton conveyed to John Ilsly of Salisbury, barber, 8 acres of upland lying in Hall's farm in Salisbury, bounded by John Clough and Georg Goldwyer, the highway running through ye said farm and Cane's brook, being lot numbered 35 on ye town book, ———, 1669. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and William Bradbury. Ack. Jan. 16, 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Edward Goue of Hampton, planter, for several lots of land in Hall's farm in Salisbury, conveyed to Jno Ilsly of Salisbury(?), barber, my half of Timothie Worcester's half of ye 10-acre lot of fresh meadow in Salisbury, formerly ye lot of Rev. William Worcester, deceased, lying in ye great meadow, bounded by meadow lot formerly of John Saunders, Mr. Henry Byly, ye great neck and ye little river, 11 : 16 : 1671. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Phill: Challis. Ack. 16 : 11 : 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Thomas Bradbury, sr., of Salisbury, planter, in consideration of a marriage consummated between Jn^o Stanian of Hampton and my daughter Mary Bradbury, as part of her portion, conveyed to my said son-in-law my share of land and marsh of Mr. Hall's farm in Salisbury, and my part of ye addition of land laid out by Salisbury to ye said farm, Oct. 13, 1664. Wit: William Samborn and Nath^l Boulter. Ack. Oct. 13, 1664, before Samⁱ Symonds.

To be continued.

NOTES.

Ann Bishop married John Elethorp Aug. 2, 1750.

Samuel Bishop married Elizabeth Green Sept. 3, 1770.

Sarah Bishop married Matthew Rolls, both of Marblehead, Nov. 16, 1749.

—*Marblehead town records.*

Old Mary Bishop died March 26, 1789 (says Coffin).

Hannah Bishop married George Jackman July 6, 1728.

Lydia Bishop published to Joseph Willit, jr., Nov. 6, 1728.

Lydia, daughter of Mary Bishop, singlewoman, born Aug. 29, 1749.

Elizabeth Bishop published to Daniel Goodwin Oct. 5, 1734.

Mary Bishop, servant of Mr. Parker, died Dec. 11, 1683.

—*Newbury town records.*

Mary Bishop, adult, baptized June 17, 1744.—*Rowley church records.*

Abigail, daughter of Abigail Bishop, baptized June 29, 1701.—*Topsfield church records.*

John Bishop of Marblehead published to Elizabeth Burn of Wenham May 5, 1764.—*Wenham town records.*

Hannah Bishop married George Wallis of Manchester April 30, 1718.—*Beverly town records.*

Children of John and Sarah Bishop: Sarah, born June 11, 1720, and John, born April 6, 1722.—*Bradford town records.*

James Bishop published to Sally Endcott Feb. 9, 1788.

Margaret Bishop (born in Salem Feb. 6, 1795) married Jonas Harrington June 11, 1815, in Salem.

—*Danvers town records.*

Susannah Bishop published to Samuel Dodge 6:10:1713.

Children of Job Bishop: Dinah, born June 19, 1657; Sarah, born May 19, 1659; and Hannah, born Dec. 24 [1662?].

Sarah, daughter of Jacob (Job?) and Hanna Bishop, born April 18, 1687.

Anna Bishop married Elisha Newman Jan. 21, 1786.

Samuel Bishop, son of Nathaniel, died in 1703.

—*Ipswich town records.*

Elizabeth Bishop married Eliezer Giles Sept. 25, 1677. " — James Bishop esq."

William Bishop of Salem married Dorothy Hooper of Beverly Oct. 15, 1700.

Priscilla Bishop of Salem married Samuel Day of Gloucester Aug. 19, 1702.

John Bishop married Sarah Hawkins, both of Salem, Aug. 2, 1769.

Samuel Bishop married Peggy Cox, both of Salem, Dec. 30, 1787.

Sally Bishop married Charles Holden, both of Salem, Jan. 30, 1794.

Joseph Bishop married widow Hannah Hammond, both of Salem, Nov. 17, 1793.

John Bishop married widow Betsey Roles, both of Salem, March 27, 1796.

John Bishop married Catharine Dodge Dec. 15, 1766.

Sarah Bishop married Joseph Henderson, both of Salem, Oct. 22, 1783.

Townsend Bishop was granted land in Salem in 1635, and was of Salem in 1644, probably removing from the town in 1646.

—*Salem town records.*

John Bishop of Salem, mariner, and wife Sarah, daughter of Elizabeth Trench, deceased, 1770, 1783.

John Bishop of Gloucester, laborer, 1784.

Joseph Bishop of Salem, tallow-chandler, 1795-1797, and wife Hannah, 1795, 1796.

Townsend Bishop sold house and land in Salem in 1646.

John Bishop of Newbury, 1712, had a son Capt. John Bishop of Woodbridge, N. J., that year, who was a captain in 1692 and 1712; and apparently of Newbury in 1710-1.

—*Registry of deeds.*

Mary Bishop of Ipswich, 1664, 1665.

Job Bishop of Ipswich, 1651, 8, 9, 1665, wife Mary, 1665. Goodwife Smith was his sister-in-law, 1665.

Tho: Bishop of Salem, 1666.

Benoni Bushopp of Gloucester, 1663.

—*Court records.*

Palmer Bishop lived in Marblehead, cordwainer, 1721-1772. He married, first, Miss Joanna Wood of Beverly ("both of Beverly") Jan. 13, 1736, in Marblehead; and she was his wife in 1744. He married, second, Elizabeth Messervy Dec. 21, 1762. Administration was granted on his estate June 1, 1772; the property amounting to £433, 18s., 5d. His wife Elizabeth survived him; and administration was granted on her estate Feb. 2, 1784. He had a daughter Elizabeth, who married George Barker June 5, 1744, and was his widow in 1772.—*Records.*

James Bishop married Priscilla Peabody of Middleton Nov. 4, 1790; and lived in Danvers. Children: James, born Feb. 5, 1793, in Middleton; William, born Sept. 29, 1795, in Danvers; and Daniel, born July 25, 1797, in Danvers.—*Middleton and Danvers town records.*

Baptized April 15, 1722, Dorothy, daughter of Will^m and Dorothy (Hooper) Bishop, on ye grandmother's account (Mrs. Elis: Woodbury), who had taken it as her own upon ye mother's death to bring up.

Children of Edward, jr., and Mary Bishop baptized: Priscilla, Aug. 14, 1681; Joseph, April 8, 1683; Sarah, May 24, 1685; Benjamin, July 17, 1687; and John, 27: 9: 1689.

—*Beverly First Church records.*

Children of Townsend Bishop baptized: Leah (dau.), 19: 4: 1634; and Jon. (son), 31: 5: 1642.—*Salem First Church records.*

John Bishop lived in Newbury, 1648-1663, on the Island of Nantucket before 1670, and in Woodbridge, N. J., in 1677; carpenter, 1648; married Rebecca (Kent), widow of Samuel Scullard of Newbury, yeoman, Oct. 2, 1647; and she was his wife in 1663. Children, born in Newbury: John, born Sept. 19, 1648; Rebecca, born May 15, 1650; Joanna, born April 24, 1652; Hannah, born Dec. 10, 1653; Elizabeth, born Aug. 1, 1655; died March 11, 1655-6; Jonathan, born Jan. 11, 1656-7; Noah, born June 20, 1658; David, born Aug. 26, 1660.—*Registry of deeds, and Newbury town records.*

Henry Bishop of Ipswich married at Boston Feb. 20, 1657, widow of Elizabeth Wilbore, and died before 1664.

Job Bishop of Ipswich, 1648, son of Thomas Bishop of Ipswich, married, first, Elizabeth, daughter of Rev. George Phillips, and by her had daughter Elizabeth, who died Feb. 27, 1652. By a second wife he had Dinah, born June 19, 1657; Sarah, born May 19, 1659; and Hannah, born Dec. 24, 1662.

William Bitner of Andover married, in 1648, Sarah Ingalls of Andover.

—*Savage.*

THE OLD HYMNS.

There's lot o' music in 'em, the hymns of long ago,
An' when some gray-haired brother sings the ones I used to know,
I sorter want to take a hand—I think o' days gone by,
"On Jordan's stormy banks I stand and cast a wistful eye."

There's lots of music in 'em—those dear, sweet hymns of old,
With visions bright of lands of light and shining streets of gold;
And I hear 'em ringing—singing, where Mem'ry dreaming stands,
"From Greenland's icy mountains to India's coral strands."

They seem to sing forever of holier, sweeter
days,
When the lillies of the love of God bloomed
white in all the ways;
And I want to hear their music from the old-time
meetin's rise,
Till "I can read my title clear to mansions in the
skies."

We never needed singin' books in them old days;
we knew
The words—the tunes of every one the dear old
hymn book through!
We didn't have no trumpets then—no organs
built for show;
We only sang to praise the Lord "from whom all
blessings flow."

An' so I love the old hymns, and when my time
shall come—
Before the light has left me and my singing lips
are dumb—
If I can only hear 'em then, I'll pass without a
sigh
"To Canaan's fair and happy land, where my
possessions lie!"

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

449. Who was Daniel Canady (or Kennedy) of Salem in 1685? Who were his parents, and where did they live? K.

450. Who was Robert Low of Ipswich in 1686. L.

ANSWERS.

88. Mary Wadleigh of Exeter, N. H., who married John Cram, was daughter of Robert⁴ (son of Robert,³ son of Capt. Robert,² son of John,¹ the immigrant) and Deborah (Smith) Wadleigh, and was born in Stratham, N. H. The will of her father, Robert Wadleigh, dated Aug. 17, 1733, and proved in September, 1733, mentions wife Deborah; sons John and Robert; and daughters Mary, Maria, Deborah, Sarah and Meribah, all young.—*John F. Johnson, Amesbury, Mass.*

442. Sarah Farrington, who married Joseph Breed at Lynn in 1683, was daughter of Mathew Farrington, sr., of Lynn,

and was born there 15: 4: 1663. His will, dated Dec. 11, 1700 (when he called himself "aged and weak of body"), was proved Jan. 20, 1700-1. In it, he mentions his wife Sisly, sons Mathew, William and Theophilus Farrington, and a son of his son John Farrington, deceased; and "I give to my Daughter Sarah Bread the feather Bed that is in my best Chamber wth all y^e furniture belonging to itt & my best Cubord & twenty pound in or as money to be paid feuen pounds by my Son William ffarrington and thirteen pounds by my fon Theophilus ffarrington." His estate was valued at £471, 14s.—*Ed.*

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

PEBBLES FROM THE SHORE. *By E. A. Kimball.* Boston, 1904. This is an attractive little book of poems by Mrs. E. A. Kimball of East Haverhill, Mass, who has already published considerable verse. In this collection are several occasional poems which will be doubly dear to those interested in the occasions. Bound in cloth; gilt top; 58 duodecimo pages; published by Richard G. Badge, "The Gorham Press," Boston, Mass. The price is \$1.25.

THE OLD FAMILIES OF SALISBURY AND AMESBURY, MASSACHUSETTS. With some Related Families of adjoining towns and of York County, Maine. *By David W. Hoyt.* Providence, R. I., 1905. This is part nine (or part four of volume two) of Mr. Hoyt's genealogical work concerning families in and around the towns named. This part contains several generations of the Chase, Colby, Currier and Davis families. Paper covers; sixty-four pages; price, \$1.00 to purchasers of the other parts; single copies, \$1.25. Address David W. Hoyt, Providence, R. I.

THE OLD FAMILIES OF SALISBURY AND AMESBURY, MASSACHUSETTS. With some Related Families of adjoining towns and of York County, Maine. *By David W. Hoyt.* Providence, R. I., 1905. This is part ten (or part five of volume two) of

Mr. Hoyt's valuable work on the genealogies of the families living in early times in the locality named. This part relates principally to the Davis, Dow, Eaton, Hoyt, Martin, Merrill and Morrill families. Paper covers; seventy-two octavo pages; price, \$1.00 to purchasers of the other parts; single copies, \$1.25. Address David W. Hoyt, Providence, R. I. Mr. Hoyt's work is to be highly commended for its accuracy. He is wise, experienced and conscientious.

VITAL RECORDS OF BOXFORD, MASS. Topsfield, 1905. The Topsfield Historical Society has compiled and published the vital records of the town of Boxford before 1850, under the statute of the state to promote such undertakings. The record includes, in addition to the town records of births, marriages and deaths, the intentions of marriages, and records from many other sources, viz: gravestone inscriptions, church records (which contain many baptisms of children, whose births are not recorded on the town records, besides marriages and deaths), family Bibles, private records, journals, etc. These records make a volume of two hundred and seventy-four pages, which will be sent by mail, postpaid, by The Topsfield Historical Society, Topsfield, Mass., for \$2.90.

A HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES AND ITS PEOPLE from their earliest records to the present time. By *Elroy McKendree Avery*. Cleveland, O., 1904. This is the first volume of the twelve that will compose Doctor Avery's work of a score of years. He states that the style and method is midway between "a cold intellectualism that seems to be heading straight for the poverty and decay that must always follow the separation of the brain from the heart" and "a popular taste that is daily accommodating itself to an æsthetic and intellectual pabulum that would have seemed to our forefathers, at best, a sad waste of time;" in other words that he has "tried to meet the wants of men and women of general culture." Therefore foot notes and authori-

ties are not given, and the matter is presented simply and concisely, with little attempt apparently at literary style.

As this volume, which is the only one of the work that has appeared, merely comes down to the year 1588, a reviewer cannot inform himself as to the author's treatment of the settlement of the country by the English and its evolution and development; and therefore must be contented for the present with the account of the history of the aborigines and the early discoveries.

The story of both the paleolithic and neolithic peoples here is interestingly written; and the myths and superstitions of the centuries prior to the eighteenth are presented in a separate chapter. The voyages of the Northmen are illustrated, among other things, by a facsimile copy of a saga manuscript. More than a quarter part of the volume is devoted to Columbus and his voyages; and a similar space to Cabot, Da Gama, Vesputius, Balboa, Magellan, Cortes, Ponce de Leon, Las Casas, Ayllon, Verrazano, Gomez, Narvaez, De Vaca, De Soto, Coronado, Cartier, Ribault, Laudonniere, De Gourgues, Hawkins, Drake, Cavendish, Gilbert, Raleigh, etc.

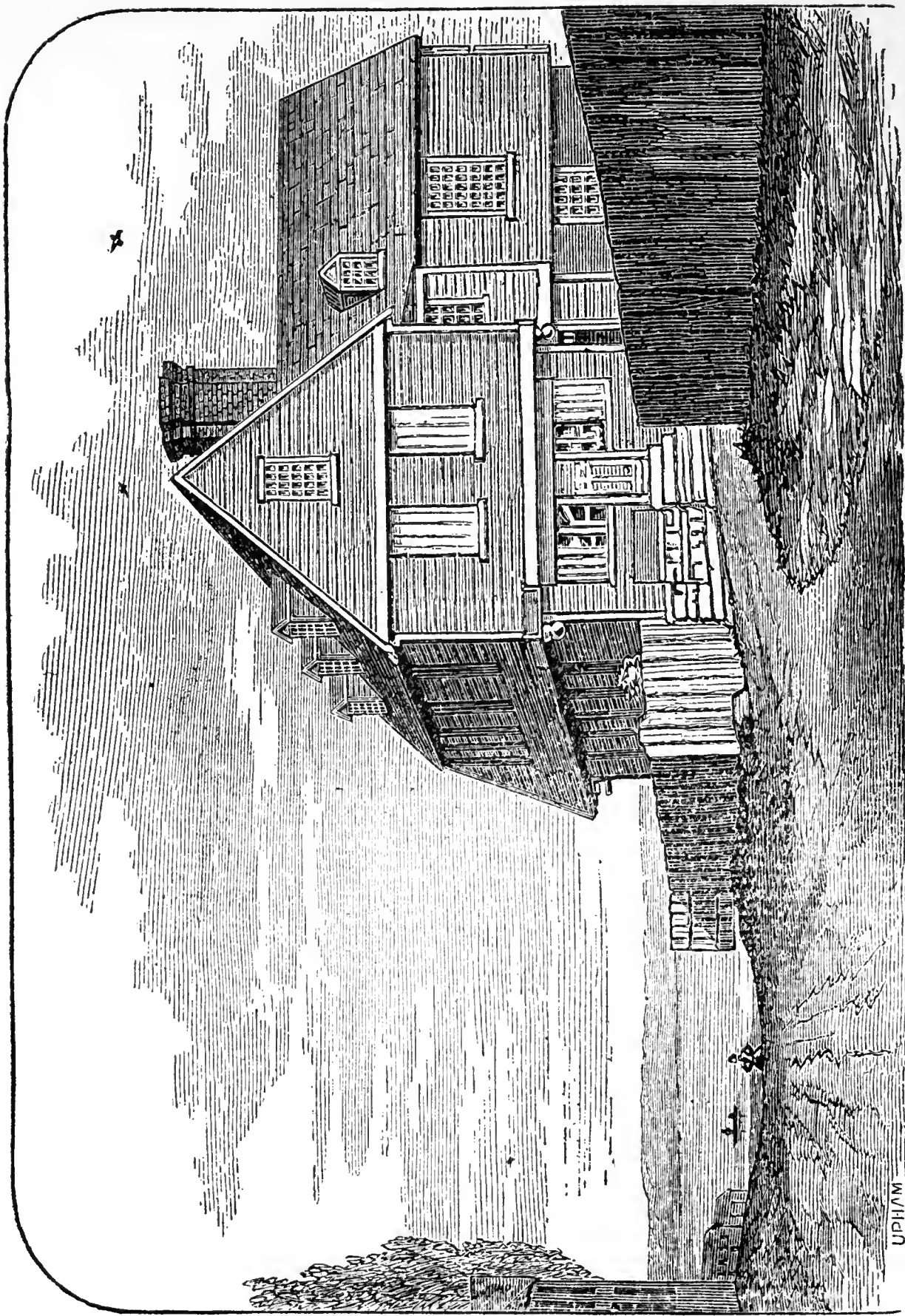
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BOARDMAN GENEALOGY.

THE surname of BOARDMAN is also spelled in the early records of Essex county *Boarman, Bordman, Boreman, Bor-man* and *Bourman*.

BOARDMAN¹, probably a resident of England, had at least two sons who came to America.

Children:—

- 2—I. THOMAS², baptized Oct. 18, 1601, in Claydon, England; so says Topsfield Historical Collections, volume VIII (1902), page 104. *See below* (2).
3—II. DANIEL², came to America. In his brother Thomas Boardman's will, in 1670, he is mentioned as follows: "Item my will is that my Brother Daniell shall abide with my wife while shee liues; and after her Decease that he shall continue while he liues with my sonne Thomas to be mainteyned by him."

2

THOMAS BOARDMAN², baptized in Claydon, England, Oct. 18, 1601. He was a cooper by trade, and settled in Ipswich, Mass., in 1634. He was called "a very old man" in 1671. His wife Margaret probably came from England with him. He died before May 26, 1673; his will, dated Dec. 17, 1670, being proved June 19, 1673. His estate was appraised at £554, 6s., 6d. His wife Margaret survived him, and died in Ipswich Nov. 25, 1679.

Children:—

- 4—I. MARY³, b. about 1629; m. Robert Kinsman of Ipswich before 1665; and she was living in 1679.
5—II. DANIEL³, b. about 1639. (*See below* 5).
6—III. MARTHA³, b. about 1641; m. Thomas Low of Ipswich July 4, 1660; and was living in 1679.
7—IV. THOMAS³, b. about 1643. *See below* (7).

- 8—V. JOANNA³, b. about 1649; m. Isaac Fellows of Ipswich Jan. 29, 1672.

5

DANIEL BOARDMAN³, born in Ipswich about 1639. He was a yeoman, and lived in Ipswich until 1665, when he purchased the farm of William Evans in Topsfield, and removed thither. He afterwards lived in Topsfield, and was one of the selectmen of the town in 1668 and 1669. He married Hannah Hutchinson April 12, 1662, in Ipswich; and died in Topsfield April 27, 1708. She survived him, and lived in Topsfield, his widow, in 1723, being an "aged person."

Children:—

- 9—I. JOSEPH⁴, b. about 1662. *See below* (9).
10—II. NATHANIEL⁴, b. about 1664. *See below* (10).
11—III. THOMAS⁴, b. June 15, 1666, in Topsfield; probably settled at Cape Porpus in Maine.
12—IV. HANNAH⁴, b. Feb. 18, 1670, in Topsfield; m. Eleazer Putnam of Salem about 1693; and was living in 1706.
13—V. MARY⁴, m. Ebenezer Foster of Ipswich Jan. 23, 1705-6; lived in Rowley; and d. before 1720.
14—VI. WAIT JOHN⁴, b. Aug. 23, 1676, in Topsfield. *See below* (14).
15—VII. DAVID⁴ (twin), b. June 21, 1682, in Topsfield; d. at Preston, Conn., unmarried, Feb. 1, 1724-5.
16—VIII. JONATHAN⁴ (twin), b. June 21, 1682, in Topsfield; laborer; lived in Topsfield, where he d., unmarried, Oct. 3, 1723, aged forty-one.

7

THOMAS BOARDMAN³, born in Ipswich about 1643. He was a farmer, and lived in Ipswich. He married Miss Elizabeth Perkins of Ipswich Jan. 1, 1667-

8; and she died Dec. 4, 1718. Mr. Boardman died Oct. —, 1719, his will, dated Oct. 24, 1719, being proved Nov. 3, 1719.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 17—I. THOMAS⁴, b. Aug. 8, 1669. *See below* (17).
- 18—II. JACOB⁴, b. June 10, 1671. *See below* (18).
- 19—III. JOHN⁴, b. March 18, 1672-3; probably d. before 1719.
- 20—IV. OFFIN⁴, b. Dec. 3, 1676. *See below* (20).
- 21—V. MARGARET⁴, b. April 5, 1681; m. Thomas Burnam, jr., of Ipswich Sept. 30, 1703; and was living in 1720.
- 22—VI. ELIZABETH⁴, b. Nov. 6, 1686; m. Jedidiah Titcomb of Newbury (pub. June 29, 1717); and was his wife in 1720.

9

JOSEPH BOARDMAN⁴, born in Ipswich about 1662. He was a yeoman and house-carpenter, and lived on the late James Manning farm in Topsfield. He married Prudence Foster Feb. 17, 1696-7; and died in Topsfield May 18, 1737. She survived him, and died, his widow, in Topsfield Oct. 28, 1755.

Children, born in Topsfield:—

- 23—I. ABIGAIL⁵, b. Sept. 8, 1700; m. Isaac Cummings of Ipswich March 8, 1716-7.
- 24—II. HANNAH⁵, b. Aug. 16, 1703; m., first, Jacob Perkins Dec. 5, 1721; second, John Batchelder of Topsfield Aug. 23, 1763; and d. in Topsfield April 27, 1783, aged seventy-nine.

10

CORP. NATHANIEL BOARDMAN⁴, born in Ipswich about 1664. He was a husbandman and carpenter, and lived in Topsfield. He was commissioned quartermaster by Lt.-gov. William Dummer Aug. 16, 1723. He was prominent in town affairs, being a selectman in 1723, 1727, 1728, 1730 and 1732; and representative to the general court in 1727, 1737, 1740 and 1741. He married Miss Abigail Rolfe of Newbury June 28, 1710; and she died in Topsfield Aug. 11, 1749. He died in Topsfield March 7, 1758, being "an aged man." In his will, he gave £5, 6s., 8d., towards building a new meeting house, provided it

is set where the old one then stood. He also gave to the church £1, 6s., 8d. In the later years of his life he was called "gentleman."

Children, born in Topsfield:—

- 25—I. NATHANIEL⁵, b. April 9, 1711; lived in Topsfield; m. Martha Perley of Ipswich April 1, 1736; and d. in Topsfield Aug. 26, 1736. She m. secondly, John Chapman, jr., of Topsfield March 1, 1738-9; and she was the latter's wife in 1756.
- 26—II. ABIGAIL⁵, bapt. Sept. 5, 1714; d. Sept. 13, 1736, in Topsfield.

14

WAIT JOHN BOARDMAN⁴, born in Topsfield Aug. 23, 1676. He was called "John Boardman," having discarded his first name. He was a husbandman, and lived in Topsfield until his father's death, when he removed to Preston, Conn., after being faithful and a comfort to his father. He married Mary Billings of Preston May 4, 1713; and died Feb. 2, 1739. She survived him, and died, his widow, May 24, 1776.

Children, born in Preston:—

- 27—I. EUNICE⁵, d. Feb. 6, 1714.
- 28—II. ———⁵, b. Nov. 15, 1715; d. Nov. 20, 1715.
- 29—III. JOHN⁵, b. Dec. 21, 1716. *See below* (29).
- 30—IV. HANNAH⁵, b. Oct. 20, 1718.
- 31—V. ELIJAH⁵, b. March 13, 1720; lived in Preston; m. Mary Tyler March 15, 1749; and d. Dec. 20, 1759. They had five children.
- 32—VI. JOSEPH⁵, b. Oct. 20, 1722; captain of the 2d co. of the 8th Conn. regiment; m. Rachel Killam of Preston Sept. 8, 1749; and d. Sept. 23, 1796. They had twelve children.
- 33—VII. MARY⁵, b. March 20, 1724; m. Henry Williams Oct. 12, 1743.
- 34—VIII. EUNICE⁵, b. July 10, 1728; m. Capt. Stephen Perkins of Topsfield Aug. 11, 1748; and lived in Topsfield.
- 35—IX. LOIS⁵, b. Oct. 14, 1730; m. John Cottrell before 1756.

17

CORNET THOMAS BOARDMAN⁴, born in Ipswich Aug. 8, 1669. He was a carpenter, and lived in Ipswich. He married, first, Sarah Langley about 1697; and she died Dec. 27, 1725. He married, second,

Mrs. Sarah Gurley (published May 6, 1727); and she died April 4, 1735. He died in 1736 (?), having conveyed his house, barn, shops and land in Ipswich to his son John Boardman in 1720.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 36—I. JOHN^b, b. Feb. 13, 1697-8. *See below* (36).
- 37—II. ABEL^b, b. Sept. 23, 1700 (bapt. June 12, 1715); yeoman, joiner and gunsmith; lived in Ipswich; m. Mary Warner (pub. May 23, 1735); he d. in Ipswich May 16, 1752; she survived him, and m., secondly, William Buswell of Amesbury, cooper (pub. April 10, 1754). Mr. Boardman probably had no children.
- 38—III. SARAH^b, m. Thomas Cross of Ipswich, turner (pub. Feb. 18, 1720-1); and she was his wife in 1736.
- 39—IV. HANNAH^b, m. John Treadwell of Ipswich, yeoman, Oct. 9, 1728; and was his wife in 1736.
- 40—V. MARTHA^b, m. Caleb Pool of Gloucester, yeoman, March 28, 1727; and she was his wife in 1736.
- 41—VI. ELIZABETH^b, m. Joseph Manning of Ipswich, gentleman, Nov. 14, 1732.
- 42—VII. LUCY^b, bapt. 21: 10: 1712; m. John Appleton, 3d, of Ipswich, joiner, Aug. 4, 1731; and she d. Feb. 24, 1790, "aged seventy-three."
- 43—VIII. STEPHEN^b, bapt. 8: 7: 1717. *See below* (43).
- 44—IX. LANGLEY^b, bapt. Feb. 18, 1721-2; d. in Ipswich Feb. 14, 1737, aged sixteen.

18

JACOB BOARDMAN⁴, born in Ipswich June 10, 1671. He was a yeoman and carpenter, and lived in Ipswich. He married, first, widow Martha Rogers May 18, 1699; and she died June 10, 1740. He married, second, Mary Ash of Wenham Sept. 20, 1742 (published in Ipswich Aug. 22, 1741); and died in Ipswich Dec. 10, 1756. His wife Mary survived him, and removed to Boston in 1757. His estate was insolvent, paying a dividend of about forty-five per cent.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 45—I. MARGARET^b, b. May 6, 1700; m. Richard Manning (pub. Oct. 20, 1722).
- 46—II. JACOB^b, b. April 1, 1702; yeoman; lived in Ipswich; m. widow Zeruah Burnam of Ipswich July 26, 1750; both became of unsound mind in 1760; in 1763, he was being boarded with

Ebenezer Fuller and the next year she was being boarded with James Platts (in Rowley?); they were both living in 1769. There were no children, apparently.

- 47—III. MARY^b, b. Nov. 20, 1704.
- 48—IV. PRISCILLA^b, b. July 25, 1707; m. Joseph Manning (pub. Jan. 22, 1726).
- 49—V. JOHN^b, b. Sept. 5, 1709. *See below* (49).
- 50—VI. HANNAH^b, bapt. 11: 9: 1711.
- 51—VII. ELIZABETH^b, bapt. 23: 3: 1714; d. May 4, 1736.

20

CAPT. OFFIN BOARDMAN⁴, born in Ipswich Dec. 3, 1676. He lived in Ipswich until 1707, when he removed to Newbury, from whence he removed to Salisbury in 1729 or 1730. He was at first a weaver, and then a mariner or coaster, and the last few years of his life were spent as an innholder in Salisbury. He married, first, Sarah Heard in Ipswich Feb. 28, 1698; and she died in Salisbury May 27, 1738. He married, second, Judith Morss of Newbury April 24, 1740; and died March 22, 1749, in Salisbury, at the age of seventy-two. His wife Judith survived him. His estate was valued at £1,685, 11s., 4d. He had considerable property at North Yarmouth, Me.

Children:—

- 52—I. OFFIN^b, b. Dec. 16, 1698, in Ipswich. *See below* (52).
- 53—II. SARAH^b, m. Stephen Coffin, jr., of Newbury Aug. 16, 1722; and both died before 1748.
- 54—III. ELIZABETH^b, d. in Newbury April 27, 1720.
- 55—IV. NATHANIEL^b, bapt. July 8, 1705, in Ipswich; probably d. young.
- 56—V. JOHN^b, b. Dec. 6, 1707, in Newbury; probably d. young.
- 57—VI. MARGARET^b, b. Oct. 28, 1710, in Newbury; d. in Salisbury July 18, 1730.
- 58—VII. ABIGAIL^b, b. Dec. 28, 1712, in Newbury; m. Stephen Hook Jan. 25, 1732-3; and probably d. before 1748, without issue.

29

CAPT. JOHN BOARDMAN⁵, born in Preston, Conn., Dec. 21, 1716. He lived in Preston until 1745, when he removed to Topsfield, Mass., where he afterwards resided. He married Elizabeth Cagwin (or, Kegwin) of Stonington, Conn., Jan.

26, 1736; and died April 7, 1780, "in something of a sudden & unexpected manner," aged sixty-three. She survived him, and died, his widow, Feb. 3, 1789.

Children:—

- 59—I. HANNAH⁶, b. in 1737, in Preston; m. Lt. Daniel Towne of Topsfield Feb. 3, 1761; and d. in Topsfield Dec. 30, 1814, aged seventy-seven.
- 60—II. ABIGAIL⁶, b. in 1739, in Preston; m. Stephen Foster, jr., of Topsfield Jan. 4, 1763; and d. in Topsfield July 8, 1786, of consumption, at the age of forty-six.
- 61—III. NATHANIEL⁶, b. in 1741, in Preston; "died from Home in ye Army" in 1760.
- 62—IV. LOIS⁶, b. in 1744, in Preston; m. Thomas Cummings, jr., of Ipswich April 26, 1763; by the change of town line they lived in Topsfield after 1774; she d. Dec. 6, 1792.
- 63—V. ELIZABETH⁶, b. Sept. 18, 1746, in Topsfield; m. Benjamin Johnson of Ipswich Sept. 8, 1766; they removed to Limerick, Me., being among the very first settlers of that town.
- 64—VI. JOHN⁶, b. Sept. 24, 1748, in Topsfield; m. Bethiah Gidding of Ipswich Nov. 8, 1770; and d. Jan. 28, 1771, aged twenty-two. She m., secondly, Josiah Fitts, 3d, of Ipswich Feb. 20, 1776; and, thirdly, John Gould, jr., of Topsfield June 3, 1777. Mr. Gould had no children apparently.
- 65—VII. MARY⁶, b. March 12, 1750-I, in Topsfield; m. Josiah Cummings Dec. 6, 1781; and lived in Andover.
- 66—VIII. DANIEL⁶, b. Dec. 26, 1752, in Topsfield. *See below* (66).
- 67—IX. EUNICE⁶, b. Feb. 1, 1755, in Topsfield; d. July 12, 1768.

36

CAPT. JOHN BOARDMAN⁵, born in Ipswich Feb. 13, 1697-8. He was a yeoman, and lived in Ipswich, having a pew in the South church. He deeded his farm to his dutiful son John in 1743. He married Abigail Choate (published Nov. 27, 1720); and died in Ipswich Oct. 1, 1760. His estate was appraised at £1,173, 19s., 4d. She was his wife in 1757.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 68—I. JOHN⁶, bapt. May 6, 1722. *See below* (68).
- 69—II. ABIGAIL⁶, bapt. March 8, 1723; m. Thomas Prime of Rowley (pub. Jan.

24, 1746-7; and she lived in Rowley, his widow, in 1762.

- 70—III. THOMAS⁶, bapt. March 20, 1725. *See below* (70).
- 71—IV. SARAH⁶, bapt. April 21, 1728; d. Nov. 4, 1737.
- 72—V. MARY⁶, bapt. Dec. 6, 1730; d. Nov. 4, 1737.
- 73—VI. LUCY⁶, bapt. Aug. 5, 1733; d. Nov. 4, 1737.
- 74—VII. FRANCIS⁶, bapt. July 18, 1736; d. Nov. 5, 1737.
- 75—VIII. SARAH⁶, bapt. Nov. 12, 1738; lived in Ipswich, unmarried, spinster, in 1763.
- 76—IX. MARY⁶, bapt. April 11, 1742; m. James Kinsman of Ipswich Nov. 6, 1760; and was his widow in 1764, when she lived in Ipswich.

43

STEPHEN BOARDMAN⁵, baptized in Ipswich 8:7:1717. He was a blacksmith, and lived in Gloucester in 1738, and after 1741 in Ipswich. He married Elizabeth Cogswell of Ipswich (published Sept. 22, 1744). He sold his house, barn, shop, land, etc., in Chebacco parish, where he lived, in 1748, and probably removed from town.

Children, baptized in Ipswich:—

- 77—I. ELIZABETH⁶, bapt. Dec. 22, 1745.
- 78—II. STEPHEN⁶, bapt. April 24, 1748; d. young.
- 79—III. STEPHEN⁶, bapt. Oct. 14, 1750.

49

JOHN BOARDMAN⁵, born in Ipswich Sept. 5, 1709. He was a yeoman, and lived in Ipswich. He married Mrs. Anna Fuller (published Feb. 24, 1748); and died before Nov. 5, 1759, when administration was granted upon his estate, which was valued at £444, 4s., 10d. She survived him, and married, secondly, Joshua Low April 3, 1760. She was Mr. Low's wife in 1767.

Children, baptized in Ipswich:—

- 80—I. ELIZABETH⁶, bapt. Dec. 3, 1749; m. Daniel Warner (pub. July 5, 1766).
- 81—II. DANIEL⁶, bapt. Jan. 18, 1756. *See below* (81).

52

OFFIN BOARDMAN⁵, born in Ipswich Dec. 16, 1698. He lived in Newbury; and married Sarah Woodman of Newbury

Jan. 17, 1722-3. He died before Oct. 20, 1735, when administration was granted upon his estate, which was valued at £785, 17s. He had much land and some cattle at North Yarmouth, Me. She survived him, and married, secondly, Stephen Wyatt of Newbury Nov. 17, 1737.

Children, born in Newbury:—

- 82—I. OFFIN⁶, b. Sept. 6, 1723. *See below* (82).
- 83—II. THOMAS⁶ (twin), b. March 7, 1726. *See below* (83).
- 84—III. ELIZABETH⁶ (twin), b. March 7, 1726; m. John Pearson, 3d, of Newbury May 5, 1748.
- 85—IV. JACOB⁶, b. Dec. 29, 1727; lived in Newburyport, shopkeeper and merchant, 1768.
- 86—V. JOHN⁶, b. Oct. 1, 1730. *See below* (86).
- 87—VI. JONATHAN⁶. *See below* (87).

66

CAPT. DANIEL BOARDMAN⁶, born in Topsfield Dec. 26, 1752. He was a yeoman, and lived in Topsfield. He was captain of the military company at Topsfield, and a soldier of the Revolution. He married Lydia Bishop of Rowley (published Nov. 25, 1776); and died May 1, 1803, having a military funeral. She survived him; and married, secondly, John Batchelder, sr., Aug. 30, 1812; dying in Pittsfield, N. H., Oct. 12, 1841, aged eighty-eight.

Children, born in Topsfield:—

- 88—I. EUNICE⁷, b. Jan. 8, 1778; m., first, Jonathan Porter of Danvers Nov. 30, 1797; second, Jeremiah Putnam of Danvers Oct. 16, 1810; and d. May 2, 1852.
- 89—II. JOHN⁷, b. Oct. 10, 1779; lived in Topsfield; m. Rebecca Gould March 18, 1802; and d. June 17, 1856. They had five children.
- 90—III. BISHOP⁷, b. Sept. 26, 1781; yeoman; lived in Topsfield and Danvers; and d. in Danvers, unmarried, Oct. 20, 1853.
- 91—IV. DANIEL⁷, b. Nov. 11, 1783; lived in Topsfield; m. Elizabeth Gould March 15, 1804; and d. at sea. She m., secondly, Artemas W. Perley of Boxford May 20, 1823. Mr. Boardman had three children.
- 92—V. BETSEY⁷, b. Jan. 8, 1785; d. young.
- 93—VI. BETSEY⁷, b. Jan. 12, 1787; m. David Marden March 4, 1824; and d. at Pittsfield, N. H., Aug. 10, 1875.

94—VII. LYDIA⁷, b. in 1788; d. Sept. 9, 1796, aged eight.

95—VIII. NATHANIEL⁷, b. Sept. 29, 1790; shoe manufacturer; lived in Danvers; m., first, Nancy Putnam May 16, 1816; she d. March 19, 1823; m., second, Anna Putnam Nov. 25, 1824; she d. June 27, 1872; and he d. in Danvers Oct. 27, 1876. He had six children.

96—IX. SALLY⁷, b. Dec. 3, 1793; m. Benjamin Towne of Topsfield March 12, 1812; and d. Aug. 28, 1872.

68

LT. JOHN BOARDMAN⁶, baptized in Ipswich May 6, 1722. He was a yeoman, and lived in Ipswich. He married Mary Baker (published Nov. 25, 1743); and died in Ipswich March 10, 1755. She survived him, and married, secondly, John Potter, jr., June 15, 1758. Mr. Boardman had a negro man named Sippeo. They attended the South church.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 97—I. MARY⁷, bapt. Feb. 17, 1744; probably m. Robert Dodge, both of the Hamlet parish (pub. April 11, 1764).
- 98—II. FRANCIS⁷, bapt. March 8, 1746. *See below* (98).
- 99—III. LUCY⁷, bapt. July 9, 1749; living, 1764, m. Nathaniel Lord, 3d, of Ipswich July 4, 1771.
- 100—IV. JOHN⁷, bapt. Oct. 6, 1751; living in 1767.
- 101—V. EBENEZER⁷, bapt. Sept. 29, 1754; lived in Ipswich; baker; and administration was granted on his estate July 16, 1790.

70

THOMAS BOARDMAN⁶, baptized in Ipswich March 20, 1725. He was a yeoman, and lived in Ipswich, being called "gentleman" during the last years of his life. He married Elizabeth How (published May 23, 1747); and died before June 4, 1776, when administration was granted upon his estate, which was appraised at £1,235, os., 7d. She survived him, and was his widow in 1783. She probably married, secondly, Capt. Richard Homan Sept. 23, 1792. They attended the South church.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 102—I. ELIZABETH⁷, bapt. Feb. 28, 1747-8; d. May 23, 1767.

- 103—II. THOMAS⁷, bapt. Feb. 18, 1749; living in 1783.
 104—III. JOSEPH⁷, bapt. Jan. 5, 1752; yeoman; lived in Ipswich, 1796.
 105—IV. JOHN HOW⁷, bapt. March 24, 1754; yeoman; lived in Ipswich, 1796.
 106—V. ABIGAIL⁷, bapt. May 30, 1756; m. Nathan Brown (pub. July 11, 1776).
 107—VI. SARAH⁷, bapt. Sept. 3, 1758; m. Abraham Brown (pub. Dec. 30, 1779).
 108—VII. ABEL⁷, bapt. Oct. 5, 1760; baker; lived in Newburyport; m. Miss Lydia Potter of Ipswich May 11, 1783; and d. in 1816. He had a son Thomas.
 109—VIII. SUSANNA⁷, bapt. Nov. —, 1762; m. James Burnham Feb. 5, 1786.
 110—IX. STEPHEN⁷, bapt. Sept. 16, 1764; cordwainer; lived in Ipswich; m. Martha Kinsman June 2, 1791; and had a son Francis.
 111—X. FRANCIS⁷, bapt. Aug. 3, 1766; baker; lived in Marblehead; and d. there, suddenly, March 31, 1823, aged fifty-six, leaving no children.
 112—XI. ELIZABETH⁷, bapt. July 31, 1768; m. Ephraim Brown, jr., Nov. 13, 1791.

81

DANIEL BOARDMAN⁶, baptized in Ipswich Jan. 18, 1756. He lived in Ipswich, being a mariner or fisherman and lighterman. He married, first, Mary Hodgkins Sept. 15, 1778; and she died March 6, 1799. He married, second, Bethiah Burnham (published Sept. 28, 1799); and died May —, 1823, his estate being insolvent. His wife Bethiah survived him.

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 113—I. MARY⁷, bapt. Aug. 20, 1780.
 114—II. JOHN⁷, bapt. July 29, 1781.
 115—III. DANIEL⁷, bapt. Dec. 23, 1782.
 116—IV. FRANCIS HODGKINS⁷, bapt. Jan. 9, 1785; cordwainer; lived in Salem; m. Lucy Gray of Salem Nov. 29, 1810; and d. April —, 1826. They had two children.
 117—V. ANNA⁷, bapt. Nov. 26, 1786.
 118—VI. ABIGAIL⁷, bapt. Feb. 27, 1791.
 119—VII. LUCY⁷, bapt. May 14, 1797.
 120—VIII. ———⁷, d. Feb. 13, 1799.

82

OFFIN BOARDMAN⁶, born in Newbury Sept. 6, 1723. He was a shipwright and boat builder, and lived at the port in Newbury, which was incorporated as Newburyport in 1764. He married, first, Hannah Carr of Newbury Oct. 21, 1746;

and she was living in 1774. He married, second, widow Tamizen Stevens of Newburyport Oct. 10, 1778. He died in Newburyport April 26, 1802; and his wife Tamizen died, his widow, in 1812.

Children, born in Newbury:—

- 121—I. OFFIN⁷, b. Feb. 18, 1747. *See below (121).*
 122—II. ELIZABETH⁷, b. Oct. 2, 1749; m. William Work of Newburyport, house-carpenter; and they were living in 1805.
 123—III. HANNAH⁷, b. March 29, 1751; m. Edmund Sweat of Newburyport, rope-maker, Oct. 3, 1767; and they lived in Newburyport in 1805.
 124—IV. THOMAS⁷, b. Nov. 20, 1752. *See below (124).*
 125—V. MOSES⁷, b. Nov. 21, 1754.
 126—VI. SAMUEL⁷, b. March 29, 1757.
 127—VII. RHODA⁷, b. Jan. 29, 1759; spinster; and lived in Newburyport in 1805.

83

THOMAS BOARDMAN⁶, born in Newbury March 7, 1726. He was a boat builder, and lived in Newbury. He married Anne Pearson May 9, 1749; and died in 1751. His estate was appraised at £429, 17s. She married, secondly, Joseph Moulton Sept. 5, 1754; and died in or before 1757.

Child, born in Newbury:—

- 128—I. ———⁷, b. in 1751.

86

JOHN BOARDMAN⁶, born in Newbury Oct. 1, 1730. He was a shipwright, and lived in that part of Newbury which was incorporated as Newburyport in 1764. He married Judith Marsh of Haverhill Nov. 9, 1752; and he died before Jan. 31, 1791, when administration was granted upon his estate. She survived him.

Child, born in Newburyport:—

- 129—I. JOHN⁷, b. Aug. 14, 1767; of Newburyport, boat builder, 1791, 1793.

87

CAPT. JONATHAN BOARDMAN⁶, born in Newbury. He was a ship carpenter and mariner, and lived in that portion of Newbury that was incorporated as Newburyport in 1764. He married Rebecca Moody March 12, 1761. His will, dated Aug. 26, 1808, was proved June 10, 1813.

She survived him, and died, his widow, in 1814.

Children :—

- 130—I. WILLIAM⁷, b. March 31, 1762, in Newbury; d. before 1808.
- 131—II. REBECCA⁷, b. Sept. 30, 1764, in Newburyport; m. Benjamin Shute of Newmarket, N. H., May 21, 1785; and d. before 1808.
- 132—III. JONATHAN⁷, lived in Newburyport, cooper, 1808; and was living in 1814.
- 133—IV. SARAH⁷, m. Moses Goodrich of Newburyport July 6, 1789; and she was living in 1814.
- 134—V. MARY⁷, b. Oct. 9, 1772, in Newburyport m. Samuel Chase of Newburyport Oct. 1, 1790; and was living in 1814.
- 135—VI. BETSEY⁷, b. Feb. 14, 1776, in Newburyport; m. ——— Waterman before 1808; and was living in 1814.
- 136—VII. JUDITH⁷, was unmarried in 1814.

98

CAPT. FRANCIS BOARDMAN⁷, baptized in Ipswich March 8, 1746. He was a master-mariner, owning the *Rambler*, a schooner of ninety tons burden. He married Mary Hodges of Salem; and erected a fine house east of the common in Salem, on the corner of Boardman street, where he lived. He died in Port Au Prince, of fever, Feb. 10, 1792, aged "forty-four." His estate was appraised at £4,756. She survived him, and died, his widow, in 1828. They were attendants at the East church.

Children :—

- 137—I. MARY⁸, b. about 1778; m. Benjamin Williams Crowninshield of Salem, member of congress, United States senator, and secretary of the navy, Jan. 1, 1804; and was living in 1828.
- 138—II. ELIZABETH⁸, b. about 1779; m. Nathaniel Bowditch of Salem March 25, 1798; and d., of scrofula, Oct. 18, 1798, aged nineteen.
- 139—III. FRANCIS⁸, b. about 1784; lived in Salem, mariner, 1828.
- 140—IV. JOHN⁸, bapt. July 30, 1786, in East church, Salem; d. May 14, 1791, aged five years. He had consumption and grew deformed.
- 141—V. SARAH⁸, bapt. Oct. 7, 1787, in East church, Salem; m. Zachariah F. Silsbee; and was living in 1828.

103

THOMAS BOARDMAN⁷, baptized in Ipswich Feb. 18, 1749. He was a yeoman, and lived in Ipswich. He married Hannah ———.

Children, baptized in Ipswich :—

- 142—I. LANGLEY⁸, bapt. June 19, 1774.
- 143—II. HANNAH⁸, bapt. Oct. 27, 1776.
- 144—III. THOMAS⁸, bapt. March 1, 1778.
- 145—IV. JOHN⁸, bapt. April 30, 1780.
- 146—V. DANIEL NOYES⁸, bapt. Feb. 12, 1792.

121

CAPT. OFFIN BOARDMAN⁷, born in Newbury Feb. 18, 1747. He was first a mariner, and subsequently a merchant. He married, first, Sarah ——— about 1770, and she died in Newburyport Aug. 29, 1796. He married, second, Miss Sally Tappan of Newburyport April 20, 1797. They lived in Newburyport; and he died about 1811, his will, dated March 1, 1808, being proved Sept. 5, 1811. His wife survived him, and died, his widow, Aug. —, 1820, in Newbury.

Children, born in Newburyport :—

- 147—I. SUKEY GREENLEAF⁸, b. Dec. 29, 1771; d. young.
- 148—II. HANNAH CARR⁸, b. Aug. 13, 1775; m. Amos Tappan of Newburyport, merchant, May 9, 1798; and both were living in 1820.
- 149—III. OFFIN⁸, b. Aug. 9, 1777; lived in Newbury, trader, in 1811.
- 150—IV. BENJAMIN GREENLEAF⁸, b. Sept. 25, 1783.
- 151—V. SUSAN GREENLEAF⁸, b. Oct. 22, 1788; m. ——— Odiorne before 1820.

124

THOMAS BOARDMAN⁷, born in Newbury Nov. 20, 1752. He was a boat builder and mariner, and lived in Newburyport. He married Miss Anna Noyes of Newburyport (published July 11, 1776); and died there Nov. 17, 1788. She survived him, and died, his widow, in 1809. The inventory of his estate amounted to £267, 12s., 6d. He had a pension from congress, paid at Philadelphia.

Children :—

- 152—I. ANNA⁸, b. about 1776; living in 1797.
- 153—II. MARY⁸, b. about 1778; lived in Newbury; and d., unmarried, in 1813.
- 154—III. RHODA⁸, b. about 1780; living in 1797.

- 155—IV. THOMAS^s, b. about 1782; mariner;
lived in Newburyport; and was living
in 1813.
156—V. EUNICE^s, b. about 1785; living 1797.
157—VI. MOSES^s, b. about 1787; living 1797.
158—VII. MICHAEL^s, b. about 1789; living in
1837.

GLOUCESTER INSCRIPTIONS.

ANCIENT CEMETERY, WEST GLOUCESTER.

This burial-place in the woods at West Gloucester is the original cemetery of the Second parish in Gloucester. The meeting house and parsonage were located near here. The oldest gravestone now standing there and decipherable bears date of 1720. The following are all of the inscriptions to be found there bearing dates prior to 1800.

In memory of
MRS. LUCY BRAY.
wife of
CAP. MOSES BRAY.
who died
1799. Æt. 62.

In memory of
M^{rs} LYDIA BRAY
Wife of M^r
HUMPHREY BRAY,
who Died 14th Sept.
1 7 7 9
Aged 54 Years & 3 M^o.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF M^{rs} MARY BUTMAN
WIFE TO M^r JOHN
BUTMAN AGED 23
YEARS DEC^d OCT^r
Y^e 24th 1 7 3 0.

Here lies buried
the Body of
Cap^t CHARLES BYLES
who departed this Life
March the 9th 1782
in the 82^d Year
of his Age.

In Memory of
M^{rs} HANNAH BYLES
Wife of
Cap^t CHARLES BYLES
died March 9th 1785
in the 76th Year
of her age

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EARS
* 28th
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Here lies the Mortal
Remains of
Dea^c JOSIAH CHOATE
who departed
this life
Au^g 20, 1798:
Æt 83.

SARAH COFFIN
DAUGHTER OF
M^R PETER AND
MARY COFFIN
DIED NOV^r 16th
1747 AGED 30, DAY^s

*
PETER COFFIN
SON OF M^R
AND
* Y COFFIN
D MARCH 20
1 7 4 8 9 AGED
SIX WEAKS

*Broken.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF M^{rs} SUSANNAH
DAVIS AGED 47
YEARS & 1 MONTH
DEC^d DECEMBER Y^e
2 0th 1 7 2 3

M^{rs} SARAH
EUELETH*

M^{rs} RUTH
GOODRICH*

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF M^{rs} ABIGAIL HASKELL
WIFE TO DEACON WILL^M
HASKELL DEC^R DEC^d Y^e 30
1730 In Y^e 59 YEAR
OF HER AGE.

HERE LYES THE BODY
OF M^{rs} ABIGAIL HASKELL
WIFE TO M^r WILLIAM HASKELL
DEC^d FEB^{ry} Y^e 2^d
1 7 3 7/8 IN Y^e 37th
YEAR OF HER AGE

Here lyes y^e Body of
M^{rs} JEMIMA HASKALL,
Wife to Deacon
WILLIAM HASKALL ;
Who Departed this life
June y^e 1st 1761. in y^e
77th Year of Her Age.

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF DEACON JOSEPH
HASKELL DYED
NOV^R Y^e 12 1727
IN Y^e 82^d YEAR
OF HIS AGE

*Foot stone.

HERE LYES THE
BODY OF
DEACON WILL^M HASKELL
DEC^d JAN^{ry} Y^e 10 1730
IN Y^e 6 1st YEAR
OF HIS AGE

Here lies Buried
the Body of Deacon
WILLIAM HASKELL
who departed this
Life Feb^{ry} 10th 1766
In the 77th Year
of his Age

HERE LYES Y^e BODY OF
M^{rs} KEZIA HEARICK Y^e
WIFE TO M^r SAMUEL
HEARICK AGED 21
YEARS 2 MONTHS &
10 D^s DEC^d MAY Y^e 13th
1 7 3 2

Here lies Buried the
Body of M^r
SAMUEL HERRICK
who Departed this Life
Sep^t y^e 11th 1764
Aged 62 Years.

SARAH DAUGH^{tr}
TO M^r EBENEZER
& M^{rs} SARAH LUFKIN
DEC^d JULY Y^e 21st
1736 IN Y^e 28th
YEAR OF HER AGE

SUSANNAH DAU
TO EBENEZER
LUFKIN DEC^d AUG^T
1 7 1 7 2 0
IN Y^e 14th YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE B O D O F
M^r IOHN RIGGS
WHO DIED IANUERY
THE 18th 1748 IN
THE 80th YEAR
O F H I S A G E

HERE LIES BURIED THE
BODY OF M^{rs} MARY
RIGGS WIFE TO M^r
JONATHAN RIGGS DIED
J U L Y Y^e 3 1st 1 7 4 2
I N Y^e 3 6th Y E A R
O F H E R A G E

M^{rs} RUTH RIGGS
I 7 3 2.*

HERE LYES BURIED
Y^e BODY OF Y^e REV^d
M^r SAMUEL TOMPSON
PASTOUR OF Y^e 2^d
CHURCH OF CHRIST IN
GLOSESTER AGED 33
YEARS DEC^d DECEMBER
Y^e 8th I 7 2 4

HERE LYES Y^e BODY OF SARAH
TYLER WIFE TO JOHN
TYLER AGED 19 YEARS
AND 11 MONTHS DIED
FEB^{RY} Y^e 2 2 I 7 2 0/1

LUCI WOODBERRY
DAU^r TO M^r BENJANⁿ
& M^{rs} LYDIA
WOODBERRY AGED
3 YEARS & 8 Mo
DIED JULY Y^e
2 9th I 7 3 I

*Footstone.

SALEM COURT RECORDS AND FILES.

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Court, 30 : 4 : 1657.

Present : Worship^l Simon Bradstreet,
Worship^l Dan : Dennison, maj.-gen., Mr.
Sam : Simons, and Major Willm Hathorne.

Jury of trials : Mr. Tho : Gardner, Mr.
John Browne, Serg. Tho : Hayle, John
Millord, John Raman and Willm Golt of
Salem, Hen : Collins, Garrett Spencer,
Joⁿ fuller and Rob^t Potter of Lynn, Willm
Haskall of Gloster, and Rich : Hutten of
Wenham. Left. Lothrop, Mr. Jewett,
Rob : Lord and Hum : Woodbery chosen
in room of the Lynn jurymen in Tho.
Dexter's case.

Robert Ellwell of Gloster sworn con-
stable of Gloucester.

Andrew Mansfield and Richard Blood
sworn constables of Lynn.

James Axie sworn clerk of the market
for Lynn.

Joⁿ Bartoll fined a noble for absence
from the grandjury. He appeared, and
fine was abated.

Mr. Zacheus Gold confessed judgment
to Mr. Hen : Bartholmew.

Wm. Waters of Marblehead appointed
administrator of the estate of his father
Stephen Waters, deceased.

Thomas Dexter v. Thomas Laiton,
George Keaser, Robert Coates and Joseph
Armytage, for Lynn. Case. About title
to Nahant. Trespass, etc., feeding cattle
and building houses there, etc. Verdict
for defendants. Appealed. Thomas Dex-
ter and Richard Woody his son-in-law
bound to prosecute appeal. [John Rams-
dell, aged fifty-five years, deposed that
twenty-five years ago, when he was a ser-
vant of Captain Torner, his master and
other inhabitants of Lynn, before it was a
town, fenced in Nahant. Sworn in Salem
court 30 : 4 : 1657 ; Elias Stileman, clerk.

Christopher Lindsey testified that
Thomas Dexter bought Nahant of Black
Will or Duke William, and employed him
(said Lindsey) to fence it when I lived
with Thomas Dexter. Sworn 15 : 2 : 1657,
before ffra Johnson, commissioner.

John Hedg, aged forty-five years, testified that about twenty-five years since his master as then was Mr. Vmpries with several others of Lynn as now is fenced in Nahant and put in some cattle. Sworn 27: 2: 1657, before Thomas Marshall, commissioner of Lynn.

"The testimonie of william winter Aged 73 years or theirabouts, Testifieth that Black will or duke william foe Called came to my house (w^{ch} was two or three miles from Nahant) when Thomas Dexter had bought Nahant of him for a futt of Cloths, the said Black will Asked me what I would giue him for the Land my house stood vpon, itt beinge his Land, and his ffathers wigwame stood theirabouts, James Sogomore & John, & the Sogomor of Agawame & diuers more, And George Sogomor beinge a youth was p^rsent all of them acknowledginge Black will to be the Right owner of the Land my house stood one & Sogomor hill & Nahant was all his and further faith not

"This is A Coppie of an oath taken before me ffra. Johnfon Comiffione^r 15th 2^{mo} 1657."

—Files.]

Maj. Willm Hathorne and Amos Richardson, assignees of Mr. John Giffard v. Roger Tyler. Case, for not satisfying an execution against Joseph James, security. [Writ, dated 22: 4: 1657, served by Samuel Archard, marshall of Salem. Attached corn.—Files.]

Thomas Gage v Allen Breede, who married ye widow of Will: Knight. About a cow which belonged to said Gage's wife Joanna, daughter of said Knight.

John Hathorne and Samuell Archard, assignees of Mr. Sam^l Bennett v. Mr. Henry Webb. Debt. Work at Iron works in carting of coal and mine.

Roger Haskell v. Jacob Barney and Wm. Dodge, attorneys to Garvis Garford. Case. [Writ, dated 20: 4: 16—, addressed to the marshall of Salem.—Files.]

Thomas White v. Isaack Cozens. For unjust molestation. [Writ, dated —,

served by — Browne, marshall.—Files.]

John Bradstreete, attorney to Mr. Wm. Stratton, appealed from Marblehead commissioners. Review. Suit against Ed: Pitford. [Writ: Edward Pittford v. William Straton, dated July 28, 1656; signed by court, ffra: Johnson; served by Sam^l Gatchell, deputy-constable of Marblehead. Grounds of appeal by Mr. Johnson and John Bartoll, dated June 23, 1657, on file. The arbitration, William Beale's testimony, Edward Pittford's and John Bartoll's receipts. Copy of E. P.'s receipt, signed by his mark; witnesses: Nathaniel Pickman and mark of Richard Rowland. Copy made by Francis Johnson. William Beale and John Bradstreete deposed that they heard Edward Pitford say that the work he sued Mr. Stratton for was the first work he did at the mill. Copy of verdict on file.—Files.]

Joseph Armytage v. Edward Richards. About a boat, and not paying "old Ward of Boston." [Writ, dated 22: 4: 1657, served by Samuel Archard, marshall.—Files.]

Joseph Armytage v. Edward Richards. Review. 1652 case. Defamation.

Joseph Armytage, assignee to Henry ffane v. George Halsoll.

Elias Stileman, assignee of Rich: Singletary v. Tho: Davis and Rob^t Swan. Mr. Juett said that defendant will pay.

Isaac Cozens v. Nathaniell Putnam. Debt.

Phillip Nelson v. Mr. Rich: Dumer. Estate of Mr. Thomas Nelson, for ye time when he was agent of said Thomas. [Writ: Philip Nelson v. Mr. Richard Dummer; dated April 21, 1657; by the court, Robert Lord; served by Edward Browne, marshall, by attachment of horses. John Person deposed that he bought half of the mill of Mr. Dumer and hired Mark Prime to run it: also, as to the profits; sworn before Samuel Symonds 23: 4: 1656. Receipt of Ric: Dumer* of goodwife Crosse on file. Mark Prime deposed that before Mr. Thomas Nelson went away he asked him (Prime) about the profits

*Autograph.

of the mill, etc.; sworn before Samuel Symonds 23: 4: 1656. John Norton* certified that Mr. Dumer handed the Nelson account to him about May 15, 1656. Edward Woodman certified that Mr. Norton desired him to take the accounts, 9: 4 mo: 1656.—*Files.*] The accounts to be audited by Mr. William Browne, Mr. Edmo Batter and Mr. Danford.

Mr. Joseph Jewett, guardian to Thom: Nelson v. Mr. Ric: Dumer. For withholding a legacy in will of his father Tho: Nelson. [Writ: Mr. Joseph Jewett of Rowley, guardian of Thomas Nelson of Rowley, son of Mr. Thomas Nelson, deceased v. Mr. Richard Dumer of Ipswich, executor of Mr. Thomas Nelson, deceased, testate; for legacy; dated June 6, 1657; by the court Samuel Green; served by Edward Mitcherg. Copy of Thomas Nelson's will and inventory on file. Mr. Nelson's will is printed in *The Antiquarian*, volume III., page 187. The inventory was taken by Edward Carlton, Sebastian Brigham, Thomas Barker and Joseph Jewett Feb. 23, 1648. Account of estate of Thomas Nelson, lately of Rowley; paid to Lt. Remington, Goodman Pecker, Goodman Cousens, Marchant Jewet, Francis Parrot, Mark Prime, Goodman ffannell, Goodman Law, Goodman Boyce, Richard Langhorne, Philip Nelson and Thomas Nelson; signed by Ric. Dumer;* balance divided amongst the four children, into five parts; Philip to have a double portion.—*Files.*]

Robert Gray v. Abraham Whitehare. Review. Concerning his servant which he left at Virginia.

Abraham Whitehaire v. Robert Gray. For leaving his son in Virginia.

John Todd v. John ffuller. Debt.

The worsp^l Sam. Simons v. Edw: Browne. Trespass on the case. Entering his house, severing his pewter dishes.

Edw: Browne v. George Geedings. Appeal. Severing his pewter dishes and marking them.

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1: 5 mo: 1657.

Some Ipswich people are to present their matters to the general court.

About giving, by the town, £100 toward building or buying a house for Mr. Cobbitt. Does this vote of the town bind all the inhabitants?

Henry Rennolds of Salem sworn free-man.

Will of John Pickering proved by Mr. Edm Batter, John Horne and John Kitchen. The will is on file, and has been printed in full in *The Antiquarian*, volume VII., page 74. The inventory, amounting to £137, 3s., 2d., was sworn to by the widow Pickrin.

John Rouden v. Wm. Canterbury. Not entered.

Will Canterbury v. John Rouden. Not entered.

Hen: Cooke arresting John Rouden. Not entered.

Anis Chubb and Elizabeth Vinsent fined for fighting, railing, and scuffling.

General court referred case of Thomas West concerning burglary and stealing on ye Lord's day. Guilty. To be branded in the forehead with a "B" and have one of his ears cut off.

Mark Bachelour to bring in an inventory of his father's and mother's estate. To be paid to his brother John (under twenty-one years), and to his sisters Elizabeth and Hannah (each under eighteen).

Thomas Robins bound for his wife's appearance and things stolen by her son; fined, and to pay Rob^t Lord.

Lidia Norman admonished for being abroad at night feasting and drinking, and that she rode behind two fellows at eight o'clock at night without her master's or dame's consent.

County rate on heads and estates to be gathered. Treasurer to pay Mr. Batter his bill.

Willm Robenson of Salem not discharged from training.

Christoph^r Lysie of Lynn bound to good behaviour for bringing in a false deposition.

Mr. Edmond Batter freed from troop, but not from the foot company of Salem.

Mr. Edmond Batter's account as treasurer of the county.

Alice Bullock, widow, appointed administratrix of the estate of her husband Hen: Bullock, deceased. Inventory, £121, 2s. Estate to be given to ye son (under twenty-one years), to his daughter (under eighteen), and to the widow for the bringing up of the children. [Inventory of the estate of Henry Bullocke, jr., taken by Mr. Thomas Gardner and Nathaniel ffelton 10: 10: 1656. Real, £50; personal, £69, 18s., 6d.; total, £119, 18s., 6d. Add balance of accounts, £1, 3s., 6d. Due from Anthony Nedham, Goodman Herod, John Concklinge and John Scot. Due to Mr. Corwine, Mr. Willyam Browne, Mr. Cromwell, Thomas Rootes, Sam: Eburne, Ralph Tompkins, Willyam Robinson, Rich^d Leach, Edward Wharton, Adam Westgate, Wudd Giles and Mr. Gardner. Had some land bought of Mr. Endecook. —*Files.*]

Cassandrum, wife of Larrance Sutherick, admonished for absence from meeting.

John Hathorne of Lynn was admonished for contemptuous words against ye authority, spoken to Bray Wilkins, constable of Lynn, while executing his office.

ffrancis Vsselson fined for cursing a swine of Henry Haggett "A pox . . . & the divill take her."

ffrancis Vssellton fined for taking Ann, wife of Hen: Haggett by the shoulders and throwing her down, etc.

Arrabella, wife of John Norman, fined for striking the wife of Nicho: Vinson.

Martha Woolfe and Elizabeth Woodberry, presented for fighting together, were discharged. [Elizabeth Woodberry related that she watched two oxen feeding in her husband's field that they should not go into Peter Woolfe's ground; and she went to that side of the lot and sat down. Goody Woolfe came with a stick and said that one of the oxen was feeding on their ground, and struck Mrs. Woodberry,

etc. Certified to by Abigail and John Hill.—*Files.*]

Martha Lemon, daughter of Rob^t Lemon, to be fined or whipt for birth of a bastard child. Her mother engaged to pay the fine.

Hugh Allen fined ten shillings for being drunk.

Major Hathorne brought in fines: Edw: Pitford, drunk, in Mr. Batter's hands; John Pickworth, drunk.

Maj. William Hathorne, clerk pro tem, in absence of clerk.

George ffarr of Lynn, witness in case of Tho: Dexter and ye town, presented for taking a false oath.

Five shillings at ye house for their attendance.

6: 5 mo: 1657.

George ffarr of Lynn recognized to appear at court as above.

Court, 24: 9: 1657.

Daniell Salmon confessed judgment to Tho: Wheeler.

Tho: White confessed judgment to John West.

Present: Wor^l Simon Brodstreete, Mr. Simons, Dan: Denison, major-general, and Maj. Wm. Hathorne.

Grand jury: Jn^o Ruck, Jn^o Simons, Georg Norton and Sam: Corning, all of Salem, Mr. Tho: Layton, Allen Bread, Ric: Johnson and George Tayler, all of Lynn, George Blake of Gloster (in room of Jo: Davis), Rob: Gowen of Wenham. Sam: ffreinds of Manchester, Jn^o Peach, jr., of Marblehead, and Austum Kelum (in room of Robt Gowin).

Jury of trials: Mr. Roger Conant, Walter Price, Robert Lemon, Sam: Gardner, Jn^o Putnam and Wm. Dodg, all of Salem, James Axie, Wm. Langley, Jn^o Ramsdell, Bray Wilkins and Nath: Kertland, all of Lynn, and Tho: White of Wenham.

James Moulton of Wenham sworn constable of Wenham.

Jn^o Devorex sworn constable of Marblehead.

Wm. Beale v. Tho: Roulandson. For wrong done his wife under pretence of

marriage, taking away her good name, and suing her mother at Hampton court. Appealed. Defendant and Jn^o Severans bound.

Robert Knight v. Robert Hawes. Debt.

Tho: Wheeler, assignee to Left. Marshall v. Joseph Armytage and Tho: Ruck. Debt.

Joseph Armytage v. Jn^o Mansfeild. For taking insufficient security of Nath^l Chew, when he was attached.

Joseph Armytage v. Mrs. Ann Keayne. Debt.

Jn^o Hathorne v. Mr. Oliver Purchis and his wife Sarah. Defamation.

Ezekiel Wathen appointed administrator of estate of Thomas Wathen, deceased.

At his request, the remainder of the fine of Wm. Browne of Gloster is remitted.

Jn^o Newman to Marke Quilter, bill for fees in two actions.

George Farr discharged of his bond.

"Joseph Redknap is allowed to draw beare at y^e Spring betweene Salem & Lynn during the pleasure of the Court."

Edw: Browne v. George Gittin. Appealed.

"Arthur Sandie of Marbleh^d hath his Licence renewed to keepe an ordinary as formerly."

Rebecca Yoe appointed administratrix of her husband Sam: Yoe's estate. Inventory, £12, 10s.

Thomas Roulandson fined for a lie in his oath.

Mrs. Ann Keayne granted five shillings fees from Jos: Armytage.

Mr. George Emery fined forty shillings for changing a bottle of water of Goody Laskin.

George Keaser fined.

Thomas Couldham fined.

Sam Wilkins ordered to answer his presentment.

Christopher Lynsie freed from his bond to keep the peace.

Constable Vnderwood fined for absence from court.

Richard Pitfold, presented for beastiality, discharged.

Ruben Cuppie accused Richard Pitfold as above. Endangering Pitfold's life. To be whipped.

An illegal will of Agnis Baulch of Salem, deceased, presented. Benjamin Balch appointed administrator. Inventory, £9, 11s. [Widow Anis Woodbery, Nicholas *Patch*, her brother John Hill and his wife Abigail Hills, Rachell Rayment, Hannah Woodbury and John Grover testified that they knew Anes Balch more than two years before her death, and judge that all her estate would not pay Benjamin Balch and his wife for their trouble, labor and charge. Inventory of estate of Anes Balsh, lately deceased, taken by John Rayment* and Henry Hericke* Nov. 25, 1657. Amount, £9, 11s. All personal. Charge of £18, 12 s., of Benjamin Balch* against the estate.

Robert Lemon's daughter's fine remitted at his request.

Servants of the house to have eight shillings.

James Thomas fined for excessive drinking.

Sam Wilkins fined for swearing by his faith and Cud's buds.

Gregory Caswell, bound over for abusive carriage by fighting. Sureties: Christopher Codner, Gabrill Collins and Henry Muddle.

Mr. Thomas Laughton, Lt. Tho: Marshall and James Axie sworn commissioners to end small causes at Lynn before Mr. Billingham. [Andrew Mansfeild, constable, certified that Mr. Tho: Laughton, Lt. Tho: Marshall and James Axey were chosen commissioners to end small causes in Lynn, by the freeman, 9 mo: 1657.—*Files*.]

Mr. Edm: Batters of Salem, being indebted to Peter Hunt of Coffons-well, County Devon, £18, Mr. Hunt appointed ffancis Simpson of Marblehead to receive it, and his (Hunt's) good friends Jn^o Goodman and Thomas Clarke, his attorneys to sue, etc. Power dated Aug. 26,

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1657. Witnesses: Wm. Rogers and Wm. Pitt.

[Presentments to Salem court 25: 9: 1657:—

Mordicha Creford of Salem for oppression in selling a piece of Kearsey and two pairs of cotton stockings to Joseph Miles at excessive prices. Witnesses: Phillip Crumwell and Joseph Miles of Salem.

Thomas Ivorey and Samuella Shaducké, both of Salem, for absenting themselves from public ordinances of God. Witnesses: John Rucke, George Norton and Samuella Archer of Salem.

Town of Salem for not making their highway sufficient between Lynn and Ipswich near Thomas James' house. Witnesses: George Norton and Andrew Mansfield of Lynn.

Town of Salem for insufficient pound. Witnesses: John Simons and William Kinge of Salem.

Town of Wenham for an insufficient highway where their mill formerly stood. Witnesses: Robert Gouing and Thomas White of Wenham.

Mr. Oliver Purchase, Henry Leonard and Richard Blad, all of Lynn, for violently taking away a parcel of iron from the officer who had attached it. Witnesses: Daniell Salmon and John Hathorne of Lynn.

By Thomas Laughton in the names of the rest.

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To be continued.

NOTES.

Hannah Biton, a mulatto woman, published to Cesar Coba, a negro, Sept. 20, 1794: but the issue of a certificate of marriage was forbidden by the overseers of the poor. They were married, however, April 19, 1795.—*Salem town records.*

Mary Bixby married Aaron Smith Jan. 16, 1786.

Elizabeth Bixby of Middleton married Amos Richardson Sawyer of Methuen March 30, 1790.

Samuel Stowers Bixby married Polly Sessions March 17, 1790.

—*Middleton town records.*

Hannah Bigsby married David Osgood Feb. 25, 1747.—*Andover town records.*

Abigail Bigsby of Chebacco published to William Bennet April 20, 1720.—*Ipswich town records.*

WILL OF MRS. ANN JEWETT.

The will of Mrs. Ann Jewett of Rowley was proved in the Ipswich court May 2, 1661. The following copy is taken from the original instrument on file in the probate office at Salem.

I m^{rs} Ann Jewett of Rowley In the County of esex Being weake of Body But of perfect vnderstanding and memory not knowing how Soone God may be pleased to Call me away by death doe make and ordaine this my laft will and Testament

It Being that I haue in my owen dispose one hundred pounds I will and dispose of it as followeth

Item I will that this one hundred pounds shalbe equally devided and thes foure of my Children to witt John Allen Ann Allen Ifaac Allen and Boffom Allen: only I will and Giue vnto my daughter Ann allen tenn pounds more then the Rest which shalbe that is the ten pounds Giuen Befor the Rest of the hundred be devided: and as for those feuerall pertickulors ar at my dispose in that Couenant betwene m^r Joseph Jewet and me I will that those things that I haue not alredy Giuen to my daughter Priffilla that my fone John allen shall haue a Gould Ring—the fillver wine Cup and the Rest I will and Giue vnto my daughter Ann Allen this I acknowledge to be my laft will made the fift of february one thousand six hundred and fixty in wittnes wherof I fet to my hand and I appoint m^r Edward Rawson and m^r Jeremiah Houchin to see the performeance hereof

In prefence of hir marke
Samuell Brocklebanke Ann A Jewett
John harris

WILL OF RICHARD BROWNE.

The will of Richard Browne of Newbury was proved in the Salem quarterly court June 24, 1661. The following is a copy of the original instrument on file in the office of the clerk of courts at Salem, volume VI, leaf 139.

Bee it knowne vnto all men by theise p^resents that I Richard Browne of Newbury in the County of Essex in Newengland being sicke of body but of perfect memory do here make my Last will and testament first I Comend my soule to god in Iesus Christ and my body when it shall decease this life to be buried in the burying place in Newbury in hope of a ioyfull resurrection, And for my worldly goods I dispose as followeth. first I giue to my Son Joshua Browne when he shall be of the age of one and twenty yeares, all that parcell of my vpland and meadow that lyeth neere the little Riuer as it is now inclosed, and my fve acres of vpland adioyning to Goodm Smiths land, and my share of meadow, which I haue equally with Georg Little, vpon the little Riuer, and a mare colt and two calves and an ewe and my owne freehold for encouragment to liue with his mother vntill he be of the aforefaid age. Secondly I giue to my Son Richard Browne the house and Lott I now dwell vpon with the Lott adioyning to Robert Longs Land and that parcell of land adioyning to Richard Pettinalls land|| on bothe sides of the ware|| with my eight acres of salt marsh lying in the great marsh betweene m^{rs} Cuttings marsh and Thomas Bloomfields marsh, and my parcell of meadow adioyning to the Land that Benjamin Roafe hath now in possession and the freehold which was Gyles Badgers which belongs to mee, and he my Son Richard shall pay out of his share ten pounds to each of his three sisters within three years after he shall have the said premisses in possession 3dly I giue vnto my Son Edmund Browne all my share of Land that belongs to mee which was formerly Joseph Carters that is to say halfe the plow land pasture and

meadow with the house and barne that hath bene built by mee and halfe the preuiledg of freehold, both Richard and Edmund shall haue their Legacyes at their mothers decease, but if their mother shall change her Condition and marry againe then they shall haue their portions at the age of one & twenty years. Also to my three daughters Elizabeth Sara and Mary I giue to each of them the summe of ten pounds to be paid out of my stock at the day of their marriage, and if my wife shall marry againe then the stock that I leaue in her hands shall be diuided among my three daughters aforefaid, according to the discretion of my ouerseers, and my wife shall haue the vse of the said stock vntill my daughters shalbe of age for the bringing of them vp, And whereas I am bound to leaue my wife worth threescore pounds, In lieu of it I giue vnto her the thirds of my Lands dureing her naturall life, and appoint her to bee the sole executrix of this my last will and testament also I appoint her to pay John Badger his portion out of my estate and that my debts and funerall be discharged, Also the portion abouementioned to my Son Joshua I appoint it to be in full of what he shall haue out of my estate so that he shall neuer desire any more in relation of any thing giuen to his brother Joseph deceased by his vnckle Georg Browne deceased If ether of my sons doe die befor he comes to age then his land shal fale vnto the other two and if ether of my daughters shal die before her marriage then her portion shal fale vnto my other two daughters and if my wife changing her condition by marriage then she shal give security to my ouerseers for the payment of my childrens portions. And I doe appownt my louing frinds Richard Kente and Nicolas Noyes and Robert Long my ouerseers to put in execution this my wille and testament. Signd and seled with myne owne hande in the presens of vs

Tristram Coffin Richard Browne [SEAL]
Joseph Noyes

farther it is my will & desier that my

louing frind Josef Noyce be one of my ouerseers aded to the other three before mentioned

Wittnes & to this will

James Noyes.

Moses Noyes.

WILL OF JAMES SMITH.

The will of James Smith of Marblehead was proved in the Salem quarterly court 27: 4: 1661. The following is a copy of the original instrument on file in the office of the clerk of courts at Salem, book VI, leaf 130.

I James Smith of marblehead, being weake in body but (through the mercie of God) of found mind & memorie, doe make this my last will *will*, in maner & forme following, ffirst I bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty God, trusting in Jesus Christ alone for Life, & for saluation: Item I giue & bequeth vnto mary Smith my wife, all that my farme called Castle hill, wth ten acres in the South field bought of Joseph Grafton, & now in the hands of Samuell Cutler, during her Life if shee remayne So Long a widdow, & at the day of her death, or marriag w^{ch} shall first happen, then I giue it to my son James Smith: but it is to be vnderstood Richard Rowland my son in Law hath ten pound & in the first purchase of Castlehill; Item I giue vnto my wife my house & land in marblehead bought of Erasmus James & all my share on the farme bought by marblehead of maj^r wm hathorne dureing her life or widdowhood & after her death or marriag w^{ch} shall first happen to my son James Smith, & my will is that after the Death of my son James that this shall Defend to James his Eldest son: Item I giue vnto my wife all my household goods, wthin Doors, to her, & her heires for euer, & also 4 of my Cowes, Item I giue vnto Kathren Eburne my Daughter my fix Oxen in the hand of Samuell Cutler, Item I giue vnto mary Eburne, my Grandchild Twenty pounds, w^{ch} I order her father to Dispose of & improue for her good, vntill her Day of

marriag, or Twenty one yeares: Item I giue to the other fve Children of my Daughter Eburne fve pounds apeece to be improved by the father as abouesaid; Item, I giue vnto my Daughter mary Rouland the oxe w^{ch} I now yoak wth one of her husbands; Item I giue vnto my Grandchild Samuell Rowland ten pounds if he be liueing at the Day of my Death, or else the ten pounds to be Devided in equall shares betweene his Brothers, & sisters, Item I giue vnto my Daughter Rowlands other three Children fve pounds apeece to be improved for their good vntill they come to Twenty one yeares, or marriag, by the ouersight of the ouerseers of this my Last will; Item I apoint mary Smith my wife my sole Executrix & I apoint my trusty friend maj^r wm Hathorne, & my Son Samuell Eburne Ouerfeeres of this my last will & doe giue vnto maj^r wm Hathorne for his paynes ten pounds to be payed him out of a debt in John Deverix hands: And in wittnes that this is my last will I haue here vnto sett my hand, & seale the 9: 9^{ber}: 1660

Signed sealed & deliuered

in the p^rsents of vs: the mke of J S

Wm Hathorne James Smith

the mke X of

Samuell Eburne

[SEAL]

THE OLD BRIDGE.

BY SUSAN HARTLEY SWETT.

When morning sets the world astir,
And footsteps echo merrily,
No traveller crosses the old bridge
Save only Memory and me,
And the light-footed breeze, that goes
Swift journeys, whither no one knows.

No longer, now, high piled with grain,
The farm-carts toward the grist-mill pass;
No longer, now, the farm-hand goes
To woo at eve the miller's lass.
Deserted, even on market day,
The old bridge stands, forlorn and gray.

There is no spot in all the land
Where lies so thick the mold of years;
Young spring may trim the willow boughs
That lean against its mossy piers,
And hang a bluebell by the sill,
But all seems old and haunted still.

SALEM IN 1700. NO. 21.

BY SIDNEY PERLEY.

The map on page 164 represents that part of Salem which is bounded by Essex street, Collins cove, the harbor and English street. It is based on actual surveys and title deeds, and is drawn on a scale of two hundred feet to an inch. It shows the location of all houses that were standing there in 1700. The braces marked "a" show where Derby street now runs, "b" where Webb street begins, and "c" where Allen street begins.

Collins cove was first called A cove that branches in out of ye North river in 1660; the great cove, 1678; ye sea or river, 1695; and Collins cove in 1791, by which name it has since been called.

The harbor was called South harbor as early as 1653; South River harbor, 1659; the harbor, 1663; Salem harbor, 1681; South river, 1732; the river, 1748.

Along the harbor ran the ancient highway, which was reserved along every water front when the town was originally laid out. This was called the highway against the South harbor in 1668; the street, 1760; the way, 1761; and highway on the South river, 1771. The construction of Derby street, a few years later, caused its discontinuance.

Derby street was laid out in or before 1797; and has always been called by that name.

What is now known as Fort avenue is another of the ancient shore roads. It was called a highway in 1653; Highway leading to ye fortification, 1695; the highway that leadeth to the block-house, 1705; ye highway yt leads to Winter Island, 1712; highway going down to ye blockhouses, 1728; the highway going down to ye blockhouses and Neck, 1729; the highway leading to Salem fort, 1746; way to the fort or Neck, 1760; old Neck road, 1804; Old road to the Neck, 1805; a road leading to the Neck, 1853; and Fort avenue for some twenty-five years past.

What is now Essex street was called a street or highway in 1682; ye Main street,

1716; highway leading to the Neck, 1757; Salem street, 1760; and Essex street since 1818. It is now about twice the original width, having been widened on this side of the street.

English street was laid out about 1698 by Philip English and others. It was called English lane, 1748; and English street since 1799.

Webb street was laid out about 1800, and was called a highway leading from Derby street to Essex street, 1801; and Webb street since 1810.

Allen street was laid out about 1800. It was called the new highway leading from English street to Webb street in 1801; new road leading from English street easterly, 1803; and Allen street since 1810.

In the sketches that follow, after 1700, titles and deeds referred to pertain to the houses and land under and adjoining and not always to the whole lot, the design being, after that date, to give the history of the houses then standing principally.

Eleazer Moses House. Thomas Sollas of Salem, fisherman, owned this lot and erected a dwelling house thereon before Oct. 24, 1661, when, for twenty pounds, he conveyed the lot and house to Henry Moses of Salem, seaman.* Mr. Moses died in 1685. The house was standing in 1667, was called an "old house" in 1685; and was gone in 1702. At the decease of Mr. Moses, the estate came into the possession of his son Capt. Eleazer Moses of Salem, mariner, who owned the lot until 1713.

Estate of Ebenezer Collins Lot. Thomas Sollas of Salem, fisherman, conveyed this lot to Henry Moses of Salem, seaman, Oct. 24, 1661.* Mr. Moses conveyed it to John Collins, jr., of Gloucester Sept. 2, 1669.† Mr. Collins built a house upon the lot, and died possessed of the estate in 1677, when the house and land were valued at twenty-five pounds. The estate passed to his son Ebenezer Collins, who lived in Bilbao, Spain, being a mariner, at

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 116.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 17.

the time of his death, in the winter of 1696-7. Apparently he was recently married, and had no child at the time of his decease, but one was afterwards born, named Ebenezer, who took the lot under the will as well as by inheritance. The house was probably gone before 1700. This Ebenezer, son of Ebenezer Collins of Bilboa, lived in Gloucester, being a cordwainer, and owned the lot until 1746.

Obed Carter House. This lot was the property of John Beckett of Salem, shipwright, as early as 1653, being a pasture of about one and one-half acres. He conveyed it, for sixty pounds, to William Browne, jr., of Salem, merchant, March 25, 1663;* and Mr. Browne conveyed it to Joseph Phippen of Salem July 8, 1667.† Mr. Phippen had just come from Boston; and upon this lot he erected a dwelling house, in which he lived. He died in 169—, having devised this house and lot to his sons David, Samuel and Joseph Phippen, all of Salem. David was a shipwright, Samuel, a blockmaker, and Joseph, a fisherman. Joseph was the oldest, and to him the others released their interest in the estate Jan. 15, 1694-5.‡ Joseph Phippen, for ninety-four pounds, conveyed the house and lot and wharf to Obed Carter of Salem, fisherman, Dec. 8, 1696.§ Mr. Carter died in 1720; and the house and lot were appraised at one hundred pounds. The estate was divided in 1726, the western half of the house and lot being assigned to Elizabeth, wife of Benjamin Woodbery of Beverly, yeoman, and the eastern half to Mary, wife of Josiah Lee of Manchester, cooper, daughters of the deceased. Mr. and Mrs. Woodbery, for forty-seven pounds, conveyed their part of the premises to Richard Elvins of Salem, baker, March 12, 1728-9;|| and Mr. and Mrs. Lee, for thirty-seven pounds, conveyed their part to Mr. Elkins Sept. 15, 1729.¶

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 165.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 60.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 173.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 178.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 52, leaf 12.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 52, leaf 86.

For one hundred and ten pounds, Mr. Elvins conveyed the house and lot to Benjamin Ives of Salem, gentleman, Jan. 14, 1733.* The house was gone before 1752, when Captain Ives died, possessed of the lot.

Edward Hilliard House. William Cockrell dwelt in the eastern part of this house before Nov. 11, 1651, when Thomas Rix of Salem, barber, for nine pounds, conveyed that part of the house and lot lying east of the dashes to David Tammus [Thomas], John Stone and Robert Stone.† The three owners, for nine pounds and ten shillings, conveyed the same estate to Robert Salloes of Salem 4 : 12 mo : 1652;‡ and, for a similar consideration, Mr. Salloes (Sollas) conveyed it to Edward Hilliard of Salem Oct. 20, 1653.‡

The western half of the house and lot belonged to Mr. Hilliard in 1653, but no deed was passed apparently until Oct. 26, 1657, when Richard Hide of Salem, carpenter, conveyed that part of the estate to him.§

Edward Hilliard died in 1706, having devised this, his homestead, to his wife Martha, for her life, and remainder to their children. There were then upon the lot besides the dwelling house, a barn and work house, and the land and buildings were appraised at one hundred pounds. His widow, Martha Hilliard, of Salem, under power in his will, conveyed the entire estate to their only surviving son, Joseph Hilliard of Salem, mariner, upon condition that he support her for life, Dec. 6, 1706.|| Mr. Hilliard became a rope maker and died in the winter of 1745-6, having devised this estate to his wife Rachel for her life and then to his sons Edward and David Hilliard and his daughter Rachel, wife of Paul Kimball, currier. The estate was then valued at seventy-five pounds. Mr. and Mrs. Kimball, for one hundred and sixty pounds,

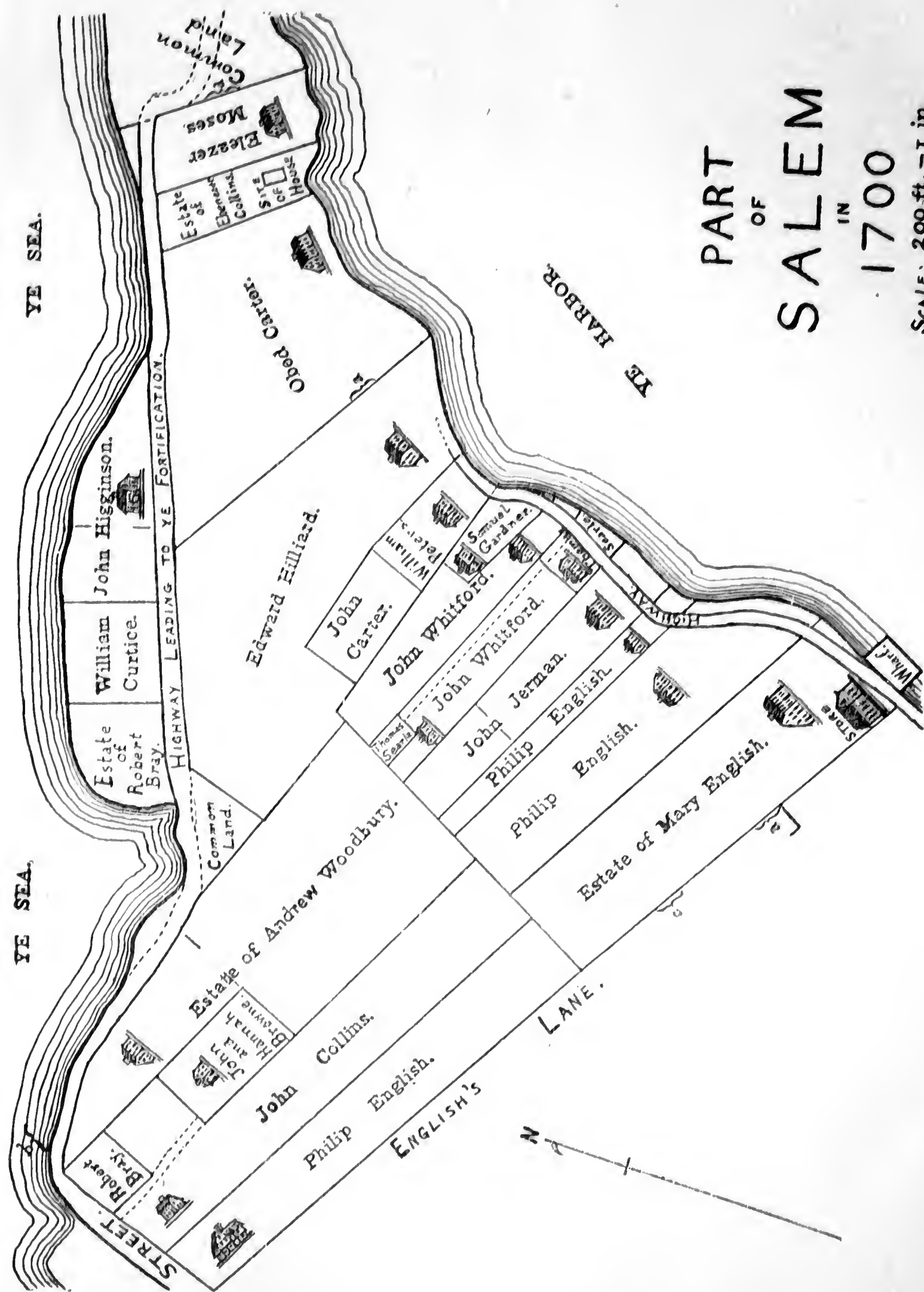
*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 62, leaf 195.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 16.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 24.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 76.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 19, leaf 115.



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SCALE: 200 ft. = 1 in.

conveyed their interest in the estate to her brothers Edward and David Hilliard, both of Salem, rope makers, April 12, 1749;* and David Hilliard conveyed his part of the estate to his brother Edward Hilliard, for eighty-seven pounds, eleven shillings and four pence, Oct. 28, 1752.† With the land were conveyed the dwelling house, wharf, rope walk or long house, kettle, fore-locks, wheels and belts. Edward Hilliard, for one hundred and eighty-six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence, conveyed the dwelling house, rope walk, wharf, etc., and the land to Richard Derby of Salem, merchant, Nov. 20, 1752.‡ Mr. Derby, for one hundred and eighty-eight pounds, eighteen shillings and eight pence, conveyed the same estate to Clifford Crowninshield of Salem, merchant, Jan. 23, 1753.§ Mr. Crowninshield died possessed of the land April 4, 1776, but the house was gone.

John Carter Lot. This land belonged to Edward Hilliard of Salem in 1653, but no deed was passed apparently until Oct. 26, 1657, when Richard Hide of Salem, carpenter, conveyed it to him.|| Mr. Hilliard conveyed the lot to his son-in-law John Carter of Salem, mariner, Oct. 29, 1690;¶ and it belonged to Mr. Carter in 1700.

William Peters House. This lot of land belonged to Edward Hilliard of Salem, mariner, as early as 1653, but no deed was passed apparently until Oct. 26, 1657, when Richard Hide of Salem, carpenter, conveyed it to him.|| Mr. Hilliard gave it to his son-in-law Gilbert Peters probably about 1673, and the latter built a small house upon it. Oct. 23, 1684, Mr. Peters reconveyed the lot to Mr. Hilliard. Mr. Peters died about 1691; and Mr. Hilliard conveyed the house and lot to his grandson William Peters of Salem, mariner (son of Gilbert

Peters), Aug. 13, 1697.* Mr. Peters apparently conveyed the house and lot to Joseph Hilliard of Salem, rope maker, soon after 1702, and the house was gone before 1715.

Samuel Gardner House. This " was part of the lot of land that was conveyed by Andrew Woodbury of Salem, mariner, to Walter Whitfeild (Whitford) of Salem, fisherman, Oct. 12, 1668.† John Webb of Salem, fisherman, built a house upon this lot, and Mr. Whitford and himself, for eleven pounds conveyed the house and lot to Samuel Gardner, jr., of Salem June 27, 1687.‡ Mr. Gardner, for four pounds, conveyed the same estate to John Webb of Salem, fisherman, Dec. 10, 1717.§ Mr. Webb owned the lot some years, but how long the house stood after this date is unknown.

John Whitford House. This lot and the house thereon were conveyed by Andrew Woodbury of Salem, mariner, to Walter Whitfeild (Whitford) of Salem, fisherman, Oct. 12, 1668;† and he died possessed of it in 1692. The estate apparently descended to his son (?) John Whitford of Salem, mariner, who died before 1732, intestate. His daughter Elizabeth, wife of Joseph Diamond of Salem, fisherman, for ten pounds, conveyed her interest in the estate to her brother Samuel Whitford of Salem, fisherman, Feb. 13, 1732;|| and her sister Mary, wife of John Hanks, jr. of Salem, husbandman, for twelve pounds, conveyed her interest to her brother Samuel Whitford Nov. 9, 1733.¶ How much longer the house stood is unknown.

Thomas Searle House. This lot and dwelling house thereon were owned by Mathew Nixon of Salem, fisherman, in 1660. He conveyed the lot and house, for thirty-five pounds, to Thomas Searle of Salem Nov. 14, 1670.** There was

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 99, leaf 115.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 98, leaf 29.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 98, leaf 36.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 99, leaf 54.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 76.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 12, leaf 39.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 12, leaf 37.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 130.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 78.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 32, leaf 217.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 61, leaf 250.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 65, leaf 115.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 98.

apparently an oven on the outside of the house. Ovens were sometimes built this way, the only objection being that they were too tempting to lovers of baked beans, brown bread and Indian pudding. They were sometimes opened during Saturday night, and the contents purloined. The date of Mr. Searle's death is unknown, but it was probably some years after 1700. The family owned the lot until 1731, but the house was then gone, and the lot and the "bricks standing" on the land were conveyed at the time.*

Thomas Searle Lot. This lot was owned by Mathew Nixon of Salem, fisherman, in 1660. This small piece of land, which measured only twenty-five by thirty-seven feet, was purchased of Mr. Nixon, for the few apple trees standing thereon, being a part of Mr. Nixon's orchard, by Thomas Searle of Salem, Nov. 14, 1670.† A right of way to the highway was granted in the deed, lying easterly of the dotted lines. Mr. Searle died possessed of the lot sometime after 1700.

John Whitford House. This lot was owned by Mathew Nixon of Salem, fisherman, as early as 1660, and he built a house thereon, in which he lived in 1670, having a right of way to the highway easterly of the dotted lines. Dec. 16, 1678, for his life support, he conveyed the house and lot, orchard, garden and paved yard to Walter Whitford of Salem, fisherman, and the latter's wife Bridget.‡ Mr. Whitford died in 1692, possessed of the estate; and apparently it descended to his son (?) John Whitford of Salem, mariner, the house being gone before 1732.

John Jerman House. This lot was owned by Robert Lemon of Salem in 1659, and he built a house upon it after 1661. He died possessed of the house and lot in 1667, when the estate was valued at ninety pounds. He then had an orchard. 13:9:1674, when the estate was valued at eighty pounds, his widow, Mary Lemon, and children, Sara, wife of

Charles Knights, and Hannah, wife of Samuel Beadle, divided the estate, one half of the house and land and the barn being assigned to the widow and the other half of the house and land to Charles Knights in right of his wife.* Mr. Knights lived in Salem being a carpenter, and came into possession of the entire lot before 1685. He conveyed that part of the lot lying north of the dashes to Timothy Lindall of Salem June 29, 1685.† Five months later, that part of the lot was in the tenure of Philip Cromwell, and it was probably owned by — Curwin subsequently. Shortly afterward it was owned by John Jerman of Salem, mariner, before Nov. 6, 1686, when Mr. Knights conveyed to him the house and remainder of the lot.‡ At that time there was a wharf at the water side. John Jerman owned the house and lot in 1702, and some years later the land came into the possession of Samuel Whitford, but the house probably stood but a few years after 1702.

Philip English House. Joseph Younges of Salem, mariner, owned this lot and house in 1649, when the house was occupied by William Curtis. Mr. Younges conveyed the house and lot to David Curwithen of Salem Sept. 24, 1649;§ and Mr. Curwithen conveyed the same estate to Richard Cortice of Salem Feb. 16, 1659-60.|| Previous to this date Christopher Younges had lived in the house. The estate came into the possession of John Marsh before 1665, and he conveyed it to Mathew Barton of Salem, shipwright, in 166—'. Mr. Barton conveyed the house and lot to William Dicer of Salem, fisherman, Aug. 18, 1668.¶ Mr. Dicer removed the house, or it was destroyed, as he erected a new and larger house upon the lot. He removed to Winter Harbor, in the Province of Maine, and, for forty

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 60, leaf 136.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 98.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, Book 5, leaf 106.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 92.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 45.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 65, leaf 276.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 6, and book 2, leaf 64.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 22.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 92.

pounds in silver, conveyed the house and lot to Philip English of Salem, merchant, Nov. 12, 1685.* Mr. English died possessed of the house and lot in the winter of 1735-6. In the division of his estate, made in 1742, this lot and house were assigned to his daughter, Mary Brown. The house was then valued at twelve pounds and ten shillings, and the land at about five pounds and ten shillings. The house was standing in 1752, but was gone when she conveyed the land in 1761.

Philip English House. This lot and house were in the possession of David Curwithen of Salem Sept. 24, 1649, when he purchased this estate of Joseph Younges of Salem, mariner.† Mr. Curwithen (or, Corwithin) conveyed the house and lot to William Hollingworth of Salem, mariner, June 16, 1665.‡ He conveyed the estate to his daughter Mary, wife of Philip English before June 1, 1672; and it belonged to Philip English in 1681 and 1685. (John Parker lived here in 1692, probably, when his wife Alice (Hollingworth) was executed as a witch.) Philip English died possessed of this lot, the house being gone, in 1735-6.

Estate of Mary English House (Blue Anchor Tavern). This house and lot were the estate of William Hollingworth before 1661. He mortgaged the estate to Mr. Philip Cromwell of Salem, for two hundred and fifty pounds, June 1, 1672;§ Mr. Hollingworth was lost at sea in 1677; and Mr. Cromwell, who was then a slaughterer, for the amount of the mortgage, conveyed the house and lot to Mr. Hollingworth's widow, Elinor Hollingworth, of Salem, it then being in her possession, March 4, 1681-2.|| Mrs. Hollingworth is said to have established the business of an innkeeper in this house, which became known as The Blue Anchor Tavern. She conveyed the house and land with the wharf and landing place, to her daughter

Mary English Feb. 17, 1684-5;* and died in 1690.

The tavern was probably conducted by her grandson Philip English as soon as he became of age (in 1705). Upon the death of his mother, in 1694, the estate descended to him. He lived in and conducted the tavern when he conveyed the land, house, warehouse and wharf for six hundred pounds, to Richard Derby of Salem, mariner, Feb. 24, 1748.† Mr. Derby took the house down about 1759.

Dr. William Bentley wrote, in 1791, of this house as follows: "At the eastward of English's lane near the water is a store enlarged, but originally built above one hundred years. A few yards above is the large cellar, the stones of which were sold six years since, but the steps remain, over which stood a very large house with peaks as English's below, and which was employed as a tavern by the name of the BLUE ANCHOR. It has been down above forty years and there was a store put over the cellar, which within a few years has been removed into North Fields. Beyond on the shore is to be seen the cellar of a house possessed by Mary Brown, the land being since sold to Capt. Richard Derby. On the west side of English's lane, opposite to the tavern, is a cellar upon which stood a house within the memory of the present generation. Beyond Brown's house and Whitford's, which is a house since built, about twenty years, and now standing, is to be seen the cellar of Webb's house, the land being yet in the family. There were three other houses before we came to the group upon the Point of Rocks, and one cellar is now to be seen upon the plain between the Block house ruins and the present enclosure upon the Point. The *Blue Anchor* was celebrated for Marblehead Campaigns."‡

Doctor Bentley continued, in 1793: "Mary English was the only child of

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 55.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 6, and book 2, leaf 64.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 104.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 160.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 42.

* Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 24.

† Essex Registry of Deeds, book 93, leaf 22.

‡ Dr. William Bentley's Journal, volume XIX, page 207.

William Hollingworth, who married Eleanor Story, from England. The family lived at the Point of Rocks, and Mary, the accused was born at the *Blue Anchor*, at the head of English's wharf eastward. The house afterwards a public house, and has been taken down about thirty-three years."*

Philip English House. This lot belonged to Richard Hollingworth before 1661. There was then a house standing thereon. He gave it to Capt. Robert Starr as a marriage portion when the latter married Mr. Hollingworth's daughter. Mr. Starr lived in the house, and, Sept. 30, 1665, conveyed the estate to guardians of his three minor children, Robert, Richard and Susanna.† This deed was confirmed by the court, 30: 9: 1680, to Richard and Susanna, Robert having died. Richard Starr, who was a cooper, for thirty pounds, conveyed his half of the house and lot to Philip English of Salem, mariner, Jan. 3, 1682-3.‡ Susanna Starr probably conveyed her half to Mr. English about the same time.

Philip English (Phillipe L'Anglois) was born in 1651 in Trinity parish, on the Isle of Jersey, being a French Huguenot and came to Salem before he was of age. He became a merchant, and had so flourished in business that he bought this house and lot, and, taking down the old house, erected on the site a stylish mansion. Its frame of oak is said to have been brought from England. It was a many gabled structure, with projecting second story and porch. The walls were filled with brick. Down to 1757, it was called "English's great house." In the Witchcraft Delusion, in 1692, both Mr. and Mrs. English were accused of witchcraft and imprisoned in Boston jail, from which they escaped. They made their way to New York, and after the reign of terror had passed returned to their

home here. He found that as soon as he had been apprehended, his house was opened, and everything movable became free plunder to the neighbors; and his store houses were more or less plundered. He was bitterly incensed against Sheriff Corwin for his part in the affair. His losses amounted to some two thousand pounds in value. Among other things taken from the house were family portraits. When the house was taken down there was found in the garret a secret room, which was supposed to have been built after their return as a place of temporary concealment in case of a second outbreak of the delusion.

Mr. English died in the winter of 1735-6, and upon the division of the estate in 1742, the northwestern half of the house and land was assigned to his son John English, and the southeastern part to his son Philip English. John English lived in Salem, being a laborer, and, for two hundred pounds, conveyed his part of the house and lot to Joseph Brown of Salem, mariner, Oct. 31, 1749.* Mr. Brown conveyed to his nephew William Brown of Salem, boatman, by declaration of trust, the same part of the house and lot Oct. 19, 1751.† William Brown died before Nov. 12, 1756, when his eldest son Joseph Browne of Salem, mariner, for thirteen pounds, six shillings and eight pence, conveyed one fourth of this part of the house and lot to Mr. Touzell of Salem, goldsmith.‡ Abigail Browne, as widow of William Browne, and guardian of his minor children, Mary, Lydia, William, Abigail, Philip and Sarah Browne, for forty pounds, conveyed three-fourths of the part assigned to John English to Mr. Touzell April 23, 1757.§ Philip English, to whom had been assigned the southeastern part of the house and lot, died in the winter of 1750-1, being insolvent. His widow and administratrix, Mary English, conveyed his part of the house and

*Dr. William Bentley's Journal, volume XXIII, page 132.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 139. See, also, Salem court records and files, especially files, book XLII, leaves 7 and 8.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 74.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 96, leaf 189.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 97, leaf 76.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 103, leaf 145.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 106, leaf 21.

lot to his brother-in-law, Mr. Touzell, who owned the remainder of the estate July 1, 1751.* Mr. Touzell became a yeoman, and died Aug. 17, 1785, possessed of the land and house, in which he then lived. In his will he devised the northerly part of the house and lot, including the kitchen chamber and one-half of the great porch at the west end of the house, to his sister, widow Susanna Hathorne of Salem, and the southerly part, with the porch chamber and west end of the house, parlour chamber, etc., to his cousin John Touzell Hathorne. Widow Susanna Hathorne died in 1802, having devised her part of the house and lot to her only daughter, Susanna, wife of Samuel Ingersoll. Mrs. Susanna Ingersoll died in 1812, and her interest in the estate descended to her only surviving child, Miss Susanna Ingersoll. John T. Hathorne lived in Salem, being a mariner, and died in 1805, possessed of his part of the house and lot. This part was set off to David Safford of Salem, blacksmith and his wife Dolly, in her right, and was conveyed by them to Miss Ingersoll Nov. 19, 1818.†

The house at length became long tenantless, and deserted, and dangerous to the very tread of man or boy who had the curiosity to explore it. Miss Ingersoll took it down during the week beginning April 29, 1833.

Dr. William Bentley wrote of the old house, Friday, April 15, 1791: "Went over the well known house of English near the neck gate. The cellars are completely finished. The stone wall is built of as large stones as are now in use, which contradicts the opinion that they generally built of small stones of choice, at that age. There is a hearth, very large oven, and all conveniences. The rooms are the largest in town. The floors are laid in plank and are sound at this day, the sweep of the hearth where they are worn down having a curious appearance. The upper parts

of the house, among the peaks have curious partitions and very much room. Even the cellars are plastered."*

Doctor Bentley wrote in 1793, of this house, as follows: "The mansion house now standing and most completely finished for the times, having cellars, stoned at bottom, lathed and plastered overhead upon the floors above, divided for all purposes, finished with fireplaces and ovens laid in lime, floors which are good now after one hundred years, pantries, counting house, shops, and various apartments, halls, was more splendid in that day. Two gable ends in the west part, and another in the east have been taken down, a plank floor was laid upon the top, and an entire balustrade around it, extending to the peaks, upon which were erected ornaments rising two feet. At the southern door was an open fence, with a gate and knocker. Over the shop door was a balcony with seats, and a door communicating with the southern chamber, and the dial was over the door."†

John Collins House. This lot belonged to Francis Collins in 1658, when a house stood upon the lot. Mr. Collins was a carpenter, and lived in this house (perhaps from 1637). He died in 1689, having devised this estate to his wife Hannah for her life, and then to his son John Collins of Salem, mariner. John Collins died in 173—, possessed of the house and lot; and his administrator, for sixty pounds, conveyed the property to John Touzell of Salem, mariner, Dec. 30, 1734.‡ Mr. Touzell died before May 30, 1754, when his daughter, Mary, wife of William Hathorne of Salem, mariner, and widow Susanna Hathorne of Salem, conveyed the house and lot to their brother John Touzell of Salem, goldsmith.§ How long the house stood after this date is unknown, but Mr. Touzell probably took it

*Journal of Dr. William Bentley, volume XIX, page 70.

†Journal of Dr. William Bentley, volume XVIII, page 136.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 72, leaf 43.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 100, leaf 109.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 97, leaf 40.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 218, leaf 93.

See, also, deed between the same parties, dated Nov. 3, 1819, recorded book 220, leaf 274.

down very soon after his purchase of the estate.

Robert Bray Lot. This lot was a part of the land of Francis Collins in 1658. He was a carpenter, and died in 1689, having devised this land to his wife Hannah for her life and then to his son John Collins of Salem, mariner. John Collins conveyed the lot, for five pounds, to his brother-in-law Robert Bray of Salem, mariner, Feb. 27, 1689-90.* Mr. Bray owned the lot for several years after 1700.

John and Hannah Browne House. This was a part of the lot of Francis Collins, and was owned by him as early as 1658. The selectmen voted, 5 : 10 mo : 1670, that "ffranc Collince haue liberty to fell twenty trees for to build his son Jno Brown to build him a house," etc. The house was built upon this lot, and Mr. Collins conveyed the land and house to his daughter Hannah and her husband John Brown of Salem, mariner, Dec. 7, 1680.† A cartway over Mr. Collins' land by the north end of his house to the street was also given in the deed. Mr. and Mrs. Brown died before Nov. 22, 1728, when their children, William Browne, mariner, Samuel Lambert, shoreman, and his wife Margaret, and widow Hannah Bray, all of Salem, for ninety-nine pounds, conveyed their interest in the estate to their brother Joseph Browne of Salem, mariner.‡ John Browne had died some years before, probably, as Mrs. Brown was then the widow Cubbert. Mr. Browne apparently moved the house forward nearer the street, and died, possessed of the same in 1756. The house was then called "an old house." It was standing in 1760, but gone in 1763.

Estate of Andrew Woodbury House. Andrew Woodbury of Salem, mariner, conveyed the northwestern part of this lot, down to the dashes, for eight pounds, to David Corwithy of Salem July 2, 1658.§ This was probably only a mortgage, as

Mr. Woodbury continued to own the lot. He also conveyed the remainder of the lot to David Corwithy, sr., of Boston, gentleman, before Sept. 15, 1664, when Mr. Corwithy, for twenty-five pounds, conveyed it to Mr. Woodbury and Isaac Woodbury of Salem, mariner.* Isaac Woodbury conveyed his interest in the rear part of the lot, probably. Apparently Mr. Woodbury built a small house upon the lot about 1659. He died in 1685, possessed of the house and lot, which were then valued at one hundred pounds. The house and lot remained in the possession of his widow as late as 1708, when she was old and in extreme poverty. She died and the house disappeared before 1727.

John Higginson House, and Estate of Robert Bray, and William Curtice Lots. Roger Conant originally owned all the land between the way to the neck and Collins cove. It was next the property of Thomas Tuck, who conveyed it to Francis Collins of Salem, carpenter, 28 : 10 : 1659. For four pounds, Mr. Collins conveyed it to John Mason of Salem, brick maker, Nov. 1, 1660.† For six pounds, Mr. Mason conveyed to John Tapley, Robert Bray, and John Webb, all of Salem, fishermen, that part of his lot shown on the map as the lots of Estate of Robert Bray and William Curtice and that part of the lot of John Higginson lying west of the dashes, June 28, 1669.‡ Mr. Mason retained that part of the John Higginson lot lying east of the dashes, and probably conveyed it to John Tapley before May 6, 1678, as Mr. Tapley, on that date, conveyed the whole lot, with "my dwelling house," which had probably been erected by Mr. Mason, to John Higginson, jr., of Salem, merchant.§ Mr. Higginson, for eighteen pounds, conveyed the house and lot to William Curtis, jr., of Salem, blacksmith, June 11, 1705||. Mr. Curtis conveyed the lot to

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 154.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 133.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 51, leaf 180.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 55.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 69.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 1.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 63.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 207.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 17, leaf 83.

Joshua Ward of Salem, tanner, April 4, 1728,* the house being gone. John Webb conveyed his part of the lot, for forty-five shillings, to James Froude of Salem, mariner, Nov. 18, 1671.† Mr. Froude died before May 29, 1695, when his heir(?), Ann, wife of George Bonfield of Marblehead, husbandman, and her husband conveyed the lot to William Curtis, jr., of Salem, blacksmith.‡ Robert Bray probably died possessed of his lot before 1695, when Margaret Wilkins owned the eastern part of the lot at least, and continued to own it until 1728.

BODWELL GENEALOGY.

HENRY BODWELL,^{1§} the progenitor of the Bodwell family in Essex county, was born about 1651, and lived in Newbury in 1675. He was a member of Capt. Thomas Lathrop's company in King Philip's war, and was severely wounded at the battle of Bloody brook, Sept. 18, 1675. He was a yeoman, and married Miss Bethiah Emery of Newbury May 4, 1681. He lived in Newbury until 1683, when he moved to Andover, where he lived until about 1693, when he removed across the Merrimack river to what was then a part of Haverhill, and which was incorporated as Methuen in 1725. Mr. Albert E. Bodwell of Melrose, the family genealogist, writes that the first house in which Henry Bodwell lived on the Haverhill side of the Merrimack river was built of logs, and stood in the fork formed by the junction of the Merrimack and Spickett rivers. It was erected in the summer of 1693. The estate included a tract of two hundred acres of land, bounded by the Spickett river on the north and east, the Merrimack river on the south, and on

the west by a line extending north and south between the two rivers about where Lawrence street is now. The south part of the present building, at the corner of East Haverhill and Elm streets, in that part of Methuen which was incorporated as Lawrence in 1852, was built, about 1708, by Henry Bodwell, upon the site of the log house. The new house was subsequently removed to its present location, and two additions were built on to it for the children as they married. After Mr. Bodwell's death, the estate passed to his son, Henry Bodwell², and then to the latter's son, Henry Bodwell³. It then went to Joseph Bodwell⁴, father of the late Gov. Joseph R. Bodwell⁵, who was also born in this house. The family tradition is that the fine old elm which stands in front of the house was planted on the morning of July 26, 1729, when Henry Bodwell³ was born, by an Indian, who was rewarded for his services with a gallon of rum. Mrs. Bodwell was living in 1726; and Mr. Bodwell died June 1, 1745, in his ninety-fourth year.

Children :—

- 2—I. BETHIAH², b. June 2, 1682, in Newbury; m. Nathan Barker May 28, 1711, in Andover.
- 3—II. MARY², b. April 1, 1684, in Andover; m. Nathan Simons of Haverhill before 1705; and d. in Haverhill Jan. 7, 1716-7.
- 4—III. HENRY² (twin), b. Jan. 27, 1685, in Andover; d. Jan. 29, 1685.
- 5—IV. JOSIAH² (twin), b. Jan. 27, 1685, in Andover; d. Jan. 31, 1685.
- 6—V. ABIGAIL², b. Jan. 15, 1686, in Andover; m. — Ladd before 1743.
- 7—VI. HENRY², b. Nov. 6, 1688, in Andover. *See below* (7).
- 8—VII. JAMES², b. Jan. 10, 1691, in Andover. *See below* (8).
- 9—VIII. DANIEL², b. Feb. 14, 1693, in Andover. *See below* (9).
- 10—IX. SARAH², b. Dec. 1, 1694, "in Andover;" m. Abel Merrill of Haverhill Nov. 15, 1714; and lived in that part of Haverhill that was incorporated as Methuen in 1725.
- 11—X. HANNAH², b. Sept. 1, 1696, "in Andover;" m. Henry Hills of Newbury Sept. 2, 1715.
- 12—XI. JUDITH², b. April 11, 1698, "in Andover;" m. John Harris Sept. 28, 1721; and was living in 1743.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 46, leaf 242.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 130.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 10, leaf 167.

§There is a tradition that he was a Scotch school boy named Bothwell, and that he ran away from home. He came to Newbury, Mass., and was befriended by Rev. James Noyes.

13—XII. RUTH², b. Dec. 2, 1699, "in Andover;" m. Israel Huse of Newbury Aug. —, 1716 (1715?); and lived in Kingstown, N. H., in 1732. He was a husbandman.

14—XIII. PHEBE² b. July 10, 1701; m. Samuel Stevens (pub. Dec. 19, 1729).

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HENRY BODWELL², born in Andover Nov. 6, 1688. He was a yeoman, and lived in that part of Haverhill which was incorporated as Methuen in 1725, on the paternal homestead. He married Anna Pottle of Hampton, N. H., April 20, 1727; and she died Jan. 30, 1749-50, "aged forty-four." He died April 13, 1773, aged eighty-four.

Children, born in Methuen:—

15—I. ANNA³, b. Feb. 25, 1727-8; m. Nathaniel Gage before 1770.

16—II. HENRY³, b. July 26, 1729. *See below* (16).

17—III. PHEBE³, b. Feb. 16, 1731-2; m. William Morse May 13, 1756; and was living in 1770.

18—IV. BETHIA³, b. May 25, 1734; unmarried in 1770; and living in 1772.

19—V. JOSHUA³, b. Oct. 4, 1736. *See below* (19).

20—VI. MARY³, b. July 21, 1740; m. Pierce Gage of Pelham Nov. 29, 1764; and was living in 1770.

21—VII. WILLIAM³, b. March —, 1743; d. young.

22—VIII. WILLIAM, b. May 18, 1747; d. Sept. 24, 1753, aged six.

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JAMES BODWELL², born in Andover Jan. 10, 1691. He was a yeoman, and lived in Methuen. He married, first, Mary Parker Feb. 6, 1711; and she died March 20, 1737-8. He married, second, Sarah Austin of Andover Nov. 28, 1739; and died in 1746, his will, dated March 19, 1745, being proved July 7, 1746. His wife Sarah survived him, and died in Andover, his widow, Sept. 18, 1769.

Children:—

23—I. MARY³, m. Timothy Mirick Dec. 5, 1728; and was living in 1745.

24—II. JAMES³, b. Feb. 1, 1713, in Andover. *See below* (24).

25—III. HANNAH³, b. June 25, 1715, in Haverhill; probably m., first, Samuel Pottle Nov. 21, 1734; and, second, John Hibbard, jr., before 1745.

26—IV. STEPHEN³, b. July 12, 1720, in Haverhill. *See below* (26).

9

CAPT. DANIEL BODWELL², born in Andover Feb. 14, 1693. He was a husbandman, and lived in Methuen. At the time of his death he was called "major." He was "captain," 1754-1769; and for the last half of his life was called "gentleman." He married, first, Elizabeth Parker in or before 1718; and she died Feb. 12, 1760, aged sixty-seven. He married, second, Ruth Ingalls of Andover April 14, 1761; and she was his wife in 1783. He conducted "Bodwell's ferry." He died in 1787, his will, dated Nov. 21, 1783, being proved May 7, 1787. His estate was appraised at £868, 9s.

Children, born in Methuen:—

27—I. TIFFEN³ b. Sept. 28, 1718; m. Caleb Richardson May 13, 1736; and was living in 1783.

28—II. ELIZABETH³, b. Feb. 17, 1719-20; m. Richard Whittier Sept. 24, 1741; and d. before 1783.

29—III. DANIEL³, b. Jan. 22, 1721-2. *See below* (29).

30—IV. JOHN³, b. Dec. 27, 1723. *See below* (30).

31—V. ABIGAIL³, b. Jan. 27, 1725-6; m. Nathaniel Ladd of Haverhill June 16, 1748; and d. before 1783.

32—VI. RUTH³, b. April 1, 1728; m. Isaac Redington of Lunenburg Dec. 27, 1759; and was living in 1783.

33—VII. SAMUEL³, b. Sept. 24, 1730. *See below* (33).

34—VIII. MARY³, b. Oct. 11, 1733; d. Nov. 4, 1736.

35—IX. PARKER³, b. Oct. 18, 1736; d. Nov. 18, 1736.

16

CAPT. HENRY BODWELL³, born in Methuen July 26, 1729. He was a husbandman and lived on the paternal homestead at the junction of the Merrimack and Spickett rivers in Methuen. He was called "gentlemen" for a number of years. He married Mary Robinson Sept. 20, 1759, in Andover; and she died Nov. 16, 1811, aged seventy-three. He died April 2, 1816, aged eighty-six.

Children, born in Methuen:—

36—I. HENRY⁴, b. Jan. 8, 1762. *See below* (36).

- 37—II. ISAAC⁴, b. Oct. 16, 1765. *See below* (37).
 38—III. OLIVE⁴, b. Aug. 31, 1767; m. Benjamin Sargent Dec. 28, 1786.
 39—IV. PERSIS⁴, b. July 30, 1769; m. John Pingry Nov. 27, 1788.
 40—V. JOSEPH⁴, b. Nov. 2, 1771. *See below* (40).
 41—VI. NATHAN⁴, b. Oct. 12, 1773.
 42—VII. ARNOLD⁴, b. March 22, 1776.
 43—VIII. ELIZABETH⁴, b. June 24, 1778.

19

JOSHUA BODWELL³, born in Methuen Oct. 4, 1736. He was a yeoman, and lived in Methuen. He was a soldier of the Revolution, marching to Lexington April 19, 1775, and then joining Washington's army in Cambridge. He married Priscilla Parker (published June 20, 1761); and she was his wife in 1784. He was living in 1787.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 44—I. WILLIAM⁴, b. Jan. 21, 1763; probably m. Rachel French of Haverhill Feb. 8, 1786.
 45—II. SYMONDS⁴, b. — 17, 1764; of Methuen, yeoman, 1787.
 46—III. ANNA⁴, b. May 27, 1766.
 47—IV. JOSHUA⁴.
 48—V. EDITH⁴, b. Feb. 13, 1770; m. Daniel Buswell, jr., of Bradford May 12, 1789.
 49—VI. ENOCH⁴, b. Dec. 5, 1772.
 50—VII. HENRY WASHINGTON⁴, b. April 4, 1784.

24

JAMES BODWELL³, born in Andover Feb. 1, 1713. He was a cooper, and lived in Methuen. He married Elizabeth Roberts of Newbury June 13, 1734.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 51—I. HANNAH⁴, b. April 25, 1735; d. July 25, 1736, aged one year.
 52—II. HANNAH⁴, b. May 18, 1737; m. Ebenezer Barker March 22, 1759.
 53—III. ELIPHALET⁴, b. July 8, 1738. *See below* (53).
 54—IV. BENJAMIN⁴, b. Aug. 22, 1741.

26

STEPHEN BODWELL³, born in Haverhill July 12, 1720. He was a husbandman, and lived in Methuen. He married, first, Sarah Lancaster in the spring of 1742; and she died Dec. 7, 1742, aged twenty-

three. He married, second, Ruth Gutter-son Feb. 7, 1744-5; and she was his wife in 1797. He died in 1803; his will, dated Nov. 10, 1797, being proved July 6, 1803.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 55—I. SARAH⁴, b. Dec. 7, 1745; m. Nathaniel Hibbard Dec. 13, 1768; and was living in 1797.
 56—II. WILLIAM⁴, b. Oct. 2, 1747. *See below* (56).
 57—III. JAMES⁴, b. Feb. 4, 1749-50; d. Feb. 28, 1749-50.
 58—IV. RUTH⁴, b. Feb. 4, 1750-1; m. Moses Emery, jr., in Newbury Dec. 15, 1768; and was living in 1797.
 59—V. JAMES⁴, b. April 25, 1753; probably d. before 1797.
 60—VI. LYDIA⁴, b. Sept. 19, 1754; m. Solomon Woolcot of Brookfield May 28, 1778; and was living in 1797.
 61—VII. MARY⁴, b. Sept. 4, 1756; m. Silas Brown Nov. 20, 1777, and was living in 1797.
 62—VIII. ABIGAIL⁴, b. Oct. 12, 1758; lived in Methuen, unmarried, in 1824.
 63—IX. OLIVE⁴, b. Nov. 12, 1760; m. — Davis of Bakerstown; and d. before 1797.
 64—X. STEPHEN⁴, b. Dec. 16, 1762; probably d. before 1797.
 65—XI. EDNAH⁴, b. Dec. 12, 1764; m. Jonas Bond of Dublin Dec. 10, 1789; and was living in 1797.
 66—XII. ABIAH⁴ (dau.), d., unmarried, in Methuen Sept. —, 1834, advanced in years.

29

DANIEL BODWELL³, born in Methuen Jan. 22, 1721-2. He was a yeoman, and lived in Methuen, conducting the ferry for some years. He married Abigail Ladd of Haverhill in or before 1746; and died in 1804, advanced in years; his will, dated Sept. 24, 1800, being proved Feb. 7, 1804. She survived him, and was his widow in 1808.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 67—I. ELIZABETH⁴, b. Jan. 4, 1746-7; d. Jan. 14, 1752.
 68—II. DANIEL⁴, b. Oct. 14, 1748. *See below* (68).
 69—III. PARKER⁴, b. Oct. 29, 1750. *See below* (69).
 70—IV. ELIZABETH⁴, b. Dec. 23, 1752; m. John Sargent Sept. 12, 1771; and was living in 1804.

- 71—V. ABIGAIL⁴, b. Dec. 16, 1755; m. Samuel Hildreth May 24, 1776; and was living in 1800.
- 72—VI. LYDIA⁴, b. March 15, 1757; m. Robert Chase of Newbury Dec. 7, 1780; and was living in 1800.
- 73—VII. ALPHEUS⁴, b. Feb. 22, 1759. *See below* (73).
- 74—VIII. RUTH⁴, b. April 17, 1761; m. Josiah Abbot of Andover May 15, 1784; and d. in 1788.
- 75—IX. JOHN LADD⁴, b. Sept. 26, 1763. *See below* (75).
- 76—X. SALLY⁴.
- 77—XI. SUSANNAH⁴.
- 78—XII. FANNY⁴.
- 79—XIII. HANNAH⁴.

30

CAPT. JOHN BODWELL³, born in Methuen Dec. 27, 1723. He was a yeoman, and lived in Methuen. He was a captain in the Revolution in 1776; and was called "gentleman" in his latter years. He married, first, Elizabeth Messer Dec. 22, 1748; and she died June 26, 1785. He married, second, Elizabeth Bowers of Merrimack April 26, 1788.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 80—I. MOLLY⁴, b. Oct. 8, 1749.
- 81—II. JOHN⁴, b. Jan. 16, 1752. *See below* (81).
- 82—III. NATHANIEL⁴, b. Feb. 23, 1754; d. April 12, 1754.
- 83—IV. NATHANIEL⁴, b. Jan. 31, 1755. *See below* (83).
- 84—V. SUSANNAH⁴, b. May 22, 1757; d. Dec. 28, 1762, aged five years.
- 85—VI. ELIZABETH⁴, b. April 15, 1760.
- 86—VII. SUSANNAH⁴, b. Dec. 5, 1762; m. William Hildreth Jan. 25, 1787.
- 87—VIII. SARAH⁴, b. March 5, 1765.
- 88—IX. ALICE⁴, b. Jan. 5, 1768.
- 89—X. ELIJAH⁴, b. May 17, 1770.
- 90—XI. JOSIAH⁴, b. Aug. 1, 1772.
- 91—XII. ASA⁴, b. July 1, 1775.

33

MAJ. SAMUEL BODWELL³, born in Methuen Sept. 24, 1730. He was a yeoman, and lived in Methuen. He procured the right to erect a mill on the east side of Spickett river in 1767. He was called "esquire" in 1787, and "gentleman" in the latter part of his life. He married Elizabeth Mansur Sept. 28, 1758; and both were living in 1794.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- I. SAMUEL⁴, b. Jan. 24, 1759.

- 93—II. HANNAH⁴, b. Aug. 25, 1760.
- 94—III. RHODA⁴, b. Feb. 19, 1762; m. Asa Robertson of Pembroke Nov. 1, 1786.
- 95—IV. FREDERICK⁴, b. Nov. 10, 1763; d. Aug. 10, 1773, aged nine years.
- 96—V. DORCAS⁴, b. Sept. 13, 1765; m. her cousin, Dr. John Ladd Bodwell (75), June 17, 1795.
- 97—VI. JESSE⁴, b. May 27, 1768.
- 98—VII. FREDERICK⁴, b. Aug. 21, 1773.
- 99—VIII. BETSEY⁴, b. March 1, 1777.

36

HENRY BODWELL⁴, born in Methuen Jan. 8, 1762. He was a soldier of the Revolution; and finally settled in Methuen. He married Sally ——— before 1794.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 100—I. ELIZA⁵, b. April 3, 1794.
- 101—II. MOLLY ROBERTSON⁵, b. Nov. 30, 1795.
- 102—III. OLIVE⁵, b. Jan. 31, 1798.

37

ISAAC BODWELL⁴, born in Methuen Oct. 16, 1765. He was a yeoman, and lived in Methuen. He married Betsey Messer March 26, 1788; and they were living in Methuen in 1804.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 103—I. PERSIS⁵, b. March 16, 1789.
- 104—II. WILLIAM MESSER⁵, b. July 19, 1792.
- 105—III. SUSANNAH MESSER⁵, b. June 4, 1794; d. June 10, 1794.
- 106—IV. ISAAC⁵, b. March 15, 1795; d. Jan. 12, 1796.
- 107—V. ISAAC ROBERTSON⁵, b. Dec. 21, 1796.
- 108—VI. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Jan. 24, 1798.
- 109—VII. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN⁵, b. Jan. 13, 1801.
- 110—VIII. SAMUEL PHILLIPS⁵, b. March 13, 1803.
- 111—IX. RUTH⁵, b. Dec. 30, 1804.

40

JOSEPH BODWELL⁴, born in Methuen Nov. 2, 1771. He was a yeoman, and lived on the paternal farm in Methuen. He married Mary How Dec. 17, 1795; and they were living in Methuen in 1800.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 112—I. MARY⁵, b. Sept. 13, 1796.
- 113—II. NATHAN⁵, b. Sept. 23, 1798.
- 114—III. JOSEPH ROBINSON⁵, b. Oct. 8, 1800; d. Nov. 7, 1815, aged fifteen.
- 115—IV. NANCY⁵, b. in 1816; d. Aug. 29, 1817, aged eighteen months.

53

CAPT. ELIPHALET BODWELL⁴, born in Methuen July 8, 1738. He was a husbandman, and lived in Methuen. He was a captain in the army of the Revolution. He married Hannah Barker July 24, 1758; and they were living in Methuen in 1778.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 116—I. ABIGAIL⁵, b. March 17, 1759.
- 117—II. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Jan. 20, 1761.
- 118—III. HANNAH⁵; b. May 26, 1762.
- 119—IV. JAMES⁵, b. May 1, 1764.
- 120—V. ELIPHALET⁵, b. July 21, 1766.
- 121—VI. BENJAMIN⁵, b. April 12, 1768.
- 122—VII. MEHITABLE⁵, b. June 3, 1769.
- 123—VIII. ANDREW⁵, b. July 12, 1771.
- 124—IX. JUDITH⁵, b. April 12, 1773.
- 125—X. JOAB⁵, b. May 26, 1778.

56

WILLIAM BODWELL⁴, born in Methuen Oct. 2, 1747. He was a yeoman, and lived in Methuen. He married Sarah Annis Dec. 24, 1772; and lived in Methuen in 1790.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 126—I. WILLIAM⁵, b. Oct. 15, 1773. *See below* (126).
- 127—II. JOSEPH⁵, b. Oct. 25, 1775.
- 128—III. ABRAHAM⁵, b. May 5, 1777.
- 129—IV. ENOCH⁵, b. Sept. 4, 1779.
- 130—V. SARAH⁵, b. Oct. 21, 1781.
- 131—VI. RUTH⁵ (twin), b. Sept. 8, 1784.
- 132—VII. ISAAC⁵ (twin), b. Sept. 8, 1784.

DANIEL BODWELL⁴, born in Methuen Oct. 14, 1748. He was a yeoman, and lived in Methuen. He married Alice Messer Jan. 2, 1772; and she was his wife in 1795. He died, insolvent, before Sept. 9, 1808, when administration was granted upon his estate.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 133—I. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Jan. 3, 1773; d. in 1773, in her ninth month.
- 134—II. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Sept. 7, 1774.
- 135—III. WILLIAM MESSER⁵, b. Sept. 7, 1777.
- 136—IV. DANIEL⁵, b. June 20, 1780.
- 137—V. ALICE⁵, b. Jan. 4, 1782.
- 138—VI. LYDIA⁵, b. Oct. 17, 1784.
- 139—VII. FREDERICK⁵, b. April 8, 1787.
- 140—VIII. JOHN⁵, b. June 24, 1792.
- 141—IX. PERSIS⁵, b. Jan. 24, 1795.

69

PARKER BODWELL⁴, born in Methuen Oct. 29, 1750. He was a yeoman, and lived in Methuen. He marched to the battle of Lexington April 19, 1775, and was in the army of Washington at Cambridge that summer. He married Hannah Abbot of Dracut (published Feb. 27, 1776); and died Aug. 7, 1795. She survived him, and married, secondly, David Jones of Methuen.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 142—I. PARKER LADD⁵, b. March 23, 1776. *See below* (142).
- 143—II. HEMAN⁵, b. Oct. 3, 1777; living in 1801.
- 144—III. SARAH⁵, b. Jan. 20, 1780; m. Reuben Boles, jr., before 1801.
- 145—IV. SUSANNA⁵, b. March 13, 1782; m. ——— Morse before 1801.
- 146—V. FANNY⁵, b. Feb. 25, 1784; unmarried in 1801.
- 147—VI. HANNAH⁵, b. Aug. 28, 1786; living in 1801.
- 148—VII. CHARLES⁵, b. Aug. 25, 1788; living in 1801.
- 149—VIII. SAMUEL⁵ (twin), b. April 25, 1791; living in 1801.
- 150—IX. NABBY⁵ (twin), b. April 25, 1791; d. Dec. 4, 1796.

73

ALPHEUS BODWELL⁴, born in Methuen Feb. 22, 1759. He was a husbandman, and lived in Methuen as late as 1800. He married Hannah ——— (published May 1, 1786).

Children:—

- 151—I. ALPHEUS⁵, d. July 28, 1794.
- 152—II. FREDERICK⁵, d. July 29, 1797.
- 153—III. MOSES⁵, d. March 28, 1797.

75

DR. JOHN LADD BODWELL⁴, born in Methuen Sept. 26, 1763. He was a physician, and lived in Methuen. He married his cousin, Dorcas Bodwell (96), June 17, 1795; and she died July 26, 1810, aged forty-four. He survived her.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 154—I. SOPHIA⁵, b. April 9, 1796.

- 155—II. JOHN ADAMS⁵, b. May 11, 1797; physician; d. Jan. 19, 1826, aged "twenty-seven."*
- 156—III. RUTH CAROLINE⁵, b. June 25, 1799.
- 157—IV. ALMIRA⁵; b. Dec. 12, 1801.
- 158—V. ABIGAIL⁵, b. Oct. 9, 1803.
- 159—VI. CAROLINE⁵, b. Feb. 24, 1805.
- 160—VII. EDWIN A.,⁵ b. April 6, 1809.

81

JOHN BODWELL⁴, born in Methuen Jan. 16, 1752. He lived in Methuen; and married Miriam (also, Meribah) White Oct. 2, 1775.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 161—I. JOHN⁵, b. Oct. 14, 1776.
- 162—II. MIRIAM⁵, b. June 4, 1778.

83

NATHANIEL BODWELL⁴, born in Methuen Jan. 31, 1755. He was a yeoman and bloomer or iron-monger, and lived in Methuen. He married Mary ——— in 1773; and was living in 1796.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 163—I. ZADOCK⁵, b. Dec. 27, 1773; lived in Bradford, cordwainer, in 1799; m. Olive Barker Aug. 21, 1800; and settled in Methuen, where he d. June 27, 1839; she survived him. They had seven children.
- 164—II. NATHANIEL⁵, b. Jan. 9, 1776; d. June 24, 1796.
- 165—III. BAILEY⁵, b. Dec. 9, 1777.
- 166—IV. MARY⁵, b. May 17, 1779.

126

WILLIAM BODWELL⁵, born in Methuen Oct. 15, 1773. He lived in Methuen; and married Ruth Whittier March 26, 1797. He died July 23, 1830, aged fifty-six. She survived him, and died, his widow, Aug. 27, 1842, aged sixty-three.

*The following epitaph is engraved upon his gravestone at Methuen:—

*Stranger or friend, here stay thy lonely head,
And here your holiest tears sincerely shed
For him, 'neath this silent mound doth sleep
'Tis manly, yes, 'tis generous to weep.
His spirit pure, while yet it dwelt below,
Did oft feel too keenly others woe
His life, tho' short, still 'twas a stormy way,
And darkening clouds hung o'er his brightest day—
But in his heart mild virtue held her throne,
Above the storm her rays serenely shone,
Illumed his pathway to the tombe
Where weeping friendship mourns his early doom.*

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 167—I. ELIZABETH⁶, b. Jan. 24, 1798.
- 168—II. JOSEPH ABBOTT⁶, b. Sept. 27, 1799.
- 169—III. RUTH⁶, b. Feb. 10, 1803.
- 170—IV. WILLIAM CALEB STRONG⁶, b. April 11, 1805.

142

PARKER LADD BODWELL⁵, born in Methuen March 23, 1776. He lived in Methuen; and married Elizabeth Merrill June 24, 1797 (1799?).

Child, born in Methuen:—

- 171—I. JOHN⁶, b. Nov. 23, 1798 (9?).

NOTES.

Tryphena Bigsby published to Thomas Vickery Sept. 15, 1722.

Tryphena Bigsby died, unmarried, Oct. 7, 1722.

Sarah Bigsby published to Daniel Choat, jr., March 30, 1754.

—*Ipswich town records.*

Widow Mary Byxby of Topsfield was appointed administratrix of the estate of her husband Joshua Byxby of Topsfield, deceased, Oct. 7, 1754. Surety on her bond: George Bixby of Topsfield, gentlemen.—*Probate records.*

Tryphena Bixby, daughter of Abigail Bixby, baptized in First church, Boxford, Feb. 28, 1702-3.

Elizabeth Bixby married Elias Johnson of Haverhill June 17, 1760.

Abigail Bixby admitted to First church April 25, 1703.

Widow Bixby admitted to First church from Topsfield church Feb. 28, 1702-3.

—*Boxford records.*

Widow Mary Lake married William Baker of Salisbury Sept. 1, 1757.

Joshua Bixby married Mary Davis April 2, 1713.

Benjamin, son of widow Esther Bixby, born Dec. 10, 1747.

Joshua Bixby, "an aged man," died June 9, 1754.

Hannah Bixby married Richard Towne, both of Topsfield, Feb. 28, 1736-7.

Abigail Bixby, "an aged woman," died Nov. 7, 1758.

—*Topsfield records.*

Joseph Bigsby lived in Marblehead, married Sarah Roades May 12, 1748: administration was granted on his estate, to his widow Sarah Bixby, Nov. 24, 1763. Children, baptized in Marblehead: 1. Mary, baptized Sept. 15, 1751; married Richard Necks Sept. 17, 1772; 2. Ruth, baptized June 1, 1755; married Samuel Legrow May 16, 1773; 3. Lydia, baptized July 2, 1758; 4. Abigail, baptized Sept. 28, 1760. —*Records.*

BOND FAMILY.

JOHN BOND¹, husbandman, lived in Newbury (probably on the Rowley line, as he is called of Rowley in 1661 and 1663) as early as 1649; and removed to Haverhill about 1663, though he is called of Newbury as late as 1665, and of Haverhill as early as 1660.* He married Hester Blakeley Aug. 15, 1649, she being aged thirty-three in 1663. He died Dec. 3, 1674. She survived him, and married, secondly, John Williams of Haverhill May 5, 1675.

Children, born in Newbury:—

- 2—I. JOHN², b. June 10, 1650; probably d. in or before 1674.
- 3—II. THOMAS², b. March 29, 1652; d. May 23, 1652.
- 4—III. JOSEPH², b. April 14, 1653. *See below* (4).
- 5—IV. HESTER², b. Sept. 25, 1655; m. Aquilla Chase before 1674.
- 6—V. MARY², b. Dec. 16, 1657; living in 1674.
- 7—VI. ABIGAIL², b. Dec. 3, 1660; m. Ezra Rolf March 2, 1675-6.

4

JOSEPH BOND³, born in Newbury April 14, 1653. He was a husbandman, and lived in Haverhill. He served in King Philip's war in 1676, under Lt. Benjamin Swett. He married Miss Sarah Williams Nov. 26, 1679, in Haverhill; and she was his wife in 1702. He died Feb. 26, 1724-5, at the age of seventy-one.

Children, born in Haverhill:—

*He was of Plum island Dec. 16, 1662, when he sold his "now dwelling house" and land to Richard Dole of Newbury.—*Court files, volume XXXVI., leaf 48.*

- 8—I. ABIGAIL³, b. Feb. 22, 1680; m. first, Edward Ordway June 14, 1804; and second, Robert Emerson March 24, 1715; and she was Mrs. Emerson in 1724.
- 9—II. ESTHER³, b. April 22, 1683; d. June 19, 1683.
- 10—III. REBECCA³, m. Benjamin Hardy in 1709; and was living in 1724.
- 11—IV. JOHN³, b. Oct. 12, 1688. *See below* (11).
- 12—V. SARAH³, b. June 15, 1691; d. May 10, 1693.
- 13—VI. JOSEPH³, b. April 6, 1694. *See below* (13).
- 14—VII. HANNAH³, b. Nov. 9, 1696; m. John Atwood Oct. 28, 1715; and was living in 1724.
- 15—VIII. LYDIA³, m. Nathaniel Duston June 8, 1726.
- 16—IX. SARAH³, b. Jan. 16, 1699-1700; m. John Bishop before 1724; and he was a physician in Medford in 1726.
- 17—X. MERCY³, b. June 3, 1702; m. Israel Webster Jan. 15, 1729-30.

11

JOHN BOND³, born in Haverhill Oct. 12, 1688. He was a yeoman, and lived in Haverhill. He married Martha Hall in 1715; and was drowned May 1, 1721, at the age of thirty-two. His wife survived him; and married, secondly, Samuel Graves before 1725.

Children, born in Haverhill:—

- 18—I. SARAH⁴, b. Oct. 21, 1716; m. Joseph Kimball, jr., of Bradford Nov. 13, 1740; and was his wife in 1752.
- 19—II. JOHN⁴, b. Jan. 14, 1718-9; lived in Hampstead, N. H., physician, in 1752.
- 20—III. JONATHAN⁴, b. Nov. 14, 1721, posthumous.

13

JOSEPH BOND³, born in Haverhill April 6, 1694. He was a yeoman, and lived in Haverhill. He married Elizabeth Simons Feb. 6, 1720-1; and died before June 30, 1746, when administration was granted upon his estate.* She survived him.

Children:—

- 21—I. SARAH⁴, m. David Hale of Bradford, yeoman, May 29, 1740; and she was his widow in 1771.
- 22—II. MARY⁴, m. Thomas Little of Atkinson, N. H.; and was his widow in 1771.

*A claim was due to the estate from the estate of Jonathan Bond of Kingston, deceased, in 1746. —*Probate records.*

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS OF THE REVOLUTION.

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JOHN BICKFORD of Salem; priv., Capt. Joseph Hiller's co., Col. Jonathan Titcomb's reg.; arrived in camp May 6, 1777; dis. July 6, 1777; service, 2 mos., 6 days, at Rhode Island; roll dated Camp at Providence.

JOHN BICKFORD, JR., of Salem; priv., Capt. Benjamin Ward, jr.'s co.; enl. Jan. 22, 1776; dis. Nov. 18, 1776; service, 9 mos., 28 days, at Salem.

SAMUEL BICKFORD of Salem; prize master, schooner "Fly," com. by Capt. Silas Smith; descriptive list of officers and crew, dated Nov. 8, 1780; age, 27 years; stature, 5 ft., 8 in.; complexion, dark; residence, Salem.

BENJAMIN BIGGS of Manchester; priv., Capt. Kimball's co., Col. Mansfield's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 18, 1775; service, 2 mos., 19 days.

BENJAMIN BIGGS of Manchester; Capt. Benjamin Kimball's co., Col. Mansfield's reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, July 1, 1775; *also*, co. return dated Winter Hill, Oct. 6, 1775; *also*, Capt. Kimball's co., Col. Israel Hutchinson's (19th) reg.; order for bounty coat, dated Winter Hill, Dec. 30, 1775.

DUDLEY BIGSBE of Topsfield; priv., Capt. Joseph Gould's co., Col. John Baker's reg., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 5 days.

DAVID BIGSBY of Salem; ordinary seaman, ship "Franklin," com. by Capt. John Turner; descriptive list of officers and crew, dated Dec. 2, 1780; age, 21 years; complexion, light; residence, Salem; cruise began Aug. 8, 1780.

DUDLEY BIGSBY of Topsfield; priv., Capt. John Baker's co., Col. Little's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 17 (also given May 2), 1775; service, 2 mos., 19 days; *also*, co. return [probably Oct., 1775]; age, 20 years.

JOHN BILES of Beverly; priv., Capt. Jeremiah Putnam's co., Col. Nathaniel Wade's reg.; enl. Aug. 12, 1778; service,

5 mos., 24 days, at Rhode Island; enlistment to expire Jan. 1, 1779; *also*, muster roll for Jan.-Sept., 1778, dated East Greenwich; *also*, muster roll for Jan.-Nov., 1778, dated North Kingston.

NATHANIEL BILES of Gloucester; Capt. Gideon Parker's co., Col. Moses Little's reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, July 2, 1775; *also*, corp.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. June 6, 1775; service, 2 mos.; *also*, co. return dated Oct. 8, 1775; age, 32 years; *also*, Capt. Parker's co., Col. Little's reg.; enl. Jan. 1, 1776.

JAMES BIRCH of Danvers (also, given Topsfield); Lt. Billy Porter's co., Col. Mansfield's reg.; order for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 22, 1775; *also*, priv., Capt. Ebenezer Francis' co., Col. Mansfield's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 4, 1775; service, 3 mos., 5 days; *also*, Capt. Francis' co., Col. Israel Hutchinson's reg.; order for bounty coat, dated Camp at Winter Hill, Oct. 26, 1775; *also*, lt.-col.'s co., Col. Calvin Smith's (late Wigglesworth's) reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Feb. 11, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; residence, Danvers; credited to town of Danvers; *also*, Capt. Daniel Pilsbury's co., Col. Edward Wigglesworth's (4th) reg.; muster roll for May, 1778, dated Valley Forge; enlistment, 3 years; *also*, muster roll, for June, 1778, dated "Greenage;" *also*, pay abstract for Oct., 1778, sworn to at Providence; *also*, Lt.-col. Dudley Coleman's co., Col. Wigglesworth's reg., com. by Maj. Porter; muster roll for March and April, 1779, dated Providence; enl. Feb. 8, 1777.

THOMAS BIRDWAY of Marblehead; Capt. William Bacon's co., Col. John Glover's reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 27, 1775; *also*, priv.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. June 12, 1775; service, 1 mo., 22 days.

BENJAMIN BISHOP of Rowley; priv., Capt. Robert Dodge's co., Col. Ebenezer Francis' reg.; pay roll for two days' service sworn to Nov. 29, 1776; marched to camp and back again.

BENJAMIN BISHOP of Newburyport; priv., Capt. Joshua French's co., Lt.-col. Enoch Putnam's reg.; enl. Aug. 15, 1781; dis. Nov. 31, 1781; service, 3 mos., 28 days; enlistment, 3 mos.; regiment raised in Essex and Plymouth counties to reinforce Continental Army.

EBENEZER BISHOP of Salem; boatswain, brigantine "Dolphin," com. by Capt. David Ingersoll; descriptive list of officers and crew dated May 25, 1780; age, 28 years; stature, 5 ft., 5 in.; complexion, dark; residence, Salem.

EDWARD BISHOP of Rowley; priv., Capt. Thomas Mighill's (1st) co., Col. Gerrish's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. April 23, 1775; service, 3 mos., 15 days; *also*, Capt. Mighill's co., Col. Loammi Baldwin's (late Gerrish's) 38th reg.; co. return dated Sewall's Point, Sept. 26, 1775; *also*, serg., Capt. Mighill's co., Col. Baldwin (26th) reg.; pay abstracts for Jan. and Feb., 1776.

ENOS BISHOP of Bradford; priv., Capt. Nathaniel Gage's co., Col. James Frye's reg., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 7 days; *also*, return of men in camp at Cambridge, May 17, 1775; *also*, an account of loss of articles at Charlestown June 17, 1775; *also*, co. return dated Cambridge, Sept. 6, 1775; *also*, Capt. Nathaniel Gage's co., Maj. Gage's reg.; enl. Sept. 30, 1777; dis. Nov. 6, 1777; service, 1 mo., 9 days, with Northern army.

JAMES P. BISHOP of Salem; pay roll for 6 mos. men raised by the town of Salem for service in the Continental Army during 1780; marched Aug. 12, 1780; dis. Dec. 17, 1780; service, 4 mos., 18 days.

JOHN BISHOP of Marblehead; priv., Capt. Thomas Grant's co., Col. John Glover's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 17, 1775; service, 2 mos., 20 days; *also*, co. return [probably Oct., 1775].

JOHN BISHOP of Gloucester (also given Cape Ann and Cambridge); priv., Capt. Joseph Roby's co., Col. Moses Little's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl.

June 2, 1775; service, 2 mos., 4 days; *also*, co. return probably Oct., 1775]; age, 36 years; *also*, order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Dec. 11, 1775; *also*, Capt. John Spurr's co., Col. Thomas Nixon's 5th (also given 6th) reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; *also*, muster roll of men in service on or before Aug. 15, 1777, dated Camp near Peekskill, Feb. 16, 1779; *also*, muster roll for May, 1779, dated Highlands; *also*, descriptive list of men enl. prior to Sept. 30, 1779; residence, Cambridge; age, 48 years; stature, 5 ft., 7 in.; complexion, dark; joined Col. Nixon's reg.; enlistment, during war; *also*, Capt. Spurr's co., Col. Nixon's reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to April 1, 1780; reported, deserted April 1, 1780; *also*, list of deserters dated Camp Ten Eyck, Aug. 27, 1780; Capt. Spurr's co., Col. Nixon's reg.; age, 43 yrs; stature, 5 ft., 8 in.; complexion, dark; hair, gray; eyes, dark; birthplace, Cape Ann; residence, Cambridge.

SAMUEL BISHOP of Salem, return of men enlisted into Continental Army from 1st Essex co. reg. [year not given]; residence, Salem; enl. for Salem; joined Capt. Sumner's co., Col. Greateon's reg.; enlistment, 3 years or during war; reported mustered by Nathaniel Barber, muster master; *also*, priv., Capt. Job Sumner's co., Col. John Greateon's (2d) reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 14, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; *also*, Capt. Samuel Flower's co., Col. Greateon's reg.; muster rolls for July and August, 1779, dated Camp Highlands; *also*, muster roll for Sept., 1779, dated Camp Bedford; *also*, muster roll for Oct., 1779, dated Camp near Peekskill; reported sick in camp; *also*, Capt. Joseph Crocker's co., Col. Greateon's reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to Dec. 31, 1780; *also*, Capt. Flower's co., Col. Greateon's reg.; muster roll for Nov. and Dec., 1779, dated Continental Village; reported on furlough for 50 days from Dec. 18, 1779; *also*, (late) Capt. Flower's

co., Col. Greateon's (3d) reg.; muster roll for Jan.-June, 1780; reported deserted March 1, 1780.

SAMUEL BISHOP of Gloucester; list of men enlisted into Continental Army from Essex co. [year not given]; residence, Gloucester; enlisted for Gloucester.

DAVID BIXBY of Boxford (also given Middleton); Capt. Asa Prince's co., Col. Mansfield's reg.; order for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 8, 1775; *also*, priv.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 4, 1775; service, 3 mos., 4 days; *also*, co. return dated Oct. 6, 1775; *also*, Capt. Prince's co., Col. Israel Hutchinson's (19th) reg.; order for bounty coat, dated Dec. 21, 1775; *also*, corp., Capt. Samuel Flint's co., Col. Samuel Johnson's reg.; enl. Aug. 25, 1777; dis. Nov. 30, 1777; service, 3 mos., 19 days, at the Northward; *also*, pay roll for mileage from Scarsdale, N. Y., home, allowed in council July 27, 1778.

DUDLEY BIXBY of Topsfield; priv., Capt. John Baker's co., Capt. Moses Little's reg.; order for bounty coat dated Dec. 11, 1775.

DAVID BIXLEY of Middleton; priv., Capt. Silas Adams' co., Col. Titcomb's reg.; pay roll for 2 mos. service dated June 29, 1777.

BOSTON BLACK of Marblehead; pay roll for 6 mos. men raised by Marblehead for service in the Continental Army during 1780; marched Aug. 18, 1780; dis. Feb. 23, 1781; service, 6 mos., 17 days; *also*, descriptive list of enl. men; age, 18 years; stature, 5 ft., 7 in.; complexion, negro; hair, wool; occupation, laborer; residence, Marblehead; enl. Feb. 24, 1781; joined Capt. Hastings' co., Lt.-col. John Brooks' (7th) reg.; enlistment, 3 years; *also*, receipt for bounty paid him by town of York for 3 years' enlistment, dated York, May 8, 1781; *also*, priv., Capt. Joseph Bates' co., Lt.-col. Brooks' reg.; muster roll for July, 1781; *also*, muster roll for Aug., 1781, dated Camp at Peekskill; *also*, muster roll for Sept., 1781; reported on extra duty with General Glover; *also*, muster rolls for Oct., 1781, -Feb., 1782,

dated York Huts; reported servant to Gen. Glover.

CAIS BLACK of Marblehead; pay roll for 6 mos. men raised by Marblehead for service in the Continental Army during 1780; marched June 19, 1780; dis. Dec. 24, 1780; service, 6 mos., 17 days.

JAMES BLACK of Beverly; descriptive list of officers and crew of the ship "Junius Brutus," com. by Capt. John Leach, dated Salem, June 15, 1780; age, 28 years; stature, 5 ft., 7 in.; complexion, light; residence, Beverly.

JOAB BLACK of Salem; Capt. Addison Richardson's co., Col. John Mansfield's reg.; order for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 8, 1775; *also*, priv.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 16, 1775; service, 2 mos., 20 days; *also*, Capt. Richardson's co., Col. Israel Hutchinson's (late Mansfield's) 19th reg.; receipt for wages for Sept., 1775, dated Camp at Winter Hill; *also*, co. return dated Oct. 6, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Winter Hill, Oct. 27, 1775; *also*, receipt for wages due Aug. 1, 1775, dated Cambridge, March 14, 1776.

WILLIAM BLACKLER of Marblehead; Capt. Francis Symonds' co., Col. John Glover's reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 27, 1775; *also*, drummer; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 30, 1775; service, 2 mos., 7 days; *also*, co. return [probably Oct., 1775].

WILLIAM BLACKLER of Marblehead; capt., Col. John Glover's (Essex co.) reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. April 24, 1775; service, 3 mos., 15 days; reported recommended to be commissioned June 22, 1775; *also*, co. return dated Cambridge, Oct. 9, 1775.

SAMUEL BLACKLEY of Marblehead; boy, sloop "Morning Star," com. by Capt. John Ravill; descriptive list of officers and crew dated Oct. 17, 1780; age, 13 years; stature, 4 ft., 5 in.; complexion, dark; residence, Marblehead.

JO-H BLACKLY of Marblehead; prize master, sloop "Morning Star," com. by Capt. John Ravill; descriptive list of

officers and crew dated Oct. 17, 1780; age, 37 years; stature, 5 ft., 11 in.; complexion, dark; residence, Marblehead.

JOHN BLAIR of Marblehead; Capt. Nicholas Broughton's co., Col. John Glover's reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 27, 1775; *also*, priv.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 24, 1775; service, 2 mos., 13 days; *also*, co. return [probably Oct., 1775]; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Cambridge, Dec. 20, 1775.

ROBERT BLAIR of Beverly; descriptive list of enl. men; Capt. Tisdale's co., Col. John Groaton's reg.; age, 16 years; stature, 5 ft., 4 in.; complexion, dark; hair, dark; eyes, dark (also given red); occupation, laborer; residence, Beverly; enl. March 22, 1781; enlistment, 3 years; *also*, priv., Capt. James Tisdale's co., Col. Groaton's (3d) reg.; muster roll for April, 1781, dated West Point; *also*, muster rolls for Aug. and Sept., 1781, dated Camp Peekskill; *also*, muster roll for Oct. and Nov., 1781, dated Camp Highlands; *also*, muster rolls for Jan. and Feb., 1782, dated Hutts, New Boston; *also*, muster rolls for Sept. and Oct., 1782; *also*, Capt. Tisdale's (3d) co., Col. Groaton's reg.; com. by Lt.-col. James Millin; muster rolls for Jan. and Feb., 1783; *also*, Capt. Tisdale's (4th) co., Col. Michael Jackson's (3d) reg.; muster roll for Aug. and Sept., 1783.

JONATHAN BLAISDEL of Amesbury; priv., Capt. Timothy Barnard's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, from Amesbury (East parish); service, 10 days.

LEVI BLAISDEL of Amesbury; priv., Capt. Barnard's co., Col. Little's reg.; co. return dated Oct. 9, 1775; age, 19 years; enl. June 1, 1775.

SAMUEL BLAISDEL of Amesbury; priv., Capt. Timothy Barnard's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, from Amesbury (East parish); service, 5 days.

JOHN BLAISDELL of Amesbury; priv., Capt. Timothy Barnard's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775,

from Amesbury (East parish); service, 10 days.

LEVI BLAISDELL of Amesbury; priv., Capt. Timothy Barnard's co., Col. Moses Little's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. June 1, 1775; service, 8 weeks, 5 days.

OLIVER BLAISDELL of Amesbury; priv., Capt. Timothy Barnard's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, from Amesbury (East parish); service, 8 days.

SAMUEL BLAISDELL of Salisbury; list of men raised for the 6 mos. service and returned by Brig.-gen. Paterson as having passed muster in a return dated Camp Totoway, Oct. 25, 1780.

SAMUEL BLAISDEL of Amesbury; certificate dated Boston, Feb. 18, 1779, signed by Lt.-col. J. Brooks, stating that said Blaizdell had been a non-commissioned officer in Col. Michael Jackson's reg. from Jan. 1, 1777.

JACOB BLAISDELL of Salisbury; priv., Capt. Varnum's co., Col. Michael Jackson's reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from April 2, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779.

SAMUEL BLAISDELL of Amesbury; ens., Col. Michael Jackson's reg.; list of officers of Mass. Line; com. Nov. 26, 1779; *also*, Capt. Keith's co., Col. Jackson's reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 28, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; reported as serving 8 mos., 12 days as serg., 26 mos., 21 days, as serg.-maj.; *also*, serg.-maj., Capt. James Varnum's co., Col. Jackson's reg.; return dated April 9, 1779.

CHRISTOPHER BLAKE of Haverhill; corp., Capt. Nicholas Blasdel's co., Col. Wigglesworth's reg.; pay abstract for travel allowance from Albany home, in 1776.

JOHN BLAKE of Methuen; priv., Capt. Noah Allen's co., Col. Joseph's Vose's (1st) reg.; muster roll for May, 1781, dated West Point; enl. March 20, 1781; enlistment, 3 years; *also*, muster roll for June, 1781; *also*, muster roll for July, 1781, dated Camp near Dobb's Ferry; *also*,

muster rolls for Aug. and Sept., 1781, dated Camp at Peekskill; *also*, muster rolls for Oct. and Nov., 1781, and Jan., 1782, dated York Hutts; reported transferred to Light Infantry co. in Jan., 1782; *also*, Capt. Nathaniel Cushing's (Light Infantry) co., Col. Vose's reg.; muster roll for Feb., 1782.

LAWRENCE BLAKE of Marblehead; priv., Capt. William Courtis' co., Col. John Glover's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. June 10, 1775; service, 1 mo., 24 days; *also*, co. return [probably Oct., 1775]; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Beverly, Jan. 6, 1776.

PAUL BLAKE of Ipswich; Capt. Robert Dodge's co., Col. Samuel Johnson's reg.; marched Aug. 15, 1777; dis. Dec. 14, 1777; service, 4 mos., at Peekskill, in Gen. Warner's brigade; co. detached from 3d reg. of Mass. militia.

SAMUEL BLAKE of Newbury; pilot, ship "Essex" (privateer), com. by Capt. John Cathcart; descriptive list of officers and crew dated June 12, 1780; age 40 years; stature, 6 ft.; residence Newbury.

SAMUEL BLAKE of Salem; seaman, ship "Pilgrim," com. by Capt. Joseph Robinson; descriptive list of officers and crew dated Aug. 2, 1780; age, 23 years; stature, 5 ft., 10 in.; complexion, dark; residence, Salem.

SIMEON BLAKE of Newbury; lt., Capt. Jonathan Poor's co., Col. Samuel Gerish's (2d Essex co.) reg., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 6 days.

AARON BLANCHARD of Andover; priv., Capt. Joshua Holt's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; service, 1 ½ days.

AMOS BLANCHARD of Andover (West district); return of men raised agreeable to resolve of Dec. 2, 1780; enl. March 16, 1781; residence, Andover (West district); enlistment, 3 years or during war; *also*, priv., Col. Benjamin Tupper's (10th) reg.; enl. March 16, 1781; roll made up to Jan. 1, 1782; service, 9 mos., 16 days; *also*, fifer; pay roll for service from Jan. 1, 1782, to Jan. 1, 1783, 12 months.

CUFF BLANCHARD of Andover; Capt. Charles Furbush's co., Col. Ebenezer Bridge's reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 30, 1775; *also*, priv.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 28, 1775; service, 2 mos., 9 days; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Cambridge, Nov. 21, 1775.

DANIEL BLANCHARD of Andover; priv., Capt. Joshua Holt's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; service, 1 ½ days; *also*, Capt. John Abbot's co., Maj. Gage's reg.; enl. Sept. 30, 1777; dis. Nov. 6, 1777; service, 1 mo., 8 days; *also*, Lt. Jeremiah Blanchard's co., Col. Thomas Poor's reg.; enl. June 4, 1778; dis. Jan. 29, 1779; service, 8 mos., 8 days, at North River; enlistment, 8 months from time of arrival at Peekskill; *also*, Capt. David Whittier's co., Col. Poor's reg.; pay rolls for July and Aug., 1778; *also*, pay roll for Sept., 1778, dated Fort Clinton; *also*, Lt. Blanchard's co., Col. Poor's reg.; pay rolls for Nov., 1778, Jan., 1779, dated King's Ferry; *also*, descriptive list of enl. men raised agreeable to resolve of June 9, 1779; Capt. Lovejoy's co., Col. Johnson's reg.; age, 19 years; stature, 5 ft., 9 in.; complexion, light; residence, Andover; enlistment, 9 mos., received at Springfield July 16, 1779, by Capt. Christopher Marshall; *also*, return dated Boxford, Dec. 8, 1779, made by John Cushing, muster master for Essex co.; *also*, Capt. Abbot's co., Col. Nathaniel Wade's reg.; enl. July 10, 1780; dis. Oct. 10, 1780; service, 3 mos., 11 days, at West Point; enlistment, 3 mos.; *also*, return of men raised agreeable to resolve of Dec. 2, 1780; residence, Andover (West district); enl. March 9, 1781; enlistment, 3 years or during war.

ISAAC BLANCHARD of Andover; descriptive list of men raised agreeable to resolve of June 9, 1779; Capt. Lovejoy's co., Johnson's reg.; age, 16 years; stature, 5 ft., 4 in.; complexion, light; residence, Andover; enlistment, 9 mos.; received at Springfield July 16, 1779, by Capt. Christopher Marshall; *also*, return dated

Boxford, Dec. 8, 1779, made by John Cushing, muster master for Essex co.

JEREMIAH BLANCHARD of Andover; lt., Capt. Charles Furbush's co., Col. Ebenezer Bridge's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. April 25, 1775; service, 3 mos., 14 days; *also*, petition dated Cambridge, Oct. 20, 1775, signed by Col. Bridge, asking that said Blanchard be commissioned as lt. in Capt. Furbush's co.; recommended by council to Gen. Washington for commission; *also*, 2d lt., Essex co. reg.; list of officers of Mass. militia; commissioned June 10, 1778, to serve in Col. Poor's reg. at Peekskill; *also*, lt., acting as capt., Col. Thomas Poor's reg.; enl. May 13, 1778; dis. Feb. 17, 1779; service, 9 mos., 17 days, at North river; enlistment, 8 mos., from time of arrival at Peekskill; *also*, Capt. David Whittier's co., Col. Poor's reg.; pay rolls for May-Aug., 1778; *also*, pay roll for Sept., 1778, dated Fort Clinton; *also*, Lt. Blanchard's co., Col. Poor's reg.; pay rolls for Nov., 1778, -Feb. 17, 1779, dated Kings Ferry.

JEREMIAH BLANCHARD of Andover (also given Danvers); priv., Capt. Joshua Holt's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; service, 1 ½ days; *also*, Capt. Charles Furbush's co., Col. Ebenezer Bridge's reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 30, 1775; *also*, muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. June 28, 1775; service, 1 mo., 6 days; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Cambridge, Nov. 21, 1775; *also*, Capt. Samuel King's co., Col. Josiah Whitney's reg.; pay rolls for service from June 2, 1776, to Dec. 1, 1776, 6 mos., 2 days, at Hull; *also*, matross, Capt. Amos Lincoln's (2d) co., Col. Paul Revere's (artillery) reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from June 1, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; *also*, Capt. Joseph Balch's (1st) co., Col. Thomas Crafts' (artillery) reg.; pay roll for 1 mo., 15 days, service made up to Aug. 1, 1777; *also*, list of men who refused to leave Boston dated Boston, Sept. 22, 1777; *also*, pay roll for service from Aug. 1, 1777, to Oct. 1, 1777, 2

mos.; *also*, list of men who received bounty for 8 mos. service from April 30, 1777, to Dec. 30, 1777; *also*, list of men entitled to a bounty dated Boston, Jan. 12, 1778; *also*, list of men in Capt. Lincoln's co. entitled to 3 months stores dated Castle Island, Sept. 17, 1779; *also*, Capt. Lincoln's co., Col. Revere's reg.; pay roll for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to May 8, 1780, 4 mos., 8 days, dated Boston; *also*, sailor, brigantine "Rover," com. by Capt. Adam Wellman; descriptive list of officers and crew dated June 30, 1780; age, 22 years; stature, 5 ft., 8 in.; complexion, light; residence, Danvers.

JOHN BLANCHARD of Lynn; Capt. Ezra Newhall's co., Col. Asa Whitcomb's reg.; order for pay for service for 1 mo. dated Cambridge, June 10, 1775; *also*, priv.; Capt. Newhall's co., Col. Mansfield's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. June 20, 1775; service, 1 mo., 14 days; *also*, co. return dated Oct. 6, 1775; *also*, Capt. Newhall's co., Col. Israel Hutchinson's (19th) reg.; order for bounty coat dated Winter Hill, Nov. 4, 1775.

JOSEPH BLANCHARD of Salem; descriptive list of officers and crew of the ship "Jack" (privateer), com. by Capt. Nathan Brown, dated July 1, 1780; age, 21 years; stature, 5 ft., 6 in.; complexion, light; residence, Salem.

JOSEPH BLANCHARD of Andover; priv., Capt. Joshua Holt's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; service, 1 ½ days.

JOSEPH BLANCHARD of Andover (West parish); priv.; return of men raised agreeably to resolve of Dec. 2, 1780; residence, Andover; enl. Feb. 10, 1781; enlistment, 3 years.

JOSIAH BLANCHARD, JR., of Andover; Capt. Joshua Holt's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; served 1 ½ days.

SAMUEL BLANCHARD of Andover; priv., Capt. Benjamin Ames' co., Col. James Frye's reg., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 7 days; *also*, return of men in camp at Cambridge, May 17, 1775; *also*, return of men in

battle at Charlestown dated Cambridge, June 19, 1775; *also*, co. return dated Oct. 17, 1775; *also*, Capt. John Abbot's co., Maj. Gage's reg.; enl. Sept. 30, 1777; dis. Nov. 6, 1777; service, 1 mo., 8 days, with Northern army.

THOMAS BLANCHARD of Andover; priv., Capt. Joshua Holt's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; service, 1 day; reported a volunteer member of the co. who did not bear arms.

AMOS BLANCHER of Wenham; list of men raised for the 6 mos. service and returned by Brig.-gen. Paterson as having passed muster in a return dated Camp Totoway, Oct. 25, 1780.

WILLIAM BLANEY of Marblehead; corp., Capt. Nathaniel Lindsey's co.; pay roll for service from Dec. 10, 1776, to March 18, 1777, 3 mos., 9 days; co. raised in Marblehead to reinforce Continental Army.

JACOB BLASDEL of Salisbury; priv., Capt. Jonathan Evans' co., Col. James Frye's reg.; co. return dated Cambridge, Oct. 6, 1775; *also*, return of men enl. into Continental Army from Capt. Benjamin Evans' co., dated Feb. 13, 1778; residence, Salisbury; enl. for town of Salisbury; joined Capt. Farnum's co., Col. Michael Jackson's reg.; enlistment, 3 years.

JOHN BLASDEL of Amesbury; Capt. John Currier's co., Col. James Frye's reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, July 1, 1775; *also*, priv., co. return [probably Oct., 1775]; *also*, corp., Capt. Eliphalet Bodwell's co., Col. Edward Wigglesworth's reg.; pay abstract for mileage from Albany home, dated Dec., 1776.

JONATHAN BLASDEL of Amesbury; Capt. John Currier's co., Col. James Frye's reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, July 1, 1775; *also*, priv.; co. return [probably Oct., 1775]; reported transferred to armorers; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Cambridge, Nov. 16, 1775; *also*, descriptive list of men enl. from Essex co. in 1779, to serve in the Conti-

mental Army; age, 30 years; stature, 5 ft., 9 in.; complexion, light; residence, Amesbury; delivered to Lt. William Storey; *also*, return dated Boxford, Dec. 8, 1779; made by John Cushing, muster master for Essex co.

LEVI BLASDEL of Amesbury; priv., Capt. Eliphalet Bodwell's co., Col. Edward Wigglesworth's reg.; pay abstract for mileage from Albany home, dated Dec., 1776; *also*, return of men enl. into Continental Army from Capt. William Ballard's co., dated May 29, 1778; residence, Amesbury; enl. for town of Amesbury; joined Capt. Low's co.; enlistment, 1 year.

PHILIP BLASDEL of Salisbury; descriptive list of men raised to reinforce Continental Army for the term of 6 months, agreeable to resolve of June 5, 1780; age, 17 years; stature, 5 ft., 7 in.; complexion, dark; residence, Salisbury; arrived at Springfield Aug. 4, 1780; marched to camp Aug. 5, 1780, under com. of Capt. Samuel Carr; *also*, pay roll for 6 months men raised by the town of Salisbury for service in the Continental Army during 1780; marched June 29, 1780; dis. Dec. 16, 1780; service, 5 mos., 20 days.

SAMUEL BLASDEL of Amesbury; serg., Capt. Eliphalet Bodwell's co., Col. Edward Wigglesworth's reg.; pay abstract for mileage from Albany home dated Dec., 1776; *also*, ens.; list of officers in Col. Michael Jackson's (8th) reg.; dated West Point, Nov. 8, 1779; reported resigned.

WELLS BLASDEL of Amesbury; Capt. John Currier's co., Col. James Frye's reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, July 1, 1775; *also*, priv.; co. return [probably Oct., 1775]; reported deceased Sept. 15, 1775.

EZRA BLASDELL of Amesbury; priv., Capt. Caleb Pilsberry's co., which marched April 19 or April 20, 1775, to Medford and Cambridge; service, 4 days. [Name crossed out on roll.]

EZRA BLASDELL of Amesbury; priv., Capt. Mathias Hoyt's co., of minute-men, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 4 days.

HARVEY BLASDELL of Amesbury; priv., Capt. Matthias Hoyt's co. of minute-men, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 4 days.

JACOB BLASDELL of Amesbury; list of deserters dated Jan. 25, 1781; Col. Michael Jackson's 8th (also given 9th) reg.; age, 24 years; stature, 6 ft.; complexion, dark; hair, dark; birthplace, Amesbury; residence, Amesbury; deserted April, 1780; enlistment, during war.

JONATHAN BLASDELL of Amesbury; priv., Capt. Matthias Hoyt's co. of minute-men, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 4 days.

SAMUEL BLASDELL of Andover; matross, Capt. Samuel Trevett's co., Col. Richard Gridley's reg.; muster roll dated June 21, 1775; enl. May 28, 1775; service, 24 days.

SAMUEL BLASDELL of Amesbury, Capt. William Hudson Ballard's co., Col. James Frye's reg.; return of men in camp at Cambridge, May 17, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Feb. 21, 1776.

SAMUEL BLASDELL of Salisbury; descriptive list of men raised to reinforce Continental Army for 6 mos., agreeable to resolve of June 5, 1780; age, 16 years; stature, 5 ft., 5 in.; complexion, light; residence, Salisbury; arrived at Springfield July 5, 1780; marched to camp July 5, 1780, under com. of Capt. Frothingham of the artillery.

WELLS BLASDELL of Amesbury; serg., Capt. Matthias Hoyt's co., of minute-men, which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 9 days; *also*, Capt. John Currier's co., Col. James Frye's reg.; order for bounty coat dated Amesbury, March 4, 1776; reported deceased Sept. 17, 1775.

JACOB BLASDIL of Amesbury; priv., Capt. Varnum's co., Col. Michael Jackson's reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to April 1, 1780; reported deserted April 1, 1780.

SAMUEL BLASDLE of Amesbury; return of men enl. into Continental Army from Capt. William Ballard's co., Essex co. reg., sworn to Feb. 11, 1778; residence,

Amesbury; enl. for Amesbury; joined Capt. Varnum's co., Col. Jackson's reg.; enlistment, 3 years.

JOHN BLATCHFORD, JR., of Gloucester; list of men enl. into Continental Army from Essex co. [year not given]; enl. for Gloucester.

SAMUEL BLAZDEL of Salisbury; pay roll for 6 mos. men raised by Salisbury for service in the Continental Army during 1780; marched June 28, 1780; dis. Jan. 6, 1781; service, 6 mos., 21 days.

SAMUEL BLESDEL of Amesbury; priv., Capt. William H. Ballard's co., Col. James Frye's reg.; co. return dated Cambridge, Oct. 6, 1775; reported went to Quebec.

CUFF BLEW of Marblehead; ordinary seaman, ship "Franklin," com. by Capt. John Turner; descriptive list of officers and crew dated Dec. 2, 1780; age, 19 years; complexion, negro; residence, Marblehead; cruise began Aug. 8, 1780.

VERIEN BLIE of Salem; sailmaker, ship "Franklin," com. by Capt. John Turner; descriptive list of officers and crew dated Dec. 2, 1780; age, 40 years; complexion, dark; residence, Salem; cruise begun Aug. 8, 1780.

CYRUS BLUNT of Andover; priv., Capt. John Davis' co., Col. James Frye's reg.; co. return dated Cambridge, Oct. 5, 1775; enl. June 16, 1775.

DAVID BLUNT of Andover; corp., Capt. Benjamin Ames' co., Col. James Frye's reg., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 7 days; *also*, return of men in camp at Cambridge, May 17, 1775; *also*, co. return dated Oct. 6, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Cambridge, Nov. 14, 1775; *also*, serg., Capt. John Abbot's co., Maj. Gage's reg.; enl. Sept. 30, 1777; dis. Nov. 6, 1777; service, 1 mo., 8 days.

GEORGE BLUNT of Andover; return of men enl. into Continental Army from Capt. John Abbot, jr.'s (2d) co., Essex co. reg., dated Feb. 16, 1778; residence, Andover; enl. for town of Andover; joined Capt. Benjamin Farnum's co., Col. Ebenezer Francis' reg.; enlistment, 3 years; *also*, priv., Capt. Abbot's co., Col.

Benjamin Tupper's reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Feb. 19, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; *also*, Capt. Farnum's co., Col. Francis' reg.; pay abstract for 49 days rations from date of enlistment, Feb. 19, 1777, to time of arrival at Bennington; *also*, Capt. Farnum's co., Col. Tupper's reg.; muster return dated Jan. 24, 1778; reported unfit for duty for want of clothes.

SILAS BLUNT of Andover; return of men enl. into Continental Army from Capt. John Abbot, jr.'s (2d) co., Essex co. reg., dated Feb. 16, 1778; residence, Andover; enlisted for Andover; enlistment, 3 years or during war.

WILLIAM BLUNT of Andover; priv., Capt. Joshua Holt's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; service, 1 ½ days.

JOHN BLY of Newbury; priv., Capt. Gideon Woodwell's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; returned April 23, 1775; service, 6 days; *also*, Capt. Stephen Kent's co.; enl. July 13, 1775; dis. Dec. 9, 1775; service, 5 mos., 7 days; stationed at Newbury in defence of sea coast; *also*, order for wages dated Gloucester, Dec. 10, 1775; *also*, order for wages dated Watertown, Dec. 15, 1775; co. raised for the defence of the sea coast in Essex co.

VARIEN BLYTH of Salem; drummer, Capt. Nathan Brown's co., Col. John Mansfield's (19) reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 25, 1775; service, 9 weeks, 5 days; *also*, co. return dated Oct. 6, 1775; *also*, Capt. Brown's co., Col. Israel Hutchinson's (19th) reg.; order for bounty coat dated Winter Hill, Oct. 27, 1775.

WILLIAM BLYTH of Salem; fifer, Capt. Abner Cranson's co., Col. Asa Whitcomb's reg.; receipts for wages for Aug. and Sept., 1775, dated Prospect Hill; *also*, co. return dated Prospect Hill, Oct. 6, 1775; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Prospect Hill, Nov. 13, 1775.

CHARLES BOALS of Salem; Capt. Micajah Gleason's co., Col. Nixon's (4th)

reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 10, 1775.

DANIEL BOARDMAN of Ipswich; Capt. Gideon Parker's co., Col. Moses Little's reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, July 2, 1775; *also*, priv.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 19, 1775; service, 2 mos., 18 days; *also*, co. return dated Oct. 8, 1775; age, 19 years.

EDWARD BOARDMAN of Marblehead; gunner, Capt. Samuel Trevett's co.; Col. Richard Gridley's reg.; muster roll dated June 21, 1775; enl. May 8, 1775; service, 1 mo., 16 days.

To be continued.

NOTES.

The following representatives to the general court were chosen in May, 1769: Almsbury, Isaac Merrill, esq.;* Andover, Samuel Phillips, esq.; Beverly, Capt. Henry Herrick; Boxford, Aaron Wood, esq.; Bradford, Benjamin Mulliken, esq.; Danvers, Dr. Samuel Holten; Gloucester, Thomas Sanders, jr., esq.; Haverhill, Mr. Samuel Bacheller;* Ipswich, Capt. Michael Farley; Lynn, Mr. Ebenezer Burrill; Marblehead, Joshua Orne, esq.;* and John Gallison, esq.;* Newbury, Joseph Gerrish, esq.; Newburyport, Capt. J. Greenleaf;* Rowley, Humphrey Hobson, esq.; Salem, Capt. Richard Derby, jr.,* and Mr. John Pickering, jr.;* Salisbury, Caleb Cushing, esq.;* and Topsfield, Capt. Samuel Smith. Those men whose names are starred were not of the house the preceding year.

"Yesterday morning died suddenly in this Town [Boston], Mrs. Katherine Gibbs, in the 46th Year of her age, relict of Henry Gibbs, Esq; of Salem, daughter of the late Hon. Secretary Willard: Her Funeral is to be attended To-Morrow at 5 o'clock P. M. from the Place of her late Abode in Cornhill."

William Vans advertised Barbados rum for sale.

The sloop Mary & Ann, 45 tons burden, Plantation built, to be sold at auc-

tion at Major Reed's house in Marblehead, June 12th, at 4 o'clock. Apply to Capt. Jacob Fowle, or to the master on board.

Russell Wyer advertised for sale Indian corn, pork, hog's fat, tar, turpentine and snake root.

Two-thirds of a dwelling-house and about fourteen rods of land in Salem at the lower part of the town, being the estate of Timothy Wellman, deceased, advertised to be sold. Apply to Mary Wellman, administratrix, at her dwelling house in Salem.

Taken up by Andrew Todd, between Baker's island and the Miseries, a Moses boat about thirteen feet long.

—*Essex Gazette*, May 30—June 6, 1769.

Polly Bixby of Methuen married Nathaniel Merrill of Danville, Vt., Feb. 26, 1798.—*Methuen town records*.

Mary Bixby married Leonard Sawyer, both of Danvers. Oct. 14, 1773.—*Danvers town records*.

Daniel Black, born about 1628, a Scotch prisoner, came to New England in 1651, in the *John and Sarah* of London, John Greene, master; was first employed at the iron works in Lynn for several years; lived in Ipswich in 1659; in Topsfield, 1660-1664; and the remainder of his life in Boxford; he was fined five pounds, in 1660, for "making love" to Faith Bridges without her parents' consent; he married her before 1664; he died Dec. 5, 168(8 or 9); children, born in Boxford: 1. Margrett, born Oct. 21, 1665; 2. Daniel, born Aug. 24, 1667; lived in Boxford until 1695, when he removed to York; weaver; married, first, Mary Cummings of Topsfield July 14, 169—; she died Dec. 16, 169—; second, Sarah Adams of York July 19, 1695; 3. Mehitable, born March 10, 1671; 4. John, born July 28, 1672; 5. Edmond, born Feb. 6, 1674-5.

James Black¹, yeoman, lived in Boxford, 1707-1721; married, first, Abigail Johnson of Andover; she died Nov. 24, 1720; he married, second, Mary Barker of Andover Oct. 21, 1721; she died Dec. 22, 1721, aged twenty-seven; he died before Feb. 19,

1721-2, when administration was granted on his estate, which was valued at £283, 19s.; children, born in Boxford: 1. *Edmond*², born April 25, 1704; living, eldest son, 1727. 2. *James*², born Oct. 29, 1705; married Merebe Lull of Rowley (published Sept. 10, 1727); and lived in Boxford as late as 1731. 3. *John*², born Jan. 23, 1708; living in 1727. 4. *Josiah*², baptized July, 1st Sabbath, 1710. 5. *Abigail*², born May 1, 1718; married Timothy Sessions of Andover Feb. 27, 1738-9. 6. *Daniel*², born March 4, 1715; yeoman; married Sarah Symonds April 10, 1740; lived in Boxford until 1762, when they removed to Holden, being dismissed to the church there in 1764; children, baptized in Boxford, as follows: 1. Sarah,³ July 24, 1743; probably married Ephraim [Nathan—*court records*] Holt Jan. 7, 1762; 2. Jane³, July 24, 1743; 3. Lydia³, Sept. —, 1744; 4. Hannah³, June 22, 1746; 5. Daniel³, April 9, 1749; 6. Daniel³, Oct. 14, 1750; 7. Jacob³, Dec. 17, 1752, in Linebrook parish, Ipswich; 8. Abigail³, May 11, 1755; 9. Samuel³, Sept. 2, 1759.

—*Records*.

Widow Rhoda Black published to William Forbles, negroes, both of Salem, Dec. 21, 1799.

Persis Black married Robert Follet 29 : 9 : 1655.

Tho : son of George and Dorithy Blacke, born 9 : 4 mo : 1658; died June 25, 1658, Gloucester.

Mary Black of Beverly married Richard Lee of Salem May 12, 1761.

James Black married Rhoda Francis, free negroes, both of Salem, May 26, 1783.

James Black published to Flora Browne, negroes, of Salem, Nov. 20, 1779.

—*Salem town records*.

Children of John Black baptized : Lydia 25 : 10 : 1636; Lydia, 3 : 4 : 1638; a daughter, 27 : 9 : 1640.—*First church, Salem, records*.

Sary Black published to Sepio Black, both of Wenham, servants to Jonathan Porter, Oct. 16, 1748.

Adam Black, published to Jean Black, servants to Richard and Josiah Dodge, Nov. 13, 1735.

—*Wenham town records.*

Hannah Black married Benjamin Peabody Sept. 23, 1765.—*Middleton town records.*

Gideon Black married Sally Foster Dec. 28, 1794.

Peter Black (alias Lee) published to Sarah Row Jan. 20, 1759; "Banns forbidden in less than 15 days by Elizabeth Row, mother of said Sarah's husband deceased."

Rachel, daughter of Peter Lee (alias Black) and Sarah Row, born Dec. 7, 1760.

—*Gloucester town records.*

John Black, sr., died 16 : 1 : 1675, and John Black, called "son" by Peter Wolfe, appointed executor of the estate of John Black.—*Court records.*

John Black, housewright, lived in Haverhill, 1730-1741; married Susannah Davis before 1730; he died in 1741; his estate was valued at £388, 6s., 6d.; she married, secondly, Samuel Johnson April 28, 1743; children born in Haverhill: 1. Nathan, born Aug. 19, 1730; 2. Daniel, born Oct. 15, 1732; 3. John, born March 10, 1734-5; 4. Samuel, born May 12, 1738; living in 1741; 5. Susanna, born May 9, 1741; married Ebenezer Page of Salem, N. H., husbandman, before 1759.—*Records.*

John Black, sr., of Salem, planter, 1668.

John Black, sr., of Beverly, husbandman, 1670.

Jack Black of Salem, truckman, 1797.

John Black, jr., of Salem, laborer, and wife Hannah, 1799.

—*Registry of deeds.*

Rebecca Black of Ipswich, servant to William Cogswell, 1656.

George Blacke of Gloucester, 1658, 1666, 1667.

Ould Blacke of Topsfield, 1664.

—*County records.*

Hannah Black married Nathaniel Mayhew June 18, 1795.

Meribah Black married Joshua Springer before 1757.

Hepzibah Black married Daniel Whittier March 9, 1794.

Abigail Black of Haverhill married Isaac Ross of Sudbury-Canada, April 6, 1790.

Edmund Black married Sarah Lufkin Nov. 9, 1758; lived in Haverhill; she died Jan. 22, 1803; children, born in Haverhill: Hepzibah, born Dec. 31, 1759; Sarah, born Feb. 11, 1762; Edmund, born Aug. 12, 1764; Jonathan Lufkin, born Sept. 2, 1766; Abigail, born Sept. 10, 1768; James, born March 17, 1770; Hannah, born Nov. 2, 1775; Moses, born Dec. 16, 1779.

Edmund Black, jr., married Mary Spiller Sept. 28, 1757.

Mary Black married David Foster before 1707.

Benjamin Black married Sarah Black and had children: Nathaniel, born Aug. 23, 1751; Mary, born May 8, 1755; died May 26, 1755.

—*Haverhill town records.*

A negro called Tom Black lived with Ens. Eben. Osgood, and died Dec. 9, 1734.—*Andover town records.*

George Black died Feb. 17, 1697.—*Boxford town records.*

Dille Black, daughter of Dille, negro, belonging to Sam^l Lee, jr., born April 6, 1739.

Seser Black, son of Sam^l Lee, jr.'s, black wench called Delle, born Oct. 10, 1731-2.

Mengo Black, child of Sam^l Lee, jr.'s', black wench Dille, born Oct. 21, 1734.

Flowhear Black, child of Dille, belonging to Sam^l Lee, jr., born July 16, 1736.

—*Manchester town records.*

Daniel Blackhead slain at Black poynt June 29, 1677, Andover.—*County records.*

Samuel Blackburn of Salem, mariner, 1796.—*Registry of deeds.*

John Blackburn married Hannah Dimon, negroes, both of Salem, May 28, 1797.—*Salem town records.*

"Doc^r William Blackenbury was drown^d crossing y^e river above y^e mill dam January 11th A. D. 1742."—*Ipswich town records.*

Pentecost Blackinton lived in Marblehead as early as 1688, and removed to Attleborough in or before 1714; married, first, Ann (Pedrick), widow of John Barret of Marblehead, Jan. 30, 1688-9; and, second, Mary (Bonfield), widow of Peter Fickett (also Figgett) of Marblehead, Jan. 1, 1701-2; children, baptized in Marblehead: 1. Elizabeth, baptized Dec. 15, 1689; 2. Benjamin, baptized April 24, 1692; married Dorcas —; and lived in Attleborough, yeoman, in 1722-3; 3. Pentecost, baptized Jan. 26, 1693-4; married Rebecca —; and had son George baptized in Marblehead Sept. 27, 1719; 4. Miriam, baptized March 22, 1695-6; married Samuel Sanders Oct. 31, 1716; 5. John, baptized Nov. 28, 1697; 6. Mary, baptized Dec. 25, 1698; 7. Sarah, baptized March 31, 1700.—*Records.*

John Blackleech married Elizabeth —, and lived in Salem; children, born in Salem: 1. Desire, born 13:2:1636; 2. Exercise, born —:11:1637-8; 3. Joseph, born 8:11:1638-9; 4. Elizabeth, born —:10:1641; died Oct. —, 1642; 5. Benony, born —:3:1643; 6. Elizabeth, born 12:6:1644.

Mr. Blackledge of Salem, 1663.

—*County records.*

Dorcas Blackleach married Hugh March May 29, 1676.—*Newbury town records.*

Ruth Blackledge of Rowley married Samuel Clark of Gloucester July 6, 1758.

Jabez Blackledge of Ipswich married widow Ruth Platts of Rowley May 10, 1753.

—*Rowley town records.*

John Blackledge died in the army destined to Crown Point, 1755.—*Rowley church records.*

Hannah Blackledge married Daniel Choat, jr., both of Ipswich, April 3, 1749.—*First church, Ipswich, records.*

"The wife of Jabez Blackledge died Nov. 12th 1752."—*Ipswich town records.*

John Blackler and Elias Blackler, both of Marblehead, fishermen, and Mary Graves alias Blackler, wife of William

Blackler (her first husband) of Marblehead, deceased, and guardian to William Blackler's and her children, sold land, in Manchester, of our grandfather John Codner of Marblehead, deceased, 1717.

John Blackler of Marblehead, fisherman, 1731, 1733, 1738, and wife Sarah, 1731, 1733; sold land formerly of John Codner, deceased.

William Blackley of Beverly, gentleman, and wife Rebecca, granddaughter of Rev. John Chipman of Beverly, deceased, 1777.

—*Registry of deeds.*

Children of William Blackmer* of Marblehead, baptized: John Chipman, Jan. 28, 1776; Joseph, March 9, 1777; Joseph, Aug. 9, 1778; Ward, April 9, 1780; Nathaniel, Feb. 10, 1782.—*Beverly church records.*

Children of Jane Blackler, baptized: John, Aug. 24, 1684; Elias, Nov. 27, 1687.

John, son of Elias Blackler, baptized Oct. 22, 1710.

John, son of John Blackler, baptized Aug. 14, 1715.

Oliver Blackler married Ann Sisson April 15, 1731.

—*Marblehead church records.*

Deborah Blackler married Benjamin Peck Nov. 14, 1790.

John Blackler married Sarah Brimblecomb July 10, 1727.

Mary Blackler married Benjamin Hendley Feb. 9, 1762.

Mary Blackler married John S. Hammond Jan. 1, 1792.

Rebecca Blackler married John Beal Hanover April 19, 1789.

Sally Blackler married Thomas Poor (Power—*publishment*) Feb. 1, 1798.

—*Marblehead town records.*

William Blackler, fisherman, lived in Marblehead; married a daughter or granddaughter of John Codner; he died before 1731, administration being granted on his estate Jan. 24, 1733; children: 1. Elias, fisherman, lived in Marblehead, 1732; 2. William, fisherman, lived in

*Blackler?

Marblehead, 1731-1736; 3. Mary, married Thomas McColly of Marblehead, fisherman, June 5, 1726; of Marblehead, sailor, 1751; 4. John, fisherman, lived in Marblehead.

John Blackler¹ (son of William Blackler of Marblehead, fisherman, deceased, 1752) of Marblehead, fisherman, 1761-2, inn-holder, 1787; he died in 1787, he married Miss Deborah Fortune of Marblehead Nov. 15, 1733; she died, his widow, before or in 1790; children, baptized in Marblehead: 1. *Deborah*², baptized June 15, 1735; married Joseph Griffin June 25, 1754; and was his widow, of Marblehead, 1790; 2. *Mary*², baptized Feb. 27, 1737; 3. *Mary*², baptized Oct. 8, 1738; married Jeremiah Hagerthy before 1787; and was his widow, of Marblehead, 1790; 4. *John*², baptized Sept. 7, 1740; fisherman; lived in Marblehead; married Rebecca Brimblecome March 22, 1763; he was dead in 1787, and she was his widow; children, baptized in Marblehead: 1. *John*³, baptized Aug. 28, 1763; 2. *Samuel*³, baptized Aug. 25, 1765; 3. *Rebecca*³, baptized Oct. 18, 1767; living, unmarried, in 1787; 4. *William*³, baptized Oct. 15, 1769; 5. *William*³, baptized Oct. 25, 1772; 6. *Sarah*³, baptized Aug. 21, 1774; 7. *Deborah*³, living in 1787; 8. *Sarah*³, baptized June 7, 1778; 5. *Sarah*², baptized Dec. 26, 1742; married William Stewart (or, Steward) Jan. 8, 1765; and was his widow, of Marblehead, in 1790. 6. *Margaret*², baptized June 2, 1745; 7. *Hannah*², baptized June 28, 1747; 8. *William*², baptized Oct. 29, 1749; 9. *William*², baptized March 1, 1752; fisherman; lived in Marblehead; married Elizabeth Jackson Jan. 23, 1774; he died in or before 1787; administration was granted upon his estate July 16, 1789; she married, secondly, John Stacey of Marblehead, fisherman, July 23, 1789; children: 1. *Thomas*³, a minor, aged above fourteen in 1790; 2. *Martha*³, unmarried in 1787; 3. *John*³, living in 1787; 4. *Samuel*³, baptized in Marblehead Oct. 8, 1786; 10. *Hannah*², baptized Aug. 11, 1754; married Joseph

Gatchel June 30, 1770; and was his widow in 1790; 11. *Martha*² baptized May 1, 1757; married Henry Payne Nov. 27, 1777; and was living in 1790; 12. *Samuel*², baptized April 29, 1759.

William Blackler¹, fisherman, lived in Marblehead; died in 1746; administration granted on his estate Oct. 17, 1748; inventory, £247, 1s.; his widow Sarah married, secondly, Capt. John Nutt of Marblehead, gentleman, before or in 1748; children, baptized in Marblehead: 1. *Sarah*², baptized Nov. 6, 1737; married Joel Smith of Marblehead, house-carpenter, March 3, 1757; both of Marblehead, 1766; 2. *William*², baptized May 18, 1740; mariner; lived in Marblehead; married Mary Ingalls Oct. 18, 1763; children, baptized in Marblehead: *Mary*³, April 28, 1765; *William*³, April 19, 1767; *Mary*³, Nov. 5, 1769; *Sarah*³, May 5, 1771; *Ruth*³, March 20, 1773; 3. *Mary*², baptized Sept. 26, 1742; married Samuel Gale Aug. 17, 1762; 4. *Ruth*², baptized May 6, 1744; married Capt. John Collyer Sept. 22, 1761; 5. *Charity*², baptized Oct. 26, 1746.

William Blackler of Marblehead, fisherman; married Mary Rowles Dec. 18, 1701; administration was granted on his estate July 2, 1713; and she married, secondly, Jonathan Graves of Marblehead, fisherman, before 1717; children: 1. *William*, baptized Aug. 27, 1704, in Marblehead; 2. *Mary*, baptized March 14, 1707-8; living in 1731; 3. *John*, aged about fourteen in 1725.

John Blackler, fisherman, lived in Marblehead, 1712, 1725; married Miss Elizabeth Gale Jan. 10, 1711-2; and died before 1748; children, baptized in Marblehead: 1. *Elias*, baptized March 8, 1712-3; 2. *Elizabeth*, baptized Sept. 29, 1717; 3. *Elizabeth*, baptized Aug. 20, 1721; married Archibald Selman of Marblehead, fisherman, Jan. 11, 1738-9; and was his wife in 1748; 4. *Sarah*, baptized Dec. 1, 1723; married Joseph Selman, fisherman, before 1748; 5. *Mary*, baptized Dec. 5, 1725; married Samuel Beal of Marblehead, fisherman, Jan. 14, 1748.

Capt. William Blackler, merchant, lived in Marblehead, married Rebecca Chipman Dec. 27, 1773; children, baptized in Marblehead: Rebecca, Oct. 2, 1774; Nancy, Nov. 16, 1783; died Nov. 22, 1800, aged seventeen; Elizabeth, Sept. 18, 1785; Lucy, July 29, 1787; Frances, July 19, 1789; Francis and Henry (twins), Sept. 25, 1791; Lydia, Jan 5, 1794; Nathaniel, July 3, 1796.

Capt. William Blackler, jr., mariner, lived in Marblehead, 1794-1807; married Elizabeth G. Gerry May 5, 1793; children, baptized in Marblehead: Eliza, Feb. 2, 1794; Mary Ingalls, Jan. 22, 1797; Hannah Glover, June 2, 1799; Lucia, Nov. 8, 1801; Thomas Gerry, Aug. 2, 1807.

—*Records.*

John Blackler of Marblehead was appointed administrator of the estate of Joanna Blackler of Marblehead Jan. 2, 1730-1. Inventory, all real estate inherited from her father John Codnar, by his will, £698, 15s.—*Probate records.*

John Blackleach of Salem, 1634, freeman May 6, 1635, an active merchant, representative in 1636, had by wife Elizabeth, beside John (who lived in Boston), Exercise, baptized Jan. 24, 1637; Joshua, Feb. 23, 1639; Elizabeth, Dec. 12, 1641; died soon; Benoni, May, 1643; Elizabeth, Aug. 4, 1644; and Solomon; he removed to Boston, where his daughter Exercise married Richard Rasor Aug. 24, 1660; thence removed to Hartford; and died at Wethersfield Aug. 23, 1683. His wife Elizabeth had died a few weeks earlier.—*Savage.*

George Mungey is mentioned in bill of Benjamin Mungey, page 125.

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

451. Rufus Lamson, sadler, was of Salem, 1810; died in Boston, 1837. Whom, when and where did he marry?

ALBERT H. LAMSON.

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452. What was the "telegraph" system that existed along the Atlantic coast here about a century ago? What is its history, and what was the method employed to convey intelligence? Were flags used?

ANSWERS.

425. The only Mary Bowley in Essex county to marry Aquila Chase or anyone else about 1739 was Mary, daughter of John and Hannah (Hadlock) Bowley, born in Newbury Dec. 13, 1719. Her parents were both of Newbury when they were published, March 21, 1718-9.—*Ed.*

438. The word "newel" as applied to posts supporting balusters and baluster rails comes from the post which supported the stairs, etc., and stood in the centre of the stair case, the stairs turning around it. The word has been used in this connection for some five hundred years, originally in France. The words "newel" and "nucleus" are similar, their original meaning being the centre or central support. Many use the word "newel" as denoting the spirally carved posts supporting the baluster rails, and also to similarly carved balusters.

The spiral posts and balusters have been constructed in many of the best houses in New England from about 1680 to about 1800. They were made by hand, and required skill and great care in their production.

—*Ed.*

PISCATAQUA PIONEERS.

In connection with old Norfolk county, a new society, called the Piscataqua Pioneers, has been formed. Its object is to secure and preserve the records of the Piscataqua River pioneers, and the association of their descendants. The president is Hon. Moses

A. Safford of Kittery, and the secretary,
Albert H. Lamson of Elkins, N. H.

EDITORIAL.

This number completes volume nine of *The Essex Antiquarian*. There have been published during the year the wills proved in Essex county in 1661; the gravestone inscriptions in the city of Gloucester before 1800; the genealogy of Essex county families from Blanchard to Bond inclusive; the record of the Essex county Revolutionary soldiers and sailors from Bickford to Boardman; abstracts of the old Norfolk county records, 1671; Salem quarterly court records and files, 1656 and 1657; Ipswich court records and files, 1650 and 1651; and miscellaneous genealogical notes from the records from Berry to Blackleach.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

INDEX TO THE ESSEX INSTITUTE HISTORICAL COLLECTIONS: VOLUMES I-XL. *By George Francis Dow.* Salem, Mass., 1905. This is a complete subject-index to the Collections down to 1905. It contains authors, subjects and titles. Bound in cloth; 91 pages; octavo; price, \$1.00. Address the Essex Institute, Salem, Mass.

A RECORD OF THE DESCENDANTS OF SIMON HENRY (1766-1854) AND RHODA PARSONS (1774-1847) HIS WIFE. *By Frederick A. Henry, A. M.,* Cleveland, O., 1905. This is a well and closely printed book of sixty-five octavo pages: and is a contribution towards a genealogy of the descendants of Serg. John Henry, who lived in Topsfield, Mass., in 1690. Judge Henry has made in this book a valuable addition to family histories. It contains not only the descendants but the ancestors of Simon Henry, a native of Lebanon, Conn., and some account of collateral lines. Half-tone portraits of himself and his children and others, and

several other engravings are given. The price is \$3.15 by mail, and may be ordered of the printer, J. B. Savage, or of the author, 154 Kensington street, Cleveland, O.

THE OLD FAMILIES OF SALISBURY AND AMESBURY, MASSACHUSETTS. *By David W. Hoyt.* Providence, R. I., 1905. This is part eleven (part six of volume two) of Mr. Hoyt's work on the genealogies of the early residents of Salisbury and Amesbury, with some related families of adjoining towns and of York county in Maine. This number contains genealogies of the families of Morrill, Mussey, Peasley, Wells and others. It contains seventy-two pages, including indexes. The price in paper covers is \$1.00 to purchasers of other parts; to others it is \$1.25. This concludes the set of numbers that Mr. Hoyt intends to issue, as the returns from their sale has been insufficient to meet the expense of their publication. It is hoped that he will continue his work, though it may appear in another form.

GENEALOGY OF THE DESCENDANTS OF JOHN WHITE OF WENHAM AND LANCASTER, MASSACHUSETTS, 1638-1905. Vol. III. *By Almira Larkin White.* Haverhill, Mass., 1905. This is the last of the three volumes of White history written by Miss White. It has taken a score of years of assiduous labor on her part to produce three large volumes, which contain in the aggregate two thousand, six hundred and ten pages, and one hundred and forty full-page illustrations. Each volume is well printed on good paper, fully indexed and bound in cloth. This one contains seven hundred and fifty-five pages, and forty-two full-page engravings, consisting of homesteads, portraits, groups, places, etc. The index to this volume comprises ninety-three pages. Until Jan. 1, 1906, the price of each will be five dollars, and after that date the price will be seven dollars per volume or twenty dollars for the set. Address the author, Miss Myra L. White, 98 Emerson street, Haverhill, Mass.

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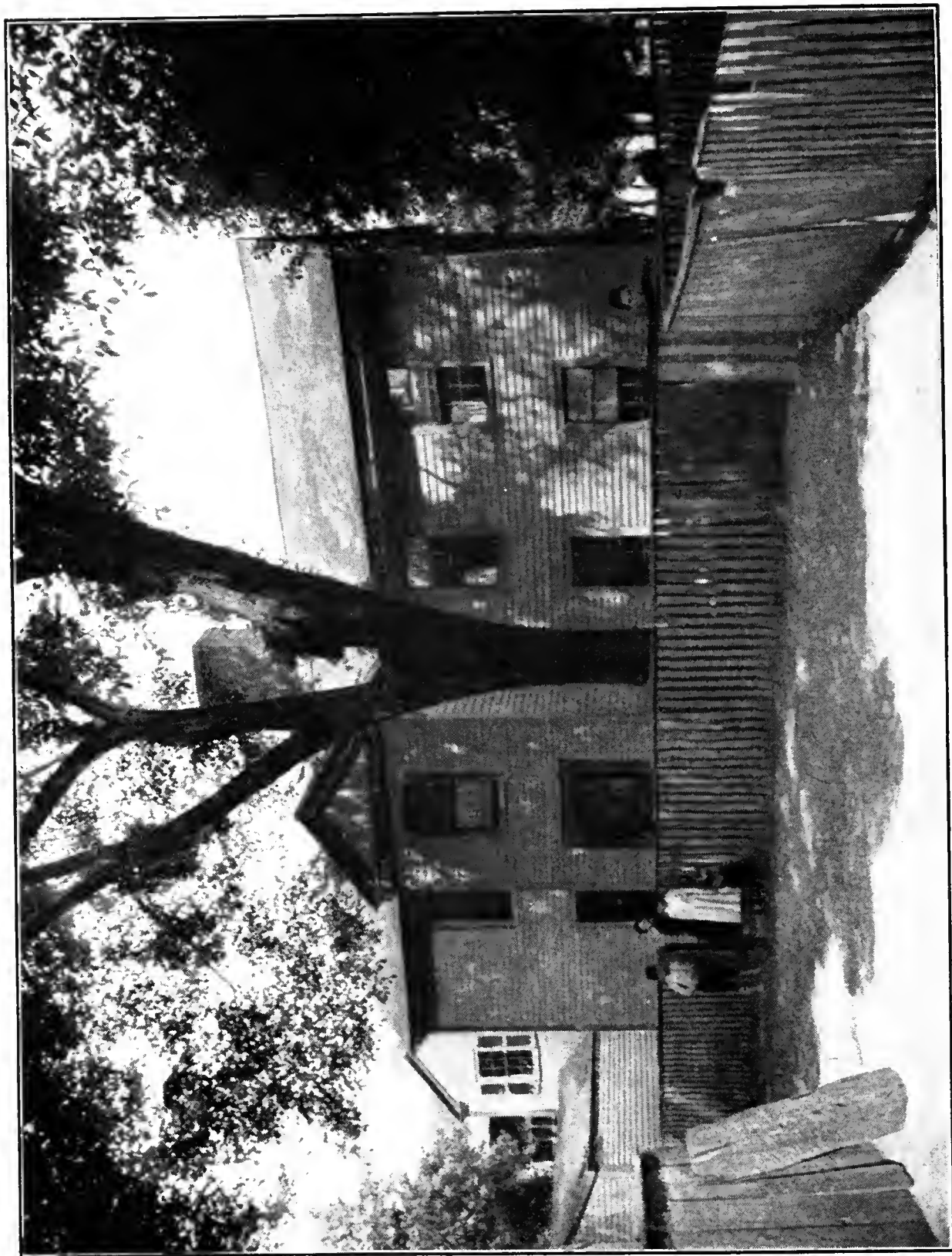
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ANCIENT BURIAL GROUND.

THIS old burying ground was the rear portion of the lot of land upon which stood the first meeting house in the East parish of Bradford, now Groveland, and the first person buried in it was Martha, wife of Samuel Hale. The burial occurred in June, 1723. Additions to the lot have been made since. The following are all the inscriptions to be now found in the cemetery bearing dates prior to 1800.

In Memory of
Susanna daughter
of M^r Stephen
and M^{rs} Susanna
Adams who died
Nov^r the 10^h 1776
in the 8^h Year
of her Age.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r NATHAN AMES
WHO DEPARTED
THIS LIFE JULY 16
1766 IN THE 51st
YEAR OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
ABIGAIL ATWOOD
THE WIFE OF
WILLIAM ATWOOD
WHO DIED OCT
20th 1742 IN Y^e
20th YEAR OF
HER AGE

DAUID AtWOOD
Son OF IOHn &
HannaH AtWOOD
WHO DIED IUnE y^e
13th 1733 AGED
3 WEEKS & 3 DaYS.

JOSEPH ATWOOD,
departed this life,
April 10th 1799,
Ætat. 77.

MARY ATWOOD
DIED IUnE Y^e 3rd
1725 DAUGHtER
OF IOHn &
HANNAH AtWOOD
She BEING 5
DAYS OULD

SaRaH ATWOOD
the DaUGHtER OF
M^r IOHn & HannaH
ATWOOD WHO DIED
SEPTmBER the 4th 1735
AGED 2 MOntHS &
28 DAYS OLD

HERE LIES
BURIED THE
BODY OF ABIGAIL
THE DAUGHTER
OF M^r JOSIAH &
ABIGAIL BACON
WHO DEPARTED
THIS LIFE OCT^R
30 1765 IN Y^e 16
YEAR OF HER AGE

Memento mori
 Sacred to the Memory
 of Mrs ABIGAIL BACON,
 Confort of
 M Jofiah Bacon,
 who Departed this
 Life February, the 21st
 AD 1788, in the
 65th year of
 her Age.

*The sweet Remembrance of the Just
 Shall flourish when she sleeps in dust.*

HERE LYES BURIED
 the BODY OF Mr
 I O S I A H B A C O N
 W H O D I E D
 I A N U A R Y the 26
 1 7 3 2 & In the
 33rd Y E a R O F
 H I S A G E

HERE LYES BUIRED
 the BODY OF
 H A n n A h the
 W I F E O F m r
 I A m E S B A L Y
 W H O D I e d
 m A R C H the 3rd
 1 7 3 3 A G E d 52
 Y E A R

HERE LIES BURIED
 THE BODY OF
 M^{rs} JOANNA THE
 WIDOW OF DEACON^N
 RICHARD BAILEY
 WHO DIED SEPTE^m
 THE 17^h 1757 IN
 THE 76^h YEAR
 OF HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
 THE BODY OF
 DEACON RICHARD
 BAILEY WHO DIED
 N O U^R 19 1748
 IN THE 73 YEAR
 OF HIS AGE

WILLIAM SON
 OF M^r IAMES AND
 MARY BALEY DIED
 AUGUST 20, 1747
 IN THE 9 YEAR
 OF HIS AGE

Memento mori

ERECTED
 In Memory of M^{rs}
 Abigail Balch the
 Second wife of the
 Rev^d M^r William
 Balch who Died
 April the 10th 1793
 and in the 88th
 year of her Age

*Here lies John Balch
 first Son of M^r John
 & M^{rs} Eunice Balch
 who Died July y^e 12th
 1786 Aged 2 years.*

*He's gone while in the morn of life,
 A stranger quite to wrath & strife
 With virtue blooming from his breast
 To taste the sweets of endlefs rest*

HERE LIES BURIED
 THE BODY OF
 M^{RS} REBECKAH
 WIFE OF Y^e REV^d
 M^R W^m B A L C H,
 WHO DIED IULY Y^e 2^d
 1 7 4 7, IN Y^e 38th
 YEAR OF HER AGE

Memento mori

ERECTED
 In Memory of the
 Rev^d M^r William
 Balch the First Pastor
 of the Church in
 this Place, who
 Departed this Life,
 Jan^r the 12th AD 1792,
 and in the 88th
 year of his Age
 and 64th of his Ministry

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^{rs} ABIGAIL THE
WIFE OF M^r
ABRAHAM BURBANK
WHO DECEASED
OCTOBER THE 6^h
1775 IN THE
44^h YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^r
ABRAHAM BURBANK
WHO DECEASED
SEPTEMBER THE
9^h 1775 IN
THE 48^h YEAR
OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
BETTEY THE DAUG^r
OF M^r JOHN
BURBANK WHO
DIED SEPT THE
23^d 1773 IN
THE 19^h YEAR
OF HER AGE

ERECTED
In Memory of
M^{rs} Bettey The
Wife of M^r
Stephen Burbank
who died Sept the
5^h 1782 in the 41^t
year of her Age.

HERE LIES
BURIED THE
BODY OF M^R
ELIAZER
BURBANK WHO
DIED FEB^R
14th 1759 IN
THE 77th YEAR
OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
IOSEPH BURBANK
WHO DIED MAY 6th
1753 IN THE 35th
YEAR OF HIS AGE.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^{rs} LYDIA THE
WIDOW OF M^r
ELIEZER BURBANK
WHO DIED JUNE
26^h 1771 AND
IN THE 87^h
YEAR OF HER AGE

SUSANⁿh the
DAUGHTER OF
mr TIMOTHY &
SUSANⁿh BURBANK
Died may the
26 1736 AGEd
9 months

HERE LIES BVRIED
THE BODY OF
MR^s SUSANNA
THE WIFE OF
LIEV^T TIMOTHY
BVRBANK DIED
MARCH 7 1757
IN THE 48th
YEAR OF HER AGE

Memento mori

ERECTED
In Memory of
M^{rs} SUSANNA^a CARLTON
the wife of
M^r Phinehas Carlton
who Died March the
30th AD 1782 in the 42^d
year of her Age.

HERE LYES BURIED
 the Son OF
 Dr EZEKIEL &
 PRISCILLA
 CHASE BORN
 & DIED MARCH
 Ye 12th 1735.

HERE LYES THE BODY
 OF NATHANIEL CHASE
 SON OF De EZEKIEL &
 PRISCILLA CHASE
 DIED DECEMBER 25 1736
 AGED 8 MONTHS
 AND 28 DAYS

In Memory of
Alice Clough, daught^r
of Mr Daniel &
Mrs Abigail Clough
who died Jan. ye 1, 1792,
Ætat 3.

In Memory of
Mrs SARAH DAKIN,
Consort of
Mr Justus Dakin,
who died Sept 3th 1793,
Ætat. 54.

Sacred to the
Memory of Patty,
daughter of Mr
Stephen & Mrs
Betty Danford who
died May ye 9th
AD 1787 Ætate. 15

Memento mori

In Memory of
Mrs MEHITABEL DUTCH,
Consort of
Rev^d Ebenezer Dutch,
who departed this life,
December ye 29th AD 1794
Ætat. 33.

The memory of the Just is blessed.
Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord
that they may rest from their labors.
Willing rather to be absent from the body,
and to be present with the Lord.
This mortal shall put on immortality.

In Memory of
Miss SALLY FOSTER,
daughter of Mr Stephen &
Mrs Rebecca Foster, who
died, July, 17th, 1797, Ætat. 22
Why should we start and fear to die?
What tim'rous worms we mortals are!
Death is the gate of endless Joy,
And yet we dread to enter there.
Jesus can make a dying bed
Feel soft as downy pillows are
While on his breast I lean my head
And breathe my life out sweetly there.

HERE LYES BURIED THE
 BODY OF ABIGAIL
 GAGE WHO DIED OCTOBER
 2th 1723 AGED 36
 YEARS

In Memory of
Mr^s Elizabeth
George Who
Died March
The 16 1784
In the 53 Year
of her Age

HERE LIES BURIED
 THE BODY OF CAP^t
 DANIEL GREENOUGH
 WHO DIED APRIL
 20th 1746 IN THE
 61st YEAR OF
 HIS AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
 THE BODY OF
 Mrs ELIZABETH
 GREENOUGH (RELICT
 OF CAP^t DANIEL
 GREENOUGH) WHO
 DEPARTED THIS
 LIFE DE^c ye 3^d 1765
 IN ye 73^d YEAR
 OF HER AGE

In MEMorY OF
Mr^s H A N N A h
the W I D O W Of
M^r W I L L I A M
GREENOUGH whO
DIED OCt The 23
1777 In The 49^h
YEAr Of her AGE

HERE LIES THE
BODY OF REBEKA^H
THE DAFTER OF
M^r SAMUEL AND
M^{rs} S U S A N N A
G R E E N O U G H
WHo DIED OCT^r
30th 1760 AGED
1 YEAR, 8 MONT^s

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r DAVID H A L E
WHO DIED OCT^r
THE 25th 1766
AND IN THE
33rd YEAR OF
HIS AGE

HERE LYES BURIED
the BODY OF
H A N N A H H A L E
the WIFE OF SAMUEL
HALE IUN^r WHO DIED
OCtobEr the 27 &
IN 1724 IN THE
22nd YEAR OF HER AGE

HERE LYES BURIED
THE BODY OF Mrs
MARTHA HALE THE
WIFE OF Mr SAMUEL
HALE WHO DIED
IUNE Y^e 14, 1723 & IN
Y^e 47th YEAR OF HER AGE.*

Mrs M A R T H A H A L E
IF YOU WILL LOOK
I T M A Y A P E R
SHE WAS Y^e FORSt
THAT IS BURIED HERE*

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r SAMUEL HALE
WHO DIED DEC^R 13
1745 IN THE 72
YEAR OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r SAMUEL HALE
WHO DIED MAY
THE 24^h 1770
AND IN THE
71^t YEAR
OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^{rs}
SARAH HALE WIDOW^w
OF M^r S A M U E L
HALE JUN^r WHO
DIED JAN^r THE
31^t 1771 IN
THE 68^h YEAR
OF HER AGE

A B n E R H A R D Y
Son OF RICHERD
& SaRaH HaRDY
WHO DIED Y^e 13
AUGUST 1733
AGED In HIS 4 YEAr

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r BENJAMIN HARDY^{iunr}
WHO DIED AP^r 8th
1753 AND IN
THE 39 YEAR
OF HIS AGE

*A half-tone engraving of this stone appeared in
The Essex Antiquarian, volume III, opposite
page 192.

*This is the inscription on the footstone of
Mrs. Hale, whose inscription precedes.

HERE LIES
BURIED THE BODY
OF MRS DAMARIS
THE WIFE OF CAPT
DANIEL HARDY
WHO DEPARTED THIS
LIFE 1763
IN THE 86 YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
CAPT DANIEL HARDY
WHO DEPARTED THIS
LIFE JULY 31 1756
IN THE 82 YEAR
OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^r
DAVID HARDY
WHO DIED AGUST
8^t 1746 IN THE
37th YEAR OF
HIS AGE

HERE LIES
BURIED THE BODY
MR^s EDNAH THE
WIFE OF M^r
JOSEPH HARDY
WHO DIED DEC^R 29
1763 IN Y^e 27^h YEAR
OF HER AGE

Capt. ELIPHALET HARDY,
departed this life
March 25th 1799,
Ætat. 79.

*Our years are fevinty, through strength fourscore,
That strength soon fails, and we are seen no more.
But oh! how few e'en these short limits reach,
Deaths gloomy ensigns o'er this ground may teach.
By fin came death but Jesus died for men,
was bury'd, and in triumph rose again.
Sinners repent, Christians lift up your eyes,
Fight the good fight, and win the glorious prise.*

Frederic Hardy,
*Son of M^r Jofhua &
M^{rs} Mary Hardy,
died March 29th, 1798,
Aged 14 months.*

*We scarce enjoy the balmy gift,
But mourn the pleasure gone.*

HERE LIES
BURIED THE
BODY OF HANN
AH THE DAUGHT^{er}
OF M^r THOMA^s
AND MARY HAR
DY WHO DIED
APRIL Y^e 18th 1753
IN Y^e 13th YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LYES
BURIED the
BODY OF
ISaaC HARDY
WHO DIED
IANUARY the 6
1729 AGED 46
YEARS

HERE LYES Y^e BODY
OF IACOB
HARDY JUNER DIED
SEP^t Y^e 29, 1735
& IN Y^e 46 YEARE
OF HIS AGE

IN MEMOry OF
M^r IEREMIAH
HARDY WHO
DIED IN THE
YEAR 1777 WITH
THE SMALL POX
AGED 64

IN MEMORy OF
M^rs JOANNA
THE WIFE OF
M^r DAVID
HARDY WHO
DIED MAY THE
3^d 1784 IN
THE 33^d YEAR
OF HER AGE

Memento mori
Sacred to
the Memory of
M^r JOSEPH HARDY
who departed this
Life, March the
27th AD. 1789, in
the 55 year
of his Age.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r JOHN HARDY
WHO DEPARTED
THIS LIFE OCT^R 4
1765 IN THE 22
YEAR OF HIS AGE

LEUI HARDY
SON OF
TIMOTHY AND
MARIE HARDY
DIED FEBRUARY
y^e 1st 1736 AGED
ON YEAR 5 mont

HERE LYES BURIED the
BODY OF CORPORAL
JOSEPH HARDY WHO
DIED IENUARY the 11th
1726 OR 7, AGED 84
YEARS

HERE LYES BURIED
the BODY OF
LYDIA the DAUGHTER
OF WILLIAM &
HANNAH HARDY
WHO DIED SEPTEMBER
Y^e 16th 1736 In the
19th YEAR OF HER AGE

HERE LYES SaRah
HARDY the WIFE
OF JOSEPH HARDY
IUNr WHO DIED
APRIL Y^e 16 1730
& IN Y^e 23rd
YEAR OF HER AGE

HERE LYES BURIED
the BODY OF MARCIE
HARDY the DAUGHTER
OF DANIEL & MARTHA
HARDY WHO DIED
NOUEMBER the 14 1730
& In y^e 25th YEaR
OF HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^R JOSEPH HARDY
IUN^r WHO DIED
NOU^R 26 1745
IN THE 54 YEAR
OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^RS
MARTHA Y^e WIFE OF
CAP^t DANIEL HARDY
DIED FEB^{ry} 24 1745
IN Y^e 66 YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^{rs} MARY THE
WIFE OF DEACON
TIMOTHY HARDY
WHO DIED MAY
THE 19^h 1771
IN Y^e 59th YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^r
NATHAN
HARDY WHO
DIED JULY 11th
1744 AND IN
THE 30th
YEARS OF HIS
AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^{rs}
SARAH THE WIFE OF
M^r WILLIAM HARDY
WHO DIED SEPT^r 23
1746 IN THE 68th
YEAR OF HER AGE

AS IT IS WITH YOU
SO IT WAS WITH ME
AS IT IS WITH ME
WITH YOU IT SHALL BE

SIMEON
THE SON OF
M^r TIMOTHY
AND MARY
HARDY WHO
DIED FEB^{RY} 20th
1733 IN THE 12th
YEAR OF HIS AGE

In Memory of
MR. STEPHEN HARDY,
who died
Dec^r 22nd 1793,
in the 81st year
of his age.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r WILLIAM HARDY
WHO DIED APRIL
THE 14th 1753
AND IN THE
83rd YEAR
OF HIS AGE

In Memory of
Lieut^t Moses
Harriman
Who Died
August the
24^h 1784 in
The 48^h Year
of his Age

Lieut.
MOSES HARRIMAN,
died
Aug. 24, 1785
Æt. 47.

*A tender husband, father dear,
A much lamented friend, lies here,
When Christ returns to call him forth,
The rising day will show his worth.*

HERE LYES BURIED
the BODY OF
JOHN HART
WHO DIED JULY
13 1737 IN
Y^e 25 YEAR
OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES THE
BODY OF ABIGAIL
HOPKINSON THE
DAUGHTER OF
INSIGN SAMUEL
AND M^{rs} BETTY
HOPKINSON WHO
DIED OCT^r THE
22^h 1771 IN
THE 24^h YEAR
OF HER AGE

IN MEMORY OF
ABIGAIL THE DAT^r
OF M^r EBENEZER
AND M^{rs} MARY
HOPKINSON WHO
OCTOBER THE
10^h 1778 DIED IN
THE 3^r YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LYES BURIED
the BODY OF ENSIGN
CALEB HOPKINSON
WHO DIED NOVEMBER
the 9th 1730 IN Y^e
49 YEAR OF HIS AGE

*Sacred to the
Memory of M^{rs}
MARY HOPKINSON,
Consort of Mr
Ebenezer Hopkinson,
who died May y^e 25th
AD. 1788, in the 41st
year of her Age.*

HERE LYES BURIED
the BODY OF
NATHANAEL HOPKIN
SON WHO DIED
JUNE Y^e 4th 1733
IN Y^e 20 FIRST
YEAR OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES THE
BODY OF PAUL
HOPKINSON THE
SON OF INSIGN
SAMUEL AND M^{rs}
BET^y HOPKINSON
WHO DIED DECE^r
THE 23^d 1771 IN
THE 18^h YEAR
OF HIS AGE

IN MEMORy OF
POLLEY the Dat^r
OF M^r EBENEZER
AND M^{rs} Mary
HOPKINSON WHO
DIED OCT^r THE
19^h 1778 IN THE
1st YEAR OF
HER AGE

HERE LIES THE
BODY OF SAMUEL
HOPKINSON THE
SON OF INSIGN
SAMUEL AND M^{rs}
BETTY HOPKINSON
WHO DIED NOUEM^r
THE 2^h 1771 IN
THE 22^h YEAR
OF HIS AGE

Memento mori

ERECTED

*In Memory of Ensign
SAMUEL HOPKINSON
who Departed this
Life February the 1st
AD 1785 in the 67th
year of his Age.*

HERE LIES BURIED
the BODY OF M^{rs}
SARAH HOPKINSON
WHO DIED OCTOBER
the 24th 1732 & IN
the 80 FIRST YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
SARAH THE
WIFE OF M^R
JOHN HOPKINSON
WHO DIED MAY* 16
174 † IN Y^e 32nd
YEAR OF HER AGE

*The name of the month is uncertain.

†The stone is broken here.

HERE LYES BURIED
the BoDY OF HannaH
laCKSon WHO DIED
IanUARY the 8
1732 & In y^e 67
YEaR OF HER AGE

Memento mori

In Memory of
Mr BENJAMIN JAQUES, Jun^r
who departed this life,
Nov^r 3^e 14th AD 1793
Ætat. 23.

*Behold and see all that pafs by,
As you are now fo once was I,
As I am now, you foon must be,
Prepare for death and follow me.*

In Memory of
Silas The Son
of Mr Benjamin
and Mr^s Judith
Jaques who died
June the 27^h 1776
in the 4^h year
of his Age.

In Memory
of Silas Jaques
fon of Mr
Benjamin &
Mrs Judith
Jaques who died
aug y^e 12, 1787 in
Y^e 9 year of his age.

In Memory of
Betsey Jewett daughter
of Dr. Seth & Mrs
Abigail Jewett, who
died June y^e 11th AD, 1791,
Aged 16 months & 15 days.

*She was a blefsing here below,
A lovely kind and pleasant child
Her foul now free from fin and woe
Twill serve its Maker undefild
Her fleeping duft fhall reft in peace
Till fun and moon their courses ceafe.*

HERE LYES BURIED
the BODY OF
EZEKIEL IEWEaT
WHO DIED OCTOBER
the 4th 1727 &
IN the 24 YEAR
OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
FRANCIS JEWET
WHO DIED SEPT^r
9th 1751 IN Y^e 87th
YEAR OF HIS AGE

MARY DAUGHTE
OF NATHANAEL
AND SUSANNAH
IEWETT DIED DEC^r
12 1747 IN THE
8 YEAR OF
HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
MR^s SARAH
THE WIFE OF
MR FRANCES
IEWET DIED
FEARUARY 3 1744
IN THE 72 YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
MR^s ELISABETH Y^e
RELICT OF DEACON
THOMAS JOHNSON OF
HAUERHILL WHO
DIED JUNE THE 12th
A D 1752 IN
THE 73^d YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LYES BURIED
the BODY OF Mr^s
HannaH KEmBaLL Y^e
WIFe OF Mr EBEnEZER
KEmBaLL WHO DIED
NOUmBER Y^e 26 1731 &
In the 33 YEaR OF HER AGE

HERE LYES BURIED
 the BODY OF
 MaRTHA 1st y^e WIFE
 OF EnSIn CALEB
 HOPKInSON AND
 THEN WIFE To Mr
 EBEnEZER KIMBALL
 WHO DIED MAY
 the 22, 1735 In
 the 49th YEaR
 OF HER AGE

—
 In MEMOrY OF
 ABIGAIL THE
 DAUGHTER OF
 M^r MOSES AND
 M^{rs} DOROTHY
 KInScon WHO
 DIED MAY THE 22
 1781 AGED 3 MOntH^s

—
 In MEMORY OF
 IOnat^han-BartLEt
 KInSCOn Son OF
 M^r MOSES AND
 M^{rs} DOROTHY
 KInScon WHO
 DIED IUnE Y^e 3
 1780 AGED 3 YEAr
 6 MOntHS 12DS

—
 HERE LIES THE
 BODY OF M^{rs}
 HANNAH LOWEL
 THE WIFE OF
 M^r SILUANUS
 LOWEL WHO
 DIED SEPT^r THE
 26^h 1771 IN
 THE 26^h YEAr
 OF HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
 THE BODY OF
 IOHN MARBLE WHO
 DEPARTED THIS LIFE
 FEBRUARY THE 17th 1752
 AND IN THE
 23 YEAr OF
 HIS AGE

HE WAS BORN FEBR 10—
 IN THE YEAr 1730.

—
In Memory of
Abigail Day Mitchel,
daughter of Mr Joseph
& M^{rs} Rebecca Mitchel,
who died Dec. 25th 1794,
Ætat. 2.

—
 Benjamin Mitchel
 son of Capt. Day &
 M^{rs} Susanna Mitchel,
 died Dec. 13th 1794
 Ætat. 5.

—
Memento mori
In Memory of
 M^{rs} Rebecca Mitchell,
 Consort of
 Mr Joseph Mitchell
 who died Feb^y
 the 19th AD. 1792
 Ætat. 26

—
 Mrs. Susanna Mitchel,
 Consort of
 Capt. Day Mitchel,
 died June 3^d 1798,
 Ætat. 41.

The eye which hath seen me, shall see me no more.

—
 William Mitchel,
 son of Capt Day &
 M^{rs} Susanna Mitchel
 died June 23, 1796,
 aged 2 years.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r JOSEPH
MULICKEN WHO
DIED JUNE THE
17^h 1768 IN
THE 66^h YEAR
OF HIS AGE

Memento mori

*Here lie
Interred the Remains
of Mrs PHEBE MULLIKEN,
Relict of
Mr Joseph Mulliken,
who departed this life,
October the 13th AD. 1790,
Ætat. 82.*

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^{rs} ELISABETH
PALMER WIDOW
OF M^r SAMUEL
PALMER WHO DIED
FEBR^y y^e 11^h 1774
IN THE 85^h
YEAR OF
HER AGE

*In Memory of
two Children of Mr W^m
& Mrs Mehitabel Palmer*

<i>Polly</i>	<i>William</i>
<i>died Nov^r y^e</i>	<i>died July y^e</i>
<i>19th 1783</i>	<i>6th 1793 aged</i>
<i>aged 9 months</i>	<i>2 years & 6 ms.</i>

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^r
SAMUEL PALMER
WHO DEPARTED
THIS LIFE DEC^R
18th 1758 IN
Y^e 73 YEAR
OF HIS AGE

IN MEMO^rY OF
SAMUEL PALMER
SON OF M^r SAMU^L
AND M^{rs} MARY
PALMER WHO
DIED APRIL THE
3^d 1781 IN
THE 21 YEAR
OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES
BURIED THE
BODY OF M^{rs}
SUSANNA Y^e
WIFE OF M^r
EBENEZER
PALMER WHO
DEPARTED THIS
LIFE JULY 3 1758
IN Y^e 30th YEAR
OF HER AGE

*William Palmer
died Jan. 15th 1797,
Ætat. 2.*

*Moses Palmer
died June 2^d 1800,
Ætat. 3.*

Children of Mr. William & Mrs. Mehitabel Palmer.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF LEU^T
ABRAHAM PARKER
WHO DEPARTED
THIS LIFE FEB^RY 14
1762 IN THE 77
YEAR OF HIS AGE

*In Memory of
Mr ABRAHAM PARKER,
who departed this life,
December 2^d 1795,
Ætat. 76.*

In Memory of
M^{rs} ANNA PARKER,
Consort of
Mr William Parker Jun^r,
who died, Dec^r 19th 1796,
Ætat. 22.

*As from the earth at first I came,
Now to earth I turn again
Nature has called for its due;
Ended frail life, my days were few.
Pause young and old as you pass by,
And o'er this urn do cast your eye,
Rememb'ring that your days in time
Kindly are fix'd by power divine,
Even as God made us of clay.
Renounce the world his call obey.*

In Memory of
Benjamin son of
Mr Moses & M^{rs}
Sarah Parker
OB Oct. y^e 6 1793
Ætat 9 months.

*This tender flower of heavenly hue
Mid thorns of sin & sorrow blew,
But kindly pluck'd, to heaven tis borne
And in an angels bosom worn.*

Memento mori
Sacred to
the Memory of
M^{rs} EDNAH PARKER,
Consort of
Lieut Retier Hathorn Parker,
who Died, November, the
26th AD. 1788, in the 44th
year of her Age.

*Prudent, modest, frugal & kind,
A Wife, A Mother, and real friend:
In life and Death to God resign'd;
True test of A Heaven-born-mind.*

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^{rs}
ELISABETH THE WIFE
OF LEF^t ABRAHAM PARKER
WHO DEPARTED THIS
LIFE MAY 23 1753 IN THE
65th YEAR OF HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^{rs} HANNAH
THE WIFE OF M^r
ABRAHAM PARKER
JUN^r DIED DEC^r 18 1744
IN THE 24th YEAR
OF HER AGE

ERECTED

In Memory of Miss
HANNAH PARKER
Daughter of Mr
Broadstreet & M^{rs}
Rebecca Parker, who
Died Septem^r y^e 14th
1783 aged 25.

*Death is a debt to nature due
As I have paid it so must you.*

In Memory of
John Eaton Parker, son of
Mr Moses & M^{rs} Sarah Parker,
who died June, 30th 1796,
Ætat. 13.

*Bright lovely inoffensive youth,
That feared his God and lov'd the truth
A lovely rose all in the bloom
The sweetest flower may died at noon*

*O may we live so as to have
A precious friend beyond the grave
For when God calls we all must go
To meet our judge a friend or foe.*

IN MEMORY OF
M^r NATHANIEL
PARKER WHO DIED
FEBRUARY THE 2ⁿ
1777 AND IN
THE 33^d YEAR
OF HIS AGE

THIS IN MEMORY OF
M^{rs} RACHIL PARKER
THE WIFE OF LIEU^t
NATHANIEL PARKER
WHO DEPARTED
THIS LIFE OCTOB^r
THE 18^h 1781 In
THE 64^h YEAR
OF HER AGE

Memento mori

Here lie
Interred
the Remains of
Lieut NATHANIEL PARKER
who Departed this Life
January, the 5th
AD 1789, in the
72^d year
of his Age.

Lieut Retier H. Parker,
departed this life
Feb. 2^d 1799
Ætat. 52.

*O ye whose cheek the tear of pity stains,
Draw near with pious reverence & attend.
Here lies the loving husband's dear remains
The tender father, & the generous friend.*

*O loving husband, tender parent dear,
How great our grief, too much for us to bear,
Can we sustain the loss of such a friend
Without a hope that we shall meet again.*

*Friends here behold the fate of Adams race,
Ruin'd in him & doom'd to sleep in dust;
Yet made alive by Christ, we shall appear
Before God's throne in endless friendship there.*

Memento mori

This Stone
Perpetuates
the Memory of
Mrs REBECCA PARKER,
Consort of
Mr Broadstreet Parker,
who Departed this Life, May,
the 6th AD 1790 Ætat. 60.

*Sweet Soul, we leave thee to thy Rest:
T' enjoy thy Jesus and thy God;
Till we from bonds of clay Released,
Spring out, and climb the shining Road.*

*While the dear dust, she leaves behind,
Sleeps in thy bosom sacred tomb;
Soft be her bed her slumber kind,
And all her dreams of joy to come.*

Thomas Parker,
son of Mr Moses &
Mrs Sarah Parker
died Nov. 16th 1799,
Ætat. 10.

*Here lies a sweet and blooming youth,
Emblem of innocence & truth
We trust he is with angels blest,
And in his Saviours bosom rests.*

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r JOHN PEMBARTONⁿ
WHO DEPARTED
THIS LIFE JULY
28 1753 IN THE
72 YEAR OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES THE
BODY OF RETEIR
THE SON OF
M^r RETEIR HATHORⁿ
AND M^{rs} EDNAH
PARKER WHO
DIED DECE^m THE
30^h 1772 IN
THE 4^h YEAR
OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
t h e B O D Y O F
M a R t H a t h e W I F E
O F I O H N P E M B E R T O N
W H O D I E D
M A Y Y e 4th 1 7 2 9
I N t h e 5 6
Y E A R O F H E R
A G E

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r JONAS PLATTS
WHO DIED APRIL
THE 27^h 1766
AND IN THE
66^h YEAR
OF HIS AGE

In Memory of
M^{rs} Miriam
Platts who
died August
the 19^h 1776
and in the
23^d year
of her Age.

In Memory of
M^{rs} Sarah
Platts Who
Died August
The 27^h 1776
And in the
37^h Year
of her Age

HERE LIES BURIED
the BODY OF
SaRaH PUFFER y^e
DaUGHTER OF IOnatHa^N
& aBIGALL PUFFER
WHO DIED DECEMB^r
Y^e 4, 1729 & In Y^e 11
YEaR OF HER AGE

ERECTED
In Memory of
M^{rs} BETSEY ROGERS,
Consort of
Mr Joel Rogers,
who died January,
the 15th AD 1790,
in the 20th year
of her Age.

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^R EZRA ROLF
WHO DIED IEN^{RY}
8th 1750⁵¹ IN
THE 71st YEAR
OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
the BODY OF Mr
SaRaH ROLF the
WIFe of Mr EZRa
ROLF WHO DIED
FEBRUARY Y^e 23 1728
IN Y^e 40 FORSt YEaR
OF HER AGE

Mr Eliphalet Rollins
died
November 8th 1799
Ætat. 74.

Sacred to
the Memory of
M^{rs} HANNAH ROLINGS,
the wife of
Mr Eliphalet Rolings,
who Died August,
the 16th AD. 1787.
in the 53^d year
of her Age.

HERE LIES
BURIED THE BODY
OF M^{RS} MOLLY
THE WIFE OF M^R
ELIPHALET ROLINGS
WHO DEPARTED
THIS LIFE APRIL
29th 1753 IN THE
25th YEAR OF HER AGE

William M. Rollins,
died April, 26th 1797,
Ætat. 19.

SACRED to the Memory of
M^{rs} MOLLEY RUSSELL, Consort
of M^r PETER RUSSELL;

who quitted this Stage of mortality,
and passed into the world of Spirits,
Octo 12th 1783. in ye 41st Year of his Age
supported by lively Hopes of entering
into the Joys of the Lord.

*My flesh shall slumber in the ground,
Till the last trumpet's joyful sound,
Then burst the grave with sweet surprise,
And in my Saviour's Image rise.*

Cease then, my friends, to mourn, bid earth adieu,
Loosen from hence the grasp of fond desire,
Weigh anchor, and some happier clime explore.

*Sacred to
the Memory of
Thomas Russell son
of Peter Russell Esq^r
& M^{rs} Molly Russell,
who Died August,
the 12th AD. 1787,
in the 14th Year
of his Age*

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^{rs}
HANNAH THE
WIFE OF M^r JOHN
SARGENT WHO
DEPARTED THIS
LIFE NOV^R 14 1761
IN THE 70 YEAR
OF HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r JOHN SARGENT
WHO DEPARTED
THIS LIFE AGUST
10th 1756 IN YE
64th YEAR
OF HIS AGE

*In Memory of
Anna Savory Daugh^r
of M^r William &
M^{rs} Mary Savory
who Died Novembr
the 7th 1783 Aged
16 months & 15 days*

THIS In MEMOry OF
M^{rs} BETHIAH SAUORY
THE WIFE OF M^r
THOMASSAUORY WHO
DEPARTED THIS LIFE
OCTOBER THE 1 1781,
AND In THE 31st
YEAR OF HER AGE

*In Memory of
Bethiah Savory
daughter of Capt Thomas
& M^{rs} Molly Savory
who died Oct^r ye 1st
AD. 1790 Aged
3 years & 7 months.*

*Tender softest infant mild
Perfect, sweetest loveliest child
Transient lusture, beautiful clay,
Cut off by death in early day.*

In Memory of
M^{rs} Marcy the
widow of M^r
Thomas Sauory
who died Nov^r
the 10th 1785 in
the 82ⁿ year
of her age

HERE LIES
BURIED THE
BODY OF M^{rs}
REBEKAH THE
WIFE OF M^r
ROBART SAVORY
WHO DEPARTED
THIS LIFE OCT^R
24 1763 IN
YE 69 YEAR
OF HER AGE

Memento mori

*Sacred to the Memory of
Miss SALLY SAVORY,
daughter of Mr. William
& Mrs Mary Savory who
died Octr ye 8th AD. 1790, Ætat. 20.*

*Hush my dear friends, not all your deepdrawn sighs,
Or tender groans can snatch me from the skies,
High heav'n decrees, let not vain man reply
Or dare to dictate when his friend shall die.
Impartial Justice snapt the vital thread
In my behalf, and gave me to the dead.*

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF M^R
THOMAS SAVORY
WHO DEPARTED THIS
LIFE MARCH 15th 1753
IN THE 52nd YEAR
OF HIS AGE

*In Memory of two
sons of Mr William
& Mrs Mary Savory*

<i>William</i>	<i>William</i>
<i>Died July</i>	<i>the younger</i>
<i>the 17th AD</i>	<i>Died april</i>
<i>1773 aged</i>	<i>the 12th AD</i>
<i>17 months</i>	<i>1777 aged</i>
<i>& 2 days</i>	<i>19 days</i>

*In Memory of
Ignatius Stevens who died
Jan. 5th 1795 Ætat. 4.*

*Ah death! couldst thou not spare his youthful bloom
But summon'd him so early to the tomb.*

*Also In Memory of
Jonathan Stevens Jun^r who
died at Aux Cayes, May, 24th 1795.
Ætat. 17.*

*In foreign climes alas! resigns his breath,
His friends far from him in the hour of Death.*

Sons of Mr Jonathan & Mrs Mary Stevens.

*Benjamin,
son of Mr Daniel &
Mrs Sarah Stickney,
died July 21st 1790,
aged 7 days.*

*Daniel,
son of Mr Daniel
& Mrs Sarah Stickney,
died Jan. ye 2^d 1795,
aged 17 months.*

HERE LIES BURIED
the BODY OF
ELISABETH STICKNEY
the WIFE OF
SAMUEL STICKNEY
WHO DIED MAY 11th
1737 IN Y^e 30th
YEAR OF HER AGE

*Leonard,
son of Mr Daniel &
Mrs Sarah Stickney,
died Jan. ye 10th 1795;
aged 3 years & 4 months.*

HERE LIES BURIED
the BODY OF
MARY STICKNEY
the WIFE OF
THOMAS STICKNEY
WHO DIED MARCH
2nd 1737 & IN Y^e 44
YEAR OF HER AGE

*In Memory of
Mehetabel daughter of
Capt Thomas & Mrs
Sarah Stickney who
died Jan. 22^d 1795,
Ætat. 14.*

ERECTED
In Memory of M^r
SAMUEL STICKNEY
who Departed this
Life December the
29th AD 1783 in
The 82^d year
of his Age.

In Memory of
Mr^s Susanna
The Wife of
M^r Samuel
Stickney who died
July the 28^h 1776
In the 63^d year
of her Age.

HERE LIES
BURIED THE
BODY OF LIU^T
T H O M A S
S T I C K N E Y
WHO DIED
OCTOBER THE
27^h 1769
IN THE 76^h
YEAR OF
HIS AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
THE WIDOW ANN
TENNEY WHO DIED
JUNE Y^e 28th 1768
IN Y^e 68th YEAR
OF HER AGE

Memento mori
Sacred to the
Memory of

Mifs BETTEY TENNEY,
(daughter of Deacon Thomas
& Mr^s Hannah Tenney) who
died Sept^r y^e 9th AD. 1789,
Ætat. 34.

Behold and see you that pass by
As you are now so once was I
As I am now so you must be
Prepare for death and follow me.

MARY Y^e DAUGHTER
OF PHILLIP And
IEANE TENNEY
DIED SEPT^r 13 1736
In Y^e 3rd YEAR
OF HER AGE

Memento mori.

ERECTED
In Memory of Deacon
Phillip Tenney Who
Departed this Life
December the 21st
1783 and in
the 77th year
of his
age.

REBEKAH TENNY
the DAFTER OF
IONATHAN and
REBEKAH TENNY
WHO DIED Iune
the 22 1736
& In y^e 8 YEaR
OF HER AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
M^r DANIEL
TENNEY
WHO DIED MAY
7 1751 IN THE
50 YEAR OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES BURIED
THE BODY OF
MR^s HANNAH Y^e
WIFE OF ELDER
SAMUEL TENNEY
DIED OCT^r 29
1745 IN THE
76 YEAR OF
HER AGE

Dear Jonathan Tenny
departed this life,
Feb. 24, 1786
Æt. 82.

MARtHA ^{Y^e} DAUGHtHA
 OF PHILLIP And
 IEAnE TEnnEY
 DIED AUGUST ^{y^e} 15
 1736 In ^{y^e} 6 YEAR
 OF HER AGE

HERE LYES BURIED
 the BoDY OF MR^s
 REBEKAH TEnnEY
 the WIFE OF MR^r
 IONAtHan TEnnEY
 DIED APR * 1739
 * YEARS

HERE LIES THE
 BODY OF REBEKAH
 THE DAUGHTER OF
 M^r WILLIAM AND
 M^{rs} REBEKAH
 TENNY WHO DIED
 SEPT^t ^{y^e} 8^h 1773
 AGED ^{y^e} 12^h MONTH^h

Mifs SALLY TENNEY,
daughter of Deacon Thomas
& M^{rs} Hannah Tenney,
died Feb. 3^d 1797.
Ætat. 31.

*A lecture, filent, but of fovereign power,
 To vice, confusion, and to virtue peace,
 Virtue alone has majesty in death.*

SAmUEL SON OF
 PHILLIP And
 IEAnE TEnnEY
 DIED SEPT^t ^{y^e} 15
 1736 AGED IN
^{y^e} 11 MONTH

* Broken.

HERE LIES BURIED
 THE BODY OF
 ELDER SAMUEL TENNEY
 WHO DIED FEBRUARY
 3rd 1747^s IN THE 81ST
 YEAR OF HIS AGE

HERE LYES BURIED
 the BODY OF
 SaRaH TEnne
 the WIFE OF
 DaNIEL TEnne
 WHO DIED AUGU
 St ^{y^e} 31 1732
 AGED 27 YEaRS

Deacon THOMAS TENNEY,
departed this life,
July, 2^d 1798,
Ætat. 67.

*Some hearty friend shall drop his tear
 On our dry bones, and say,
 These once were strong, as mine appear,
 And mine must be as they.*
*Thus shall our mould'ring members teach
 What now our senses learn,—
 For dust and ashes loudest preach
 Man's infinite concern.*

THIS In MEMOrY OF
 M^r JAMES WOLLInGFOrD
 WHO DEPaRTED
 THIS LIFE JanUar^y
 THE 10^h 1782
 In THE 70^h YEaR
 OF HIS AGE

HERE LIES
 BURIED THE
 BODY OF IONATHANⁿ
 WALLINGFORD
 DIED DEC^R 10th
 1748 IN ^{y^e} 34 YEAR
 OF HIS AGE

M^{rs} Martha Wallingford,
Relict of
Mr James Wallingford,
Died, Feb. 6th 1799,
Ætat. 82.

Memento mori
In Memory of
Mr^s ALICE WOOD,
Consort of
Mr Thomas Wood,
who died Feb. Ye 23^d 1795,
Ætat. 47.

IN MEMORY OF
MR^s MARY THE
WIFE OF MR
EDWARD WOOD
WHO DIED DECE^r
THE 26^h 1779
IN THE 89^h YEaR
OF HIS AGE

In MEMORy OF
Mr^s MEHITABLE
WOOD THE WIFE
OF M^r MOSES
WOOD W H O
DIED March THE
11^h 1781 In
THE 64^h YEaR
OF HER AGE

Mr MOSES WOOD,
departed this life
March, 5th 1799,
Ætat. 82.

Memento mori
Sacred to the Memory of
Mrs RUTH WOOD,
Consort of M^r Samuel
Wood, who died May the
15th AD. 1790, Ætat. 80.

*Hear what the voice from heaven proclaims
For all the pious dead,
Sweet is the favour of their names,
And soft their sleeping head
They die in Jesus and are blest'd,
How kind their slumbers are!
From sufferings and from sins releas'd,
And free'd from ev'ry snare.
Far from this world of toil and strife,
They're present with the Lord;
The labours of their mortal life
End in a large reward.*

Memento mori
In Memory of
M^r SAMUEL WOOD
who departed this life
Oct. 3^e 27th AD 1792.
Ætat. 71.

H E R E L I E S
 B U R I E D T H E
 B O D Y O F
 M R S S U S A N N A
 T H E W I F E O F
 M R J O H N W O O D
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 Y E A R O F H E R A G E

WILL OF WILLIAM WITTER.

The will of William Witter was proved in June, 1661. The following is a copy of the original instrument on file in the office of the clerk of courts at Salem, volume VI, leaf 142.

1659 5⁰₈

The last will and testament of william witter being in perfit memory and first I commit my foule to god who gaue it and my body to the earth from whenc it was taken. I giue to my wife Annis halfe my lands, housing and chattels: but in case she chang her name, I bequeath to her but the thirds: and to my sonn Jofia I giue the other halfe of my lands, housing, and chattels: but in case my wife mary, then I bequeath a duble portion to my sonn Jofia and his mother my wife shall haue but the thirds, as aforefaid, prouided that my sonn shall not fell this his inheritanc, but in case hee die wth out isseu: then I will that this inheritanc shall bee instated *upon* Robert Burdin and my dafter Hanna, for there posteritis I will my dafter Hanna Burdin shall have a ew, and lamb this time twelwe mounts and I will that my wife Annis bee my sole executor in witnes here of I haue caused my hand to bee set.

Robert Driver
william Harker

THE OLD HOUSE.

BY ANNA M. TUTTLE.

It stands in idle silence by the way,
 The bare old house, neglected, gaunt and gray,
 Low settled in the turf, yet reaching high
 A sagging roof-line, bold against the sky.
 Through its uncurtained windows, dim and small,
 Moonlight and sunlight, both unheeded fall;
 Bleared, sightless eyes, whence life has fled
 away;
 No hearth fire's gleam, no cheering candle ray
 Looks forth at night. The doors are barred and
 dumb,
 The scuttling rats retreat will answering come
 To all who knock, welcome is there no more;
 The fallen plaster on the slanting floor,
 The unsafe stairs and beams, the steps restrain
 When peering eyes invade the still domain.
 Yet how confidingly wild roses press
 Against the window their pale loveliness!

SALEM IN 1700. NO. 22.

BY SIDNEY PERLEY.

The map on page 23 represents that part of Salem which is bounded by Essex and English streets, the harbor and a line about midway between Carlton and Turner streets. It is based on actual surveys and title deeds, and is drawn on a scale of two hundred feet to an inch. It shows the location of all houses that were standing there in 1700.

Essex street was called ye street or highway in 1668; ye lane or street, 1670; ye towne street, 1701; the main street, 1711; and Essex street, 1797.

English street, which was originally called English's lane, was laid out by Philip English over land of himself and the owners of the lots shown on the map as bounding on the street about 1697, as far as the present Derby street, the dividing line of the lots having been midway of the street. That part lying southerly of Derby street was laid out by agreement of the adjoining owners, George Crowninshield and Retire Becket, April 13, 1802.*

Becket street is partly modern. The ancient highway shown on the map as running near the water existed from the first settlement of the town by Endecott. That part of Becket court that runs paral-

lel with the water to the foot of English street is the only portion of it that survives. A lane from this highway to the site of the early Becket house was laid out by John Becket and Edmond Bridges before 1681; and the same way is still in use. When John Becket conveyed the Samuel Phippen lot, Sept. 15, 1675, he described it as being bounded easterly by "the highway that shall be backward through the whole breadth "of the grantor's homestead.* July 2, 1675, Mr. Becket called it "a particular highway of ye said Becket."* When Philip Cromwell purchased the lots of the Estate of Edmond Bridges and Abraham Purchase, he bought of Mr. Becket a right of way from the front side of the old Becket house to Essex street in the same place in which it is now located. The deed is dated Feb. 1, 1676, and describes the passage as "a cartway from the comon town street in Salem begining its entrance from ye house and ground of Michaell Combes on y^e westerne side, & Thomas Sollas, his house & ground on ye easterne side to run through the land of ye said Beckett, home to the land which was formerly the land of Goodman Harwood & since the land of Jeremiah Boote-man, but now in ye possession of ye said Cromwell."† Mr. Cromwell conveyed the Estate of Edmond Bridges and Abraham Purchase lots to Edmond Bridges Sept. 21, 1680, and the next day he conveyed to him this grant of a right of way.† In Mr. Becket's will, in 1683, he provides that the lane shall be left as "a convenient highway" "for the use of my children to go to the high street." That part of the street from Essex street to Becket court was called the lane or highway in 1681; the lane or highway that leads into ye main street, 1687; ye lane that runs down by William Becket, sr.'s, 1716; a byeway goeing down to Becket's, 1721; Becket's lane, 1726; and a lane leading from ye main street to Mr. John Beckett's, 1734. In 1795, the street was extended to Derby street, and named Crom-

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 170, leaf 179.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 136.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 29.

well street. It was first called Becket street in 1799, and has ever since been so called. Becket court, or avenue, as it is now called, has been a highway since 1680.

Carlton street was laid out through land formerly of Samuel Carlton in or before 1801, when it was called the new highway, and also the same year Carlton street, which name has ever since distinguished it. The brace marked "b" on the map shows where it begins.

Derby street was laid out in or before 1768. The braces marked "a" show where it runs. It was called a new town way in 1768; a way leading from the Long wharf to the ropewalk, 1770; the new lane, 1781; Fore street, 1787; and Derby street, 1799.

White street was laid out in 1770 by John Turner, esq. It was called in 1770 land of John Turner, esq., left open for a way; and in 1771 a way opened by John Turner, esq. The city laid it out as a public way and named it White street July 8, 1872.

Blaney street was laid out by Joseph Blaney, esq., and accepted as a public way by the town March 11, 1799.

The ancient way by the water was in use until Derby street was laid out about 1768, and some portions were used a few years later, that portion now a part of Becket court being still in use. The ancient way was called the highway against the South harbor in 1664; and the way by the South river or harbor in 1770.

The South river or harbor was called ye harbor in 1659; the South harbor, 1664; Salem harbor, 1669; ye sea, 1676; ye sea or harbor, 1679; the river, 1682; ye harbor or salt water, 1697; the salt water, 1706; and South river, 1741.

The lots of John Swasey, Joseph Swasey, William and Abigail Masury and Thomas and Mary Mascoll, as shown on the map, comprised the original lot of Joseph Swasey.

Samuel Archard of Salem, carpenter, conveyed to John Becket of Salem, shipwright, for sixteen pounds, a house and three acres of land behind it, lying between

land of Edward Harnett and Ric: Lambert, April 9, 1655.* This lot included the lots of Mary Webb, Sarah Bartoll, John Becket, Samuel Phippen, John and Mary Marston, Jacob Fowle, Daniel Webb and Estate of Job Hilliard, as shown on the map. The dwelling house stood on the Mary Webb lot on the street, where its site is marked on the map. This land was a field, called, in 1671, "Job's field."†

In the sketches that follow, after 1700, titles and deeds referred to pertain to the houses and land adjoining and not always to the whole lot, the design being, after that date, to give the history of the houses then standing principally.

John Swasey House. Joseph Swasey of Salem, seaman, owned this lot and the lots of Joseph Swasey adjoining, of Abigail Masury, and of Thomas Mascoll, as early as 1658. Upon this lot he built a dwelling house before 1661. He conveyed the house and lot to his son John Swasey of Salem, mariner, April 2, 1689.‡ John Swasey died in 17—; and the house was gone before 1763, when his heirs disposed of the land.

Joseph Swasey Lot. This lot belonged to Joseph Swasey as early as 1658. He died in or before 1709, and his administrator, for fifteen pounds, conveyed the lot to Joshua Tyler of Salem, mariner, May 10, 1717.§

William and Abigail Masury Lot. This lot was owned by Joseph Swasey as early as 1658, and he conveyed it, in consideration of love, to his daughter Abigail Masury and her husband William Masury and to the heirs of the body of Abigail April 21, 1688.|| Mr. Masury died before 1717, and she continued to own the lot in 1734.

Thomas and Mary Mascoll House. This lot was owned by Joseph Swasey as early as 1658, and he conveyed it, in consideration of love, to his daughter Mary Mascoll and her husband Thomas Mascoll of Salem,

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 26.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 114.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 24, leaf 244.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 32, leaf 137.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 16, leaf 7.

mariner, April 20, 1688.* Mr. Mascoll built a house on the lot, and they resided there until their deaths, which occurred before March 10, 1721-2, when administration was granted upon his estate. Their house and land were appraised at one hundred pounds. The sons, John and Joseph Mascoll, both of Salem, the first being a mariner, and the second a shipwright, divided the house and lot between them by deeds, Sept. 16, 1729,† though an agreement to the same effect had been made Sept. 8, 1725.‡ John had the easterly end of the house, and Joseph the westerly end.

John Mascoll, for thirty-three pounds, six shillings and eight pence, conveyed his part of the house and land to Samuel Webb of Salem, mariner, Dec. 6, 1754.§ Mr. Webb, for forty-six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence, conveyed his part of the house and lot to William Crispin of Salem, mariner, Jan. 29, 1765.|| Mr. Crispin, for a similar consideration, conveyed the same estate to David Hilliard of Salem, rope maker, Aug. 6, 1765.¶ Mr. Hilliard died possessed of the lot and the east end of the house and the barn before July 11, 1792, when administration was granted upon his estate. The half of the house and land that belonged to it were then appraised at twenty-one pounds, three shillings and four pence. His administratrix, for one hundred and eighty dollars, conveyed the same estate to John Becket of Salem, gentleman, June 5, 1798;*** and on the same day and for a similar consideration he conveyed it to widow Martha Rice of Salem (the administratrix of the estate of Mr. Hilliard).***

The westerly half of the house and the remainder of the lot were conveyed by Joseph Mascoll, for one hundred and forty-three pounds, to Zachariah Curtis of

Salem, cordwainer, Feb. 11, 1734.* Mr. Curtis died possessed of the lot and westerly end of the house before Sept. 24, 1763, when, for thirteen pounds, six shillings and eight pence, his daughter Abigail Curtis of Salem, spinster, conveyed two-fifths of the same to Clifford Crowninshield of Salem, ropemaker,† Ebenezer Curtis of Salem, hatter, son of the deceased, for twenty-six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence, conveyed three-fifths of the same to Mr. Crowninshield March 30, 1767.‡ Their widowed mother, Abigail Curtis of Salem, joined in each of these deeds.

The house was probably taken down soon after 1798.

Philip English Houses. This lot and the John Carter lot constituted the homestead of William Goose, who was admitted to the church here in 1637, and who died "many years" before 1664, probably in or before 1656. In 1664, his widow was distracted and unable to provide for herself. The town of Salem having been at great expense for her for eight years, complained to the court, which appointed the selectmen administrators of Mr. Goose's estate June 28, 1664. This house (which had been built prior to 1661) and the land were then appraised at fifty pounds. The Goose house was the one located midway of the lot on what is now English street. The administrators of Mr. Goose's estate conveyed the house and eastern half of the entire lot of Mr. Goose to John Clifford of Salem, rope-maker, Feb. 28, 1664-5;§ and the western half of the lot to John Goose of Salem, mariner, on the same day.|| Mr. Goose conveyed his half of the lot to Mr. Clifford July 23, 1666.|| Mr. Clifford, who had removed to Lynn, conveyed the Goose house and lot to Jacob Allen of Salem, mariner, Sept. 30, 1693;¶ and Mr. Allen conveyed the same estate to Philip English of

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 18, leaf 9.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, John to Joseph, book 55, leaf 41, and Joseph to John, book 52, leaf 87.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 47, leaf 120.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 101, leaf 90.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 116, leaf 62.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 150, leaf 167.

***Essex Registry of Deeds, book 164, leaf 80.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 68, leaf 114.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 112, leaf 167.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 117, leaf 210.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 123.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 126.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 12.

Salem July 12, 1697.* The house and lot belonged to Mr. English in 1702, but he conveyed it away before 1735, when he died. The next owners that the writer has found for this lot are Joseph Hilliard of Salem, rope maker, and his wife Rachel. They conveyed the lot, the house being gone, to Clifford Crowninshield of Salem, mariner, June 22, 1741.†

That part of this lot included within the dashes at the eastern corner of the lot, which was a part of the Goose lot, and conveyed to John Clifford in 1664-5, was conveyed by Mr. Clifford to George Hacker of Salem, fisherman, Sept. 5, 1674.‡ Mr. Hacker built a house upon the lot; and, for sixty pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Jacob Allen of Salem, cooper, Nov. 7, 1677.§ Mr. Allen, for sixty pounds, conveyed the same estate to Philip English of Salem July 12, 1697.* Mr. English owned the house and land in 1702; and apparently conveyed it to his son Philip English of Salem, innholder, before 1735, when the father died. The house was gone before April 24, 1744, when, for ten pounds, Philip English, the son, conveyed the land to Clifford Crowninshield of Salem, mariner.||

John Carter House. This lot was a part of the William Goose homestead. He probably died possessed of the lot about 1656. The selectmen of Salem were appointed administrators of his estate June 28, 1664; and they conveyed the northeastern part of the estate, which included this lot, to John Clifford of Salem, rope maker, Feb. 28, 1664-5.¶ Mr. Clifford, for thirteen pounds and ten shillings, conveyed this lot to John Elwell of Salem, fisherman, Nov. 12, 1670.** Mr. Elwell built a house upon the lot; and, for sixty-eight pounds, conveyed the house and lot to William Pinson of Salem, fisherman,

March 14, 1677-8.* Mr. Pinson (or, Pinsent) became a husbandman, and, for fifty pounds, conveyed the house and lot to John Carter of Salem, mariner or fisherman, Nov. 27, 1686.† Mr. Carter died possessed of the house and land just before June 26, 1712, when administration was granted upon his estate. The house and lot were then appraised at fifty pounds. Mr. Carter's children, Mary Gavett, and her husband John Gavett of Salem, mariner, Martha Clemmons and her husband Benjamin Clemmons of Salem, Lydia Crow and her husband Aaron Crow of Salem, and John Carter of Boston, cordwainer, for thirty pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Gilbert Tapley of Salem mariner, Jan. 20, 1726.‡ Mr. Tapley died possessed of the house and lot before June 13, 1757, when administration upon his estate was granted. The house and land with an outhouse were then appraised at thirty pounds. Mr. Tapley's heirs were his daughters, Elizabeth Cox and Mary Henfield, and his deceased son William Tapley's son William. How long the house stood after 1757 is not known, but was probably gone soon after.

John Smith House. This house and lot were owned by John Smith before 1661; and it was in the possession of "widow Smith" in 1664 and 1693. John Smith owned it in 1697 and 1702, and died possessed of the estate about 1750. The house was gone before Aug. 28, 1756, when his children, Samuel Smith of Salem, fisherman, widow Mary Trask and widow Elizabeth Remnant, both of Newbury, for eight pounds, conveyed the lot to Clifford Crowninshield of Salem, rope-maker, Aug. 28, 1756.§

William Becket House. This house and lot were owned by John Becket as early as 1671. He died Nov. 26, 1683, at the age of fifty-seven, having devised the house and lot to his wife Margaret for

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 12, leaf 1.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 80, leaf 262.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 128.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 18.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 85, leaf 113.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 123.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 122.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 95.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 12, leaf 37.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 48, leaf 213.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 104, leaf 25.

her life, and then to his son William Becket. William Becket lived here and died possessed of the house and lot Nov. 10, 1723, aged fifty-four. His estate was divided among his children in 1732. The eastern lower room of the dwelling house, the inner cellar, and the western half of the flats, wharf and building yard were assigned to the widow as her dower, and the remainder of the house, barn and land were assigned to his son Retire Becket. In 1735, the dower portion was assigned to the deceased's son John Becket, his mother having died, probably. Mr. Becket evidently purchased the interest of the heirs of Retire Becket, who had died in 1734. John Becket died possessed of the house and lot in 1763, having devised the estate to his wife Susannah Becket. She survived him, and, March 15, 1769, conveyed the western half of the house and that part of the lot and an undivided half of the eastern half of the house and lot to her son John Becket of Salem, shipwright.* Mr. Becket became possessed of the remaining fourth part of the house and lot, and probably conveyed the house and land around it to his son Capt. John Becket of Salem, boat builder, in 177-. Mr. Becket died in 1804, having in his will, devised the estate to his wife Sarah during the minority of his children, and the easterly end of the house for her life. He also provided that his son John Becket should have the house and lot after the interest of his mother ceased, at its value; and in case he refused it, the latter's brother David should have the same privilege. John Becket took the house and lot. He died in 1816; and his heirs conveyed the house and land around it to Stephen Gauss of Salem, cooper, by five deeds, as follows: From John I. Beckett, carpenter, Rebecca C. Beckett and Priscilla T. Beckett, singlewomen, all of Boston, and widow Mary Elizabeth Brown of Andover, ⁴/₂₁, Nov. 1, 1853;† from Samuel Cook, master-mariner, and Elizabeth Becket of

Boston, ²/₃, Nov. 1, 1853;* from William T. Beckett of New York city, ¹/₂₁, Feb. 21, 1854;† from Edward Sampson of Salem, master-mariner, and wife Ellen M., mother and only heir of Miss Ellen Beckett, deceased, by her former husband David Beckett, deceased, ¹/₂₁, Sept. 7, 1854;‡ and from Joseph Beckett of Boston, mariner, ¹/₂₁, Nov. 9, 1854.§ Mr. Gauss died April 15, 1891; and his children, John D. H. Gauss, Mary P., wife of William F. Powars, Martha K. Gauss, all of Salem, and Harry C. Gauss of Oil City, Pa., conveyed the house and land around it to James Roche of Salem May 26, 1891.|| Mr. Roche conveyed the estate to Louis Dembosky of Salem Aug. 22, 1902;¶ and on the same day Mr. Dembosky conveyed it to Wecinty Hajnoski of Salem.** A picture of this ancient house as it now appears is the frontispiece of this number of *The Antiquarian*.

Hannah Sterns Lot. This lot was a part of the estate of John Becket as early as 1671, and he died Nov. 26, 1683. His widow, Margaret Becket, subsequently married Philip Cromwell; and as widow and executrix of Mr. Becket, she conveyed this and the Joseph Mascoll lot, in consideration of love, to her daughter Hannah Sterns, wife of Isaac Sterns of Salem, March 26, 1687.†† The title remained in her and her children until 1721. Mr. Sterns died in 1692.

Joseph Lord Lot. This lot was a portion of the estate of John Becket as early as 1671, and he died Nov. 26, 1683. His widow Margaret subsequently married Philip Cromwell, and as widow and executrix of Mr. Becket she conveyed this and the Hannah Sterns lot, in consideration of love, to her daughter Hannah Sterns, wife of Isaac Sterns of Salem,

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 126, leaf 98.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 487, leaf 160.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 487, leaf 191.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 490, leaf 115.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 503, leaf 130.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 503, leaf 72.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1312, page 395.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1682, page 453.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1682, page 454.

††Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 42.

glazier, March 26, 1687.* Mr. Sterns, in whose name the title stood, conveyed the lot to Joseph Lord of Salem, mariner, March 29, 1687;† and Mr. Lord, who had removed to Boston, for eleven pounds, conveyed it to Thomas Mascoll of Salem, mariner, May 10, 1700.‡

Mary Earthy Lot. Edward Harnet of Salem, tailor, and wife Eunice owned this land as early as 1655, the dwelling house and land constituting his homestead, and conveyed the estate to Thomas Solas of Salem July 20, 1658.§ The consideration of thirteen pounds was payable in English goods at Mr. William Brown's shop. Mr. Solas (also, Salloes and Salloves) died in 1663, possessed of the estate. The house and lot were then appraised at sixty pounds. In the house were mentioned a parlor and hall. The estate descended to the only surviving child, Mary, wife of John Earthy of Salem, mariner; and the house was probably gone before 1700. Mrs. Earthy, (also, Arthey) died before Aug. 4, 1711, when her only surviving children, Mary Earthy and Anne Earthy, singlewomen, for forty-five pounds, conveyed the lot to Benjamin Gerrish of Salem, merchant.||

Jacob Fowle House. Samuel Archard of Salem, carpenter, for sixteen pounds, conveyed to John Becket of Salem, shipwright the dwelling house and three acres of land behind it April 9, 1655.¶ Jeremiah Bootman of Salem, fisherman, owned this house and lot Aug. 13, 1668, when, for fifty-five pounds, he conveyed the same, "being the dwelling house wherein I now live," to Michael Coombes of Salem.** Mr. Coombes owned it as late as 1681; but no conveyance from him has been found. Jacob Fowle of Marblehead, sail-maker, owned the house and lot March 11, 1701, when, for thirty-five pounds, he conveyed the estate to John

Carter of Salem, shoreman.* Mr. Carter became a mariner, and died in 1712, possessed of the house and lot, which were appraised in the inventory of his estate at eighty pounds. Sarah Carter, his widow and administrator, for one hundred and fifteen pounds, conveyed the house, lean-to, and land, where she then dwelt, to Daniel Bray of Salem, mariner, July 14, 1713.† Mr. Bray died possessed of the estate Dec. —, 1717. In his will, he devised the estate to his wife, Hannah Bray, for the period of her widowhood, and then to his children. William Mansfield of Salem, fisherman, and wife Hannah, daughter of the deceased, for thirteen pounds, six shillings and eight pence, conveyed her fourth interest in the house and land, the widow having deceased probably, to her three sisters, Eunice Stevens and Elizabeth Ingersoll, widows, and Priscilla Bray, spinster, all of Salem, Jan. 8, 1757.‡ The three sisters made partition of the house and land around it May 17, 1768, the northerly half of the house and land next the street being assigned to Eunice Stevens and the southerly end to Elizabeth Ingersoll.§ The house stood end to the street, and the front door was on the western side in the middle. Mrs. Stevens removed to Windham, Me., and died before July 14, 1803, when her executor, for five hundred and ten dollars, conveyed her half of the house and land around it to Solomon Lufkin of Salem, housewright.|| Mr. Lufkin, for a similar consideration, conveyed the same estate to Thomas Barker of Windham, Me., yeoman, Sept. 24, 1803.¶ Mr. Barker died before Aug. 8, 1815, when his daughter Polly, wife of Robert Wier (formerly widow of — Smith) of Windham, Me., yeoman, conveyed her interest in the estate to Tyng Smith of Windham, Me., yeoman.¶ Another daughter of Mr. Barker, widow Eu-

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 42.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 273.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 278.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 38.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 23, leaf 190.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 26.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 72.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 14, leaf 103.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 26, leaf 181.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 123, leaf 149.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 125, leaf 65.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 177, leaf 68.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 213, leaf 29.

nice Gallison of Windham, Me., and Tyng Smith, then of Minot, Me., clothier, conveyed this part of the house and land around it to widow Mary Wright of Salem April 14, 1817.*

Mrs. Ingersoll died Aug. 5, 1768, possessed of the southerly half of the house and land about it, having in her will devised her estate to her sons John and Samuel Ingersoll. John Ingersoll apparently died young soon after his mother, and Samuel Ingersoll, who was a mariner, and lived in Salem, conveyed this end of the house and land around it to Edmund Kimball of Salem, mariner, Aug. 31, 1782.† Mr. Kimball was drowned in the West Indies March 28, 1789, at the age of thirty-seven. His son Edmund Kimball of Boston, mariner, conveyed his interest in this part of the house and land to his mother, Eunice Heaney of Boston (she having remarried after the death of Mr. Kimball), widow, Feb. 14, 1793.‡ His son Oliver Kimball of Boston, mariner, conveyed his interest to his mother Jan. 17, 1803.§ Joseph Olain of Boston, mariner, and his wife Abigail, daughter of the deceased Edmund Kimball, conveyed her interest in the estate to her mother Jan. 22, 1803.§ Mrs. Heaney conveyed this half of the house and land around it to John Peirce, jr., of Salem, blacksmith, May 10, 1803.|| Mr. Peirce conveyed the same estate to Mrs. Wright, who subsequently owned the northerly end of the house and land, May 20, 1805.¶ Mrs. Wright died in 1819, having devised her real estate to her sister Sarah, wife of John Barr of Salem, merchant, and Betsey Allen of Salem, singlewoman. The house was probably removed by these devisees immediately.

Mary Webb Lot. This was a part of the lot of John Becket very early. A house stood on this lot in which the widow Hollingworth lived in 1661, 1668 and

1671. Mr. Becket conveyed the lot to his daughter Mary Becket in 1675. She married Daniel Webb of Salem, mariner, in 1675, and owned the lot in 1700, when the house was gone.

Daniel Webb House. That part of this lot lying between the dashes, of eighteen feet in width, belonged to Richard Lambert in 1655, and to Job Hilliard in 1667. Mr. Hilliard, for twelve pounds (seven pounds for the land and five for the barn), conveyed the land and barn thereon to Thomas Maule of Salem, tailor, Aug. 7, 1669.* That part of the lot west of the western dashes also belonged to Mr. Hilliard, and he died possessed of it in 1670. Mary Hilliard, his widow and administratrix, conveyed this strip of five feet in width to Mr. Maule Oct. 20, 1670.† On these two lots, together measuring 71x23 feet, Mr. Maule built a dwelling house, and conveyed the house and land to Samuel Pickworth of Salem, carpenter, being "all y^t his dwelling house newly built," Aug. 14, 1671.‡

That part of the lot lying east of the eastern dashes was six or seven feet in width, and was conveyed by Mr. Becket, who had owned it as a part of his large lot for many years, to Mr. Maule March 3, 1672;§ and Mr. Maule conveyed it to Mr. Pickworth probably soon after.

Mr. Pickworth, for forty-five pounds sterling, conveyed the house and land around it to John Turner of Salem, mariner, Aug. 30, 1673.|| Mr. Turner died in 1680, and Elizabeth Turner, his widow and administratrix, for fifty pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Daniel Webb of Salem, mariner, Jan. 1, 1682-3.¶ Mr. and Mrs. Webb died before 1722; and the estate descended to their children, John, Perez, Mary, Daniel, Elizabeth and Margaret Webb. Perez Webb was of Salem, ship carpenter and seaman, and for

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 214, leaf 19.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 137, leaf 110.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 171, leaf 202.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 171, leaf 201.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 172, leaf 167.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 176, leaf 110.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 71.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 124.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 22.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 99.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 23.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 73.

ten shillings, conveyed his interest in the estate to his brother Daniel Webb of Salem, mariner, April 7, 1722.* Probably the daughters released their interest in this estate to their brother Daniel at about the same time. This estate continued in the Webb name, and the house probably stood until Carlton street was laid out.

John and Mary Marston Lot. This was a part of the land of John Becket of Salem, shipwright. For fifteen pounds, he conveyed this lot to John Robinson of Salem, tailor, July 2, 1675.† Mr. Robinson, for seventeen pounds, conveyed it to Habakuck Turner of Salem, mariner, Aug. 17, 1681.‡ Mr. Turner died in 1685, possessed of this lot, which was then appraised at the price he paid for it. His widow Mary married, secondly, Dea. John Marston of Salem, house carpenter, and to them Mr. Turner's son Robert Turner of Salem conveyed his interest in the premises Aug. 4, 1693.§ Mr. and Mrs. Marston, for twenty-five pounds, conveyed the lot to Benjamin Phippen of Salem, fisherman, Jan. 22, 1717.¶

Samuel Phippen Lot. This was a part of the John Becket land, and he conveyed this lot, for twenty-five pounds and five shillings, to Samuel Phippen of Salem, block maker, Sept. 15, 1675,† and Mr. Phippen died in the winter of 1717-8, possessed of this lot. The lot was appraised in 1718 at thirty-five pounds and in 1733 at fifty pounds.

John Becket Lot. This lot was a part of the land of John Becket; and he died in 1683, possessed of it. In his will he devised this lot to his son John Becket of Salem, shipwright, who, for fifty pounds, conveyed it to John Starnes of Salem, tailor, Aug. 2, 1716.¶

Sarah Bartoll Lot. This was a part of the John Becket lot, of which he died possessed in 1683. In his will he devised

this lot to his daughter Sarah, wife of Robert Bartoll of Marblehead. She owned it until after 1700.

Mary Webb Lot. This was a part of the lot of John Becket who died in 1683, having devised this portion to his daughter Mary, wife of Daniel Webb of Salem. She owned it in 1700.

Estate of Job Hilliard House. This lot was probably a part of the land of Richard Lambert in 1655. In 1667, it belonged to Job Hilliard of Salem, mariner. He lived in Salem as early as 1653, and died in March, 1669-70, without a will. There was then a house upon the land, and the estate was appraised at seventy pounds. The house was almost worthless when Mr. Hilliard's surviving children, Job Hilliard of Charlestown, mariner, widow Sarah Connaway of Boston, John Hooper of Marblehead, fisherman, and wife Abigail, for twenty-four pounds, conveyed the lot and housing to Peter Henderson, sr., of Salem, mariner, May 9, 1701.* Mrs. Hilliard, the widow, married, secondly, William West, and probably lived here until her death. The house disappeared soon after the purchase by Mr. Henderson.

Samuel and Eunice Browne House. This lot belonged to Joseph Grafton of Salem, mariner, in 1664. It was principally salt marsh. A house was built upon it after 1661. Mr. Grafton, in consideration of love, conveyed the estate to his son Nathaniel Grafton of Salem, mariner, Sept. 23, 1667.† Nathaniel Grafton died at the Barbadoes Feb. 11, 1670; and his widow (?) Elizabeth married Thomas Skinner of Boston, baker, before May 1, 1679, when she and Mr. Skinner, for one hundred and forty pounds, conveyed the house and land to John Turner of Salem, merchant.‡ Mr. Turner died the next year, possessed of the house and lot, which were then appraised at one hundred and forty pounds. The estate passed to his son John Turner of Salem, who died in

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 84, leaf 20.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 136.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 33, leaf 73.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 10, leaf 169.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 33, leaf 74.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 30, leaf 122.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 14, leaf 127.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 22.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 32.

1692, when the house and lot were again inventoried at the same value. A deed is on record, in which Dr. William Hewes of Boston and wife Elizabeth, and Thomas Jackson of Boston, merchant, and wife Priscilla, the only surviving children of Nathaniel Grafton, for fifty pounds, release the estate to John Turner of Salem, merchant, June 25, 1695.* In the division of the estate of Mr. Turner, made March 22, 1696-7, this house and land were assigned to Samuel Browne of Salem, merchant, for his wife Eunice, daughter of the deceased; and on the same day the administrator of the estate, and grantee under deed last above mentioned, gave a deed of the same to Mr. and Mrs. Browne.* The house was standing in 1702, and probably some years later, it remaining in the Browne family as long as it stood.

Samuel Browne Lot. This was a part of the lot of Henry Harrod, who died in February, 1663-4, leaving a nuncupative will, in which he devised his land to his kinswoman Jane, wife of Richard Flinder of Salem, mariner. Mr. Flinder, for ten pounds, conveyed this lot of upland and marsh to Mr. Samuel Browne of Salem, merchant, April 8, 1697.† Mr. Flinder's son John Flinder released the land to Mr. Browne Nov. 2, 1698.‡ Mr. Browne owned it several years.

Richard Flinder House. This lot was a part of the estate of Henry Harrod, who died in February, 1663-4, leaving a nuncupative will, in which he devised his real estate to his kinswoman, § Jane, wife of Richard Flinder. Mr. and Mrs. Flinder lived here. She probably died before 1700; and he married, secondly, Mary —, who survived him. In his will Mr. Flinder devised his estate to his wife Mary and his daughter Mary, the latter being young. He died in the autumn of 1707. The inventory of his estate describes the property as follows: "a dwelling house and small barn and about an

acre and three quarters of and: part of it orchyard." The estate was then appraised at one hundred and thirty pounds. The house was built before 1661. Daniel Webb, mariner, and John Becket and William Becket, shipwrights, all of Salem, testified, Feb. 5, 1712-3, "that being next or nigh neighbours vnto Richard Flinder late of Salem Deceased that to their certaine knowledg y^e aforesaid Richard flinder in his life time & his wife and daughter Since his death haue peaceably enjoyed y^e homestead which he dyed possest off for vpwards of Thirty yeares last past which homestead confists of a dwelling house & about Two acres of land being An Orchard & garden fenc't in, & is Situate in y^e Towne, ship of Salem aforesaid and is now bounded in manner following Southeasterly with y^e Harbour or Salt Water and westerly with y^e land of Col^o Samuel Browne Esq^r which he had in right of his wife m^{rs} Eunice Turner Deceas't Northerly with y^e land of Daniel Webb & Easterly partly with y^e land of Abraham Purchase," etc.* Mary Flinder, the daughter, married Dr. Sabastian Hendrick Schwietzer of Salem before April 12, 1716, when they mortgaged the house and land.† Mrs. Schwietzer died before April 21, 1718, when administration was granted upon her estate. The administrators of her estate for seventy-five pounds, conveyed the house and lot with the orchard, to Abraham Purchase of Salem, anchor-smith, Sept. 29, 1719.‡ Mr. Purchase died possessed of the house and lot before Aug. 9, 1724, when administration was granted upon his estate. The house was gone before 1735, when the estate was divided.

Abraham Purchase House and Estate of Edmond Bridges Lot. This house and lot belonged to Henry Harrod very early. He died in February, 1663-4, possessed of the estate. His widow and administratrix, Elizabeth Harrod, and the selectmen of Salem, by order of court, for her

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 227.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 235.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 140.

§She was probably his wife's niece.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 25, leaf 102.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 27, leaf 269.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 36, leaf 174.

use, conveyed the house and this and the Estate of Edmund Bridges lot to Jeremiah Butman of Salem, fisherman, Nov. 1, 1669.* Mr. Butman (or Bootman) apparently conveyed the house and upper end of this lot to John Beckett in or before 1673; and the balance of the lot to Philip Cromwell of Salem, butcher, July 11, 1673.† Mr. Cromwell conveyed the land he had thus procured to Edmond Bridges of Salem, blacksmith, Sept. 21, 1680.‡ Mr. Bridges gave by deed to his eldest son Edmond Bridges, in consideration of the latter's marriage with Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Croade, the northern half of this lot (said half being shown on the map as the Estate of Edmond Bridges lot), and also for a highway to the water side and grantor's wharf, the grantor agreeing to build the grantee a dwelling house upon said land, with a leanto and cellar, of the same dimensions as grantor's, also a blacksmith's shop for his trade and supplied with tools and materials, April 2, 1681.§ Both son and father died the next year before the buildings that were promised had been constructed. This part of the lot was then appraised at twenty-five pounds. The county court settled this lot upon Elizabeth Bridges, widow of the son Edmond Bridges. She married, secondly, — Gillman of Exeter, N. H., and, for ten pounds, conveyed the lot to John Beckett, jr., of Salem, shipwright, March 10, 1714-5.|| The remainder of the lot (being the Abraham Purchase lot) was conveyed by Edmond Bridges, sr., with the dwelling house, shop and wharf he had built thereon immediately after his purchase of the lot in 1680, for one hundred and sixty pounds, to widow Elizabeth Turner of Salem, April 12, 1682.¶ The title passed to John Turner of Salem, merchant, before Oct. 28, 1699, when, for one hundred and seven pounds, he conveyed the land and

house, shop and wharf to William Beckett of Salem, shipwright.* Mr. Beckett conveyed the same estate to Abraham Purchase of Salem, blacksmith, Nov. 1, 1699.† Mr. Purchase died before Aug. 9, 1724, when administration was granted upon his estate. The estate was divided in 1735; and the "old house," barn and wharf and southerly half of the land were assigned to Ruth Purchase, the widow of the deceased, as her dower. She was living in 1748, and the house was gone before 1763.

WILL OF JOHN SMITH.

The will of John Smith of Rowley was proved in the Ipswich court Nov. 14, 1661. The following copy is taken from the original instrument on file in the probate office at Salem.

This will was made and ffigned the 13 of July 1661

I John fsmith weake in body but of perfit understanding at this present blessed be god doe make and apoynt this my last will and testament as ||in|| forme followeth|| my debts being paid‡|| Item for my outward estate I thus deuide it the one halfe to my wife & the other halfe to my child farah fsmith I will alsoe that my wife have my hole estate till she ||my child ||come to one and twenty yeres ould or day of her marriage, and my wife fshall inioy the other halfe during her naturall life, and ||at|| my wife defese I giue my hole estate in land to my daughter fsmith at my wife defese with my house & barne and out houses & fences to be kept in fufitient repaire, excepting tow acres of land I bought of John Tod and 3 acres of medow beyond the ox pastor and 5 acres of medow at the farme liing betwene elder Raners medow & m^r Crosbys and 2 cowes gates of the common, which I giue to my wife to despoise of for euer as she fays goods and if my wife fhod be with child if a daughter all there to be alike during ther naturall life and after my wife defese my daughter to diuide w^t ef-

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 75.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 18.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 29.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 52.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 31, leaf 2.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 49.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 15, leaf 15.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 15, leaf 16.

‡These four words are written in the margin.

tate in land *onely* 3 acres of medow and 2 acres of arable land aboue mentioned & 2 cow gates, prouided it be *afer* then I giue him my lands after my wife defese and he is to enter of 2 parts of it one & twenty and my wife and daughter is to deuide my estate in goods betwene them and my wife is to haue her thirds during her naturall life and then the hole goes to my son, excepting these perticulers aboue mentioned which I gaue to my wife for euer, I make my wife hole excecutor.

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IPSWICH COURT RECORDS AND FILES.

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Court, March 30, 1652.

Jury for trials: Mr. Willm Bartholmew, Lt. Samuell Apleton, Thomas Harte, Isake Commins, Daniell Houye, John Leighton, Thomas Millard, William Steeuens, William Stickny, Tho: Leaver, Abell Langly and Will: Law. In Mr. Wade's case: Ipswich men left out, these taken in: Nicolas Holt, Nathan Parker, John Stevens, Tho: Abott, John Chenye and John Knight.

Joseph Armentage v. Mr. Increase Nowell, executor or administrator to William Buttlar. Debt, for not finishing the frame of a house. The court of Boston had ordered an inventory.

Richard Lambert acknowledged judgment to John Geddyn by his attorney, Richard Graves.

Anthony Somersby, attorney to Mr. John Spencer v. Thomas Coleman. [Richard Knight deposed that Thomas Coleman acknowledged that he owed Mr. Spencer twelve pounds, and Mr. Spencer made a bargain with Thomas Coleman to fence the orchard, etc.; and that Thomas Hale and the affiant viewed the fence; sworn March 30, 1652, in Ipswich court. Anthony Somerby deposed that when Mr. Spencer and myself were with Goodman Colman, talking security for the twenty pounds in controversy, the latter and

Goodman Peirce, etc.; sworn in Ipswich court March 30, 1652. Henry Somerby deposed that when Daniel Peirce agreed with Thomas Coleman to have the farm of Mr. Spencer, the affiant was present, etc.; sworn 31: 1: 1652, before Increase Nowell.

Henry Short v. Edmond Greenlief. Case.

Henry Short v. John Bishop. For spoiling his meadow by damming up the water at the mill.

Jonathan Wade v. Town of Ipswich. For interrupting him about a saw mill.

Mr. Symon Broadstreet v. Lt. Will: Howord. For worrying of hogs.

William Howord, attorney to Mr. Rich: Leadar v. Georg Halsall.

William Howerd, attorney of Mr. Richard Leader v. George Halsall, Robert Nash and Thomas Hawkins. Two cases.

Capt. William Hathorne v. Francis Johnson. For molesting my servant John Hudson.

Nicolas Holt and Edward Falkenour, on behalf of the town of Andover v. Joseph Armentage. For not building and finishing a mill.

Jereymiah Belchar v. Philip Manening.

Thomas Skelling v. William Browne and his wife Mary. Slander.

Robert Lord v. Richard Moore. For withholding seven hats, etc. [James Chute of Ipswich deposed that Goodwife Hermitage chose him to appraise seven hats which the constable of Linn had taken on execution and he and Joseph Gardner appraised them. She found fault with the appraisal, and Goodman Lord spoke to her. Sworn in Ipswich court March 30, 1652. Richard More (Mower—signature) of Linn appointed Joseph Armitage his attorney in his action with Robert Lord of Ipswich concerning Mr. Gifard's bill, 29: 1: 1652. Wit: Rich: Haven and Edward Hall.—*Files*.]

Robert Starkweather v. Daniel Ringe. For driving away his cattle.

Mr. William Payne v. goods late of Oads Edwards now in the hands of Robert Lord.

Joseph Armentage acknowledged judgment to Mr. William Norton.

Abraham Whitacker for stealing six bushels of Indian corn from Thomas Abbot and also the same quantity from Robert Swan. If Whitacker does not pay them for the corn by April 8, he is to be whipped at Ipswich and Rowley.

Tho : Clarke and Edward Chapman of Ipswich, Charles Browne of Rowley and Tho : Poore of Andover made free.

Edmond Falkner allowed to be clerk of the writs for Andover, and also licensed to sell wine and strong waters.

Symon Tompson sworn constable for Ipswich.

Mr. Henry Sewall, presented for battery, bound to good behavior.

Samuell Ingalls fined for taking tobacco in Mr. Baker's yard.

Mr. William Sknelling fined for cursing. [Tho : Milward and Wm. Thomas certified that they heard Mr. Wm. Snelling say in merry discourse : "Ill pledge my freinds for my foes a plauge for their heeles & a pox for my toes ;" and that he declared it to be a proverb of the West country. "We do not believe he intended otherwise. He acknowledged his weakness in saying it." Signature : Guilielmus Snelling.—*Files.*]

Richard Graues testified that he served the attachment on goods of Richard Moore and read it to his wife in her house where she dwells ; and she said her husband knew the cause and would answer.

Administration on the goods of Oads Edwards, late of the Ile of Sholes, granted to Mr. William Payne.

Frances Bates disclaimed all interest in the daughter of Thomas Moulton. Charges of the court to be determined by William Bartholmew, Sacheaus Goold and Joseph Medcalfe.

Certificate of Henry Bartholmew, Edward Browne, William Steuens, Frances Parret, Tho : Hall, John Frye, John Fiske and Ludd Mansfield, commissioners of the several towns of Essex, met at Salem March 31, 1652, that Maj ; Daniell Denison and Capt : Willm Hathorne were

chosen for the county court of Essex for the year ensuing.

John Tod of Rowley, being chosen by the town, is allowed to keep an ordinary at Rowley.

Richard Brabrooke to be whipped for fornication, and the woman Alice Eliss is freed from her service, and said Brabrooke is to bring up the child and to provide for her till she be recovered from her travail, and after her travail to be whipt when Mr. Symonds and Mr. Denison shall appoint.

Elizabeth Randall, presented for evil language, is discharged, no witness appearing. John Emery testified that Goodwife Bloomfield and Goodwife Siluer were sumoned.

John Cooly, being unable to provide a watchman, and not being fit himself, is discharged from watching.

Robert Collings is discharged, no witness appearing.

Mr. William Bartholmew assigned Robert Fletcher over to Robert Starkwether for his time.

Robert Lord, clerk of the court, appointed to make out executions in civil and criminal cases.

Court, 28 : 7 : 1652.

Grand jury : George Giddens, Mr. Jo : Apleton, Jo : Perkins, sr., Will : Adams, sr., Tho : Tredwell, Tho : ffrench, Math Boyce, Willm Asye, Will : Law, Dan : Thurston, Dan : Pearce, Archel : Woodman and Nicolas Holt.

Mr. Ezekell Cheuer of Ipswich made free.

Rich : Kemball v. Rich : Shatswell. For re-entering upon his farm.

Rich : Shatswell v. Rich Kimball. [Writ : Richard Shatswell v. Richard Kimball, sr., and Richard Kimball, jr. ; dated 23 : 7 : 1652 ; by the court, John Whipple ; served by Theophilus Wilson, constable.—*Files.*]

George Palmer v. Robert Starkweather. For not carrying hogshead staves. [Rich : Smith, Robert Flecher and Sarah Barnes deposed that George Palmer made some

of the staves after Indian harvest, which said Smith's master carried to Ipswich, and Smith lodged at said Palmer's house while he was making them.

Writ: Georg Pamer v. Robert Starkweather; dated 21: 7: 1652. About hogshead staves. Attached a bay horse. Signed by the court, John Whipple; and addressed to the marshall of Ipswich, R. Lord, who served it.—*Files.*]

Mr. Jonathan Wade v. Mr. Robert Payne and Mr. Willm Payne. Parties agreed that Capt. William Hathorne and Mr. Henry Bartholmew audit their accounts. [Bond of William Paine and Samuel Appleton to Robert Lord of Ipswich, marshall, for appearance of Mr. William Payne at next court at Ipswich. Writ on file, dated 20: 7: 1652; addressed to marshall; signed by John Whipple for the court; and served by Robert Lord, marshall.

"The testimonie of vs Inhabitants now of Newburie whose names are here vnder written, who about thirteen years past cast ouer in a ship called the Jonathan of london with Thomas Blanchard now of Charlestown, at which his wife dyed in the ship hee was conceived to be very poore and in greate neceffity by reason of his wiues and his childrens Sickneffe, that the paffengers made a gathering for him in the shippe to helpe to put his child to nurse his wiues mother also being ficke all the while wee were at Sea and wee know no other man that looked to her but Thomas Blanchard, but there was a made which was her niece tended her

"ffurther I Anthony Somerby testified that about the time the ship came to Anchor in Boston Harbor the woman his mother in law dyed, And Thomas Blanchard procured to cary her to shore to be buried. I knew no other man that was about it for her.

"ffurther Nicholas ||noyes|| testifies that old Goody Bent came up from Andevor to london in a waggon with the carriers. And Thomas Blanchard tooke care of her and her goods ffrom Andevor to the ship and she was with Thomas Blanch-

ards family about a month at london, and that there was a gathering among chriftians in england to help him ouer

"Nicholas Noyes.

Anthony Somerby

"Taken vpon oath in the court held at Ipfwich the 28th of (7) 1652."

—*Files.*]

Thomas Wheelar v. John Powline. Slander. The defendant acknowledged at Lynn that he had done him wrong in saying that his mother and he could have hanged the plaintiff for taking up a horse.

ffrances Johnson v. Capt. Willm Hathorne. For replevin of John Hudson, being under attachment of said Johnson. Defendant ordered to bring Hudson in to the next court at Salem, etc.

Mr. Will Perkins v. John Holgrave. Slander.

Robert Dutch v. Peeter Pittford. For pork and lines.

Tho: Rolandson, sr., v. Willm Whittred. For withholding rent. [Henry Kimball deposed that Goodman Rolandson told him that the rent of the house that Goodman Whitterege lived in he was willing should be laid out to repair the house after Goodman Rolandson sued his tenant for the rent before Mr. Simons, and they agreed that Goodman Whitterege was to repair the house as much as was needful for warmth as two men should judge, etc. Ric Kimball testified that the parties chose Ensign Howlet and Ge Kimball to judge of the repairs. These affiants were sworn in Ipswich court 28: 7: 1652. Writ: Thomas Rowlandson, sr. v. William Whittred, dated 15: 7: 1652; signed by the court, John Whipple; and served by Robert Lord, marshall. Bond of William Whittred and Richard Kemball, sr., to the Ipswich marshall, in this case.—*Files.*]

John Holgrave v. Mr. Willm Perkins. Defamation.

Mr. John Ward v. John Aniball. [Writ: Mr. John Ward v. John Anable; dated 20: 7: 1652; signed by the court, John Whipple; served by Robert Lord, mar-

shall, who attached the house and ground of the defendant.—*Files.*]

[Wm. Hathorne testified that the twelve pounds Rich: Hollingwood was to pay to Is: Hutson, etc.—*Files.*]

Rich: Kent v. William Moody. For cutting down his wood and timber on the ten acres of land granted to him by the town.

Richard Kent v. William Moody. For making use of the ten acres of land granted him by the town on the west side of Merrimack Ridge.

[Writ: Richard Kent, jr. v. William Moodie of Newbury; dated Sept. 1, 1653 (2?); signed per curiam, Anthony Somerby; for use of the ten acres of land on the ridge. Richard Kent, jr., acknowledged before Wm. Gerrish, Edward Woodman and Nicholas Noys, commissioners, that he broke the lock, etc., of the bars that stood in the way. John Knight testified that he heard Goodman Moudie say that when he was cutting out the timber Goodman Kent came and asked him why he cut the timber; and he told Kent that he should have the wood and his labor upon it too. Richard Browne testified concerning the land in question between our neighbors Kent and Moody; our neighbor Kent gave up his land on the same terms as the others; much of the town book was lost long ago, etc.; Sworn in Ipswich court 28: 7: 1652. Richard Knight and Edward Woodman testified that they were employed or appointed by the town, with, we think, Henry Short, to lay out for Richard Kent fourteen acres of land in the neck over the little river to satisfy him for ten acres on the west side of the Ridge, which was done; sworn in Ipswich court 28: 7: 1652. Henry Short and John Emery also deposed on the same day. John Cheney testified, on the same day, that certain lots were resigned up to the town for lands elsewhere, among them was the land in controversy. Copy of town record, by Anthony Somerby, recorder for Newbury; showing the grant to Richard Kent, jr., of this land and also of sixty-

four acres of meadow and marsh, and the rest of the upland and marsh on the island over the little river being 170 acres formerly granted to particular persons, and he purchased forty-two acres of some of these persons elsewhere, then bought the rest by exchange and granted it to said Kent; two hundred and fifty acres in all on the island, bounded south and southwest with the great river, north with a creek issuing out of ye great river, east on the little river, and west on a creek issuing out of little river, and meeting the other creek, making an island. Another copy of Newbury record, Feb. 7, 1646, signed by Edward Rawson, recorder, about said Kent's grants and exchanges of land. Charges paid to committee: Richard Knight, Hen Short, Rich Brown, John Knight, Sam Moody, John Chainy and John Emerie. William Mowdies bill of charge. Copy of assignment of land of Ro Woodbridge, Wm. Moody, Hen Rolfe, Sa Muscwhite, Francis Plumer, Jo Pike, sr., Frances Browne, Tho Parker, James Noyes, Tho Browne, Edw: Woodman, John Knight, Edmond Grenlefe, and Edw Rawson from the left hand of Merrimack Ridge. Another copy of Newbury record: John Knight resigned to the town twenty acres of upland over the little river which was Nathaniel Wyer's joining to William Stevens' land, and the town granted to him five acres of upland in the field of exchange beyond the new town.—*Files.*]

Mr. William Payne v. Robert Nash. For 3000 pipestaves.

Mr. William Payne v. Robert Tucke.

Mr. Cobbit, summoned by Mr. Samuel Symonds, did not appear.

Joseph Armentage, having attached Thomas Wheeler, allowed costs.

Court allowed John Coggsell for the putting over of Nathaniel Domon, his apprentice, unto Symon Thomson; also, allowed assignment by John Coggsell of his maid servant Ann Winthurst unto Cornelious Waldo.

William Sergent appointed administrator of the estate of Thomas Wathing, de-

ceased. Surety: John Holgrave. [Zeblon Hill, formerly living in Bristall, in Ould England, being here, deposed that Thomas Wathing, son to Edman Wathin, is cousin to William Seargent, said William being his father's sister's son; and that Thomas Wathing went with Robert Gray in Captain Wal's service; sworn before William Stevens, Robert Tucke and Robert Elwell, commissioners of Gloucester, 27: 7: 1652. Debora Joy, aged 25 years, wife of Walter Joy, deposed that Thomas Warren (?), who died with Prince Rupert, was cousin ierman to William Sergent of Glocester and that there is none near of kin in this country, and I being alike related do desire William Sergent to be the administrator of the estate. Sworn to before Increase Nowell 17: 7: 1652.—*Files.*]

Hester Rofe appointed administratrix of the estate of her husband Ezra Rofe, deceased. She presented an inventory, which amounted to £73, 5s. There were two children; the eldest son to have his share at the age of twenty-one. The house and land were bound to its payment, etc.

Mathy Boyce released from ordinary training, paying five shillings yearly to the company.

Thomas Rofe discharged from watching in regard of his age and poverty.

Mr. Robert Payne, Mr. William Bartholmew and Jerimy Bellchar allowed to sell strong waters.

Town of Andover, presented for want of a pound, to make a sufficient pound in eight weeks or pay a fine of five pouds. [Witness: Edmond Fouckner.—*Files.*]

John Broadstreet, presented for having familiarity with the devil, to be fined and whipped for telling a lie. Surety; Edw: Coborne. [Constable of Rowley to warn John Broadstreet to answer his presentment for suspicion of having familiarity with the devil. Witnesses: Francis Parret and his wife of Rowley and William Bartholomew of Ipswich. The grand jurymen for Rowley were Mathew Booyes, William Aasa, Richard Swane and William

Law. John Pickard, the constable, returned that he could not find John Broadstreet. John Broadstreet said that he wrote in a book of magic, and that he heard a voice asking him what work he had for him. He answered, "goe make a *brmg* and our heaven and goe to god and come downe noe more."—*Files.*]

Henry Archer and John Baker cleared of their presentments for suspicion of not putting six bushels of malt into each hogshead [of beer, at three pence per quart, according to order. Witnesses against Archer: John Emerie of Newbury and Daniell Broadley; for Archer: Robert Smith and himself; and against Baker: Thomas Scot and Edmond Bridges.—*Files.*]

[Inventory of goods of John Crose of Ipswich, deceased, taken Dec. 10, 1650. Amount, £382, 5s., 2d.

Declaration of Nicholas Noyes and John Pike for Newbury, in Newbury v. Jo: Davis, about some corn distrained for rates due from Mr. Clark's farm in the possession of Jo: Davis, etc.

Writ: Mr. William Paine v. Thomas Manning; debt; dated 20: 7: 1652; Robert Lord, marshall, attached house and land of defendant.

Writ: Mr. William Payne v. Daniell Clarke; for forfeiture of a farm sold to him by said Payne for non-payment; dated Sept. 20, 1652; attached the farm of the defendant.

Writ: William Paine v. Daniell Clarke; dated 20: 7: 1652; for shop account; attached corn and hay.

Writ: Mr. William Payne v. John Wiles; dated 20: 7: 1652; for shop account; attached house and land.

All of the above writs were addressed to the marshall of Ipswich, and signed by the court, John Whipple.

Writ: Mr. George Emery v. Joseph Meadcalfe; for "two Jornies to his house and setting his sonns legg;" dated 20: 7: 1652.

Writ: Mr. William Payne v. William Picker; dated 22: 7: 1652; by the court, John Whipple; for debt.

Writ : Humphry Griffin v. Jerime Belcher ; for debt ; dated 23 : 7 : 1653 (2 ?) ; by the court, John Whipple ; attached his orchard.

Timothy *Cooper* and *Artara Co*— to appear at court.

John Powlinge and Tomas Line. 27 : 7 : 165-.

Writ : Mr. William Payne v. Benjamin Gillam ; dated 23 : 7 : 1652 ; attached his goods in the hands of Mr. William Jayne.

Writ : Henry Archer v. Samuell Tayler ; debt ; dated 23 : 7 : 1652 ; attached a cow of Sam : Taylor in the hands of Henry Kingsbery.

Writ : Edward Haradine v. Humphrey Griffin ; dated 23 : 7 : 1652 ; debt ; attached his ground and garden.

All of the above writs were addressed to the marshall of Ipswich, and served by Robert Lord, marshall ; signed by the court, John Whipple.

Joseph Foulmer of Ipswich presented for provoking and slanderous speeches to the constable of Ipswich, in the collection of rates. Mentions Goodman Noulton, Master Browne, etc. Witnesses : Theophilous Wilson and Robert Lord, jr., of Ipswich.

Joseph Foulmer presented for suspicion of wearing gold and silver lace. Witnesses : William Goodhue and Daniel Bradley.

—*Files.*]

Mary Bidgood, presented for living apart from her husband, to go to him, but the time being short, the ship is to go and in regard to the danger of the seas they do not think fit to send her away until the first opportunity after this winter and then she is to go with the first. [Mistress Bidgood presented for living apart from her husband. Witnesses : Thomas Scot and James Hoow of Ipswich. Signed by Matthew Boyes, for the grand jury.—*Files.*]

Georg Palmer testified that Goodwife Archer said they had put up 2*d.* and 3*d.* beer together and sold it for 3*d.*

Court interprets words of John Crose his will about paying debts between mother and daughter equally.

Allowed 5*s.* to the house and 2*s.* to the houses where Mr. Brodstreet and Capt. Hathorne lodged.

[Deposition of Jane Johnson : "Saith y^t : coming ou^r in the ship with Henry Phelps & Hannah the now wife of Nich : Phelps : Henry Phelps going a share the ship lying at the Downes : Hannah wept till shee made ||her|| felue sick becaufe m^r ffackner would not suffer her to goe ashore with Henry Phelps : & Henry came aboard late in the night, the next morning m^r ffalckner Chid Henry Phelps & Hannah & said was it not enough for y^w to let Hannah lay her head in y^r lapp but must shee ly in y^e Cabbin to & called Hannah Strumpet & this deponent faith farther y^t she saw Henry Phelps ly in his Cabbin & Hannah Baskel the now wife of Nich Phelps came & lay down her head by him & pull her head up again often as he lay in his Cabbin : & when he was smocking in the Cook roome tobacco Hannah tooke the pip out of his mouth," etc., etc.—*Files.*]

To be continued.

NOTES.

[Boston,] MONDAY, *June 12.*

"By Capt. Hall, who arrived last Friday . . .

"In Capt. Hall came passengers, . . . Rev. William Clarke, Son of the late Rev. Peter Clarke of Danvers, with Episcopal Ordination for the Church at Dedham."

"*S A L E M*, *June 13.*

"Last Friday, Capt. *Joseph Lee*, of this Town, was married to Miss *Elizabeth Cabot*, Daughter of Mr. *Joseph Cabot*, deceased, late an eminent Merchant of this Place.

"Yesterday his Excellency Governor Wentworth, of New-Hampshire, came to Town from Portsmouth, accompanied by several Gentlemen of Distinction."

John Appleton advertised "spermaceti" candles for sale as well as calicoes and "patches."

A healthy negro girl about eighteen years old, fit for town or country service,

is advertised for sale; also a negro man, about sixty-seven, and a negro woman, about fifty-seven years of age, are advertised to be boarded out. Enquire of the printer of this paper for price, etc.

—*Essex Gazette*, June 6-13, 1769.

BOWDEN GENEALOGY.

The name of BOWDEN is spelled in the early Essex county records in several other ways, as *Boden*, *Bodouin* and *Bowdoin*. The last-mentioned spelling is probably the correct one.

JOHN BOWDEN¹, lived in Marblehead, 1723-1743, having come from Dartmouth. He was a shoreman; and married, first, Joanna Colman of Dartmouth Feb. 18, 1721. He married, second, widow Sarah Oakman June 1, 1732. He died in 1743, being "aged." His will, dated Nov. 4, 1737, was proved March 29, 1743. His wife Sarah survived him.

Children:—

- 2—I. BENJAMIN². *See below* (2).
- 3—II. SAMUEL². *See below* (3).
- 4—III. JONATHAN². *See below* (4).
- 5—IV. MARY², probably m. Samuel Merritt July 22, 1733; living in 1737.
- 6—V. ABIJAH². *See below* (6).
- 7—VI. SIMPSON². *See below* (7).
- 8—VII. HANNAH², living in 1737.
- 9—VIII. REBECCA², living in 1737.
- 10—IX. SUSANNA², bapt. Sept. 15, 1723, in Marblehead; living in 1737.

2

BENJAMIN BOWDEN², shoreman, lived in Marblehead. He married, first, Grace Forster Dec. 3, 1729, and she was his wife in 1744. He married, second, Miss Christian Bartol of Marblehead Jan. 17, 1745. He died the next year, and his wife Christian survived him. She probably married, secondly, Stephen Vickrey Sept. 24, 1754.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 11—I. JOHN³, bapt. May 3, 1730. *See below* (11).
- 12—II. MARY³, bapt. Oct. 29, 1732; probably m. Peter Daley of Marblehead, at Salem, Aug. 26, 1753.
- 13—III. SARAH³, bapt. Oct. 20, 1734; probably m. Thomas Dolliber, jr., Aug. 7, 1759.

- 14—IV. GRACE³, bapt. Dec. 14, 1740; m. John Spinny Jan. 5, 1764; and d., his widow, in Marblehead April 5 (6—*private record*), 1812, aged seventy-one.
- 15—V. SAMUEL³, bapt. Nov. 7, 1742. *See below* (15).
- 16—VI. TABITHA³, bapt. Nov. 18, 1744; probably m. Amos Hubbard Dec. 29, 1767.
- 17—VII. BENJAMIN³, bapt. July 24, 1746.

3

SAMUEL BOWDEN², lived in Marblehead, being a fisherman. He married Deborah Palmer June 3, 1729; and died before March 6, 1770, when administration was granted upon his estate. His wife Deborah survived him. His estate was appraised at £151, 12s., 8d.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 18—I. SAMUEL³, b. April 9, 1732. d. young.
- 19—II. ABRAHAM³, bapt. Jan. 20, 1734; d. young.
- 20—III. ABRAHAM³, bapt. Aug. 1, 1736.
- 21—IV. SAMUEL³, bapt. Aug. 6, 1738. *See below* (21).
- 22—V. DEBORAH³, bapt. July 27, 1740; probably m. John Dolliber Jan. 19, 1762.
- 23—VI. ELIZABETH³, bapt. Aug. 19, 1744; d. young.
- 24—VII. ELIZABETH³, bapt. Aug. 18, 1745; probably m. Francis Bowden Feb. 28, 1768.
- 25—VIII. JOHN PALMER³, bapt. Aug. 9, 1747.
- 26—IX. ALICE³, bapt. Aug. 12, 1750.

4

JONATHAN BOWDEN², lived in Marblehead; and married Eleanor Majory Jan. 29, 1730. They were living in Marblehead in 1747.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 27—I. ABIJAH³, bapt. Dec. 20, 1730.
- 28—II. SIMPSON³, bapt. Oct. 1, 1732; m. Abigail Efford Nov. 2, 1758; and she was his wife in 1771; lived in Marblehead, shoreman.
- 29—III. JOHN³, bapt. May 11, 1735. *See below* (29).
- 30—IV. EDMUND³, bapt. Aug. 7, 1737. *See below* (30).
- 31—V. HITCHINS³, bapt. May 4, 1740. *See below* (31).
- 32—VI. AMBROSE³, bapt. March 20, 1743.

33—VII. JONATHAN³, bapt. July 21, 1745; probably m. Hannah Lancaster of Lynn, in Lynn, May 24, 1768; fisherman; lived in Marblehead; and d. before March 2, 1772, when administration upon his estate was granted to widow Hannah Boden of Marblehead.

34—VIII. JOANNA³, bapt. Sept. 20, 1747.

6

ABIJAH BOWDEN², lived in Marblehead. He married Miss Mary Tucker of Marblehead Jan. 8, 1734. She was his widow in 1750.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 35—I. HANNAH³, bapt. May 11, 1735; probably m. Samuel Horton Dec. 29, 1757.
 36—II. ABIJAH³, bapt. Sept. 26, 1736. *See below (36).*
 37—III. ANDREW³, bapt. Sept. 10, 1738.
 38—IV. MARY³, bapt. July 27, 1740; d. young.
 39—V. BENJAMIN³, bapt. June 20, 1742.
 40—VI. MARY³, bapt. Aug. 26, 1744.

7

SIMPSON BOWDEN², a shoreman, lived in Marblehead. He married, first, Mary, widow of Thomas Kelley of Marblehead, June 20, 1737. He married, second, Mary Chubb Feb. 13, 1755; and they were living in Marblehead in 1774.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 41—I. JOANNA³, bapt. March 26, 1738.
 42—II. SIMPSON³, bapt. Oct. 26, 1740.
 43—III. MARY³, bapt. Oct. 9, 1757.
 44—IV. ELEANOR³, bapt. Aug. 30, 1761; d. young.
 45—V. MARY³, bapt. Sept. 4, 1763.
 46—VI. SIMPSON³, bapt. Sept. 22, 1765; d. young.
 47—VII. ELEANOR³, bapt. Sept. 25, 1768.
 48—VIII. NATHANIEL CHUBB³, bapt. May 26, 1771.
 49—IX. SIMPSON³, bapt. Feb. 20, 1774.

II

JOHN BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead May 3, 1730. He lived in Marblehead; and married Mary Dodd March 13, 1755.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 50—I. MARY⁴, bapt. April 11, 1756.
 51—II. SARAH⁴, bapt. Aug. 13, 1758.
 52—III. FRANCIS⁴, bapt. Aug. 10, 1760.
 53—IV. JOHN⁴, bapt. April 25, 1762. *See below (53).*

54—V. GRACE⁴, bapt. July 29, 1764.

55—VI. BENJAMIN⁴, bapt. Nov. 2, 1766.

56—VII. SAMUEL⁴, bapt. Nov. 27, 1768.

57—VIII. ELIZABETH⁴, bapt. May 12, 1771.

58—IX. TABITHA⁴, bapt. Oct. 24, 1773.

59—X. ANNA⁴, bapt. March 30, 1777.

15

SAMUEL BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead Nov. 7, 1742. He lived in Marblehead; and married Lydia Lamphrel Jan. 7, 1768. They lived in Salem in 1783.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 60—I. SAMUEL⁴, bapt. Oct. 23, 1768.
 61—II. NICHOLAS⁴, bapt. June 9, 1771. *See below (61).*
 62—III. BENJAMIN⁴, bapt. Sept. 12, 1773; d. young.
 63—IV. BENJAMIN⁴, bapt. April 28, 1776.
 64—V. LYDIA⁴, bapt. Jan. 17, 1779.
 65—VI. FRANCIS⁴, bapt. June 13, 1781.
 66—VII. JOHN⁴, bapt. July 27, 1783.

21

SAMUEL BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead Aug. 6, 1738. He lived in Marblehead; and married Ruth James Jan. 29, 1761. He died Dec. 7, 1807, at the age of sixty-nine; and she died, his widow, of dropsy, Feb. 26 (25—*private record*), 1819, aged eighty.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 67—I. SAMUEL⁴, bapt. Dec. 13, 1761.
 68—II. JOHN⁴, bapt. Sept. 23, 1764; d. young.
 69—III. RUTH⁴, bapt. Oct. 20, 1765.
 70—IV. HANNAH⁴, bapt. Jan. 17, 1768; d. young.
 71—V. ABIGAIL⁴ (twin), bapt. April 29, 1770.
 72—VI. DEBORAH⁴ (twin), bapt. April 29, 1770; m. Joseph Lindsey June 3, 1790; and d., of palsy, his widow, Feb. 8, 1847, aged seventy-six years and ten months.
 73—VII. JOHN⁴, bapt. Nov. 1, 1772; lived in Marblehead; captain; m. Ruth Devereux Feb. 1, 1801; he d. Nov. 5, 1835, aged sixty-three years and nine months; and she d., his widow, Feb. 19, 1841, aged sixty-six years and one month.
 74—VIII. HANNAH⁴, bapt. April 7, 1782.

29

JOHN BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead May 11, 1735. He lived in Marblehead; and married Hannah Swan March 22, 1761. He died before July

11, 1765, when administration was granted upon his estate. She survived him.

Children, born in Marblehead :—

- 75—I. THOMAS SWAN⁴, bapt. Nov. 29, 1761. *See below* (75).
76—II. HANNAH⁴, bapt. July 9, 1769.

30

EDMUND BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead Aug. 7, 1737. He lived in Marblehead; and married Abigail Dennis March 13, 1760. They were living in Marblehead in 1774.

Children, born in Marblehead :—

- 77—I. EDMUND⁴, bapt. Feb. 27, 1763.
78—II. ABIGAIL⁴, bapt. April 7, 1765.
79—III. ELIZABETH⁴, bapt. May 3, 1767.
80—IV. BENJAMIN DENNIS⁴, bapt. Sept. 24, 1769.
81—V. ELEANOR⁴, bapt. June 31, 1772.
82—VI. MARY⁴, bapt. Oct. 23, 1774.

31

HITCHINS BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead May 4, 1740. He lived in Marblehead; and married Sarah ———.

Child, born in Marblehead :—

- 83—I. HITCHINS⁴, bapt. Dec. 27, 1761.

36

ABIJAH BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead Sept. 26, 1736. He lived in Marblehead; and married Elizabeth Horton Jan. 29, 1756. She died, his widow, Jan. 15, 1807.

Children, born in Marblehead :—

- 84—I. ANDREW⁴, bapt. July 10, 1757; d. young.
85—II. ANDREW⁴, bapt. March 18, 1759.
86—III. MARY⁴, bapt. June 29, 1760.
87—IV. ABIJAH⁴, bapt. Oct. 31, 1762.
88—V. WILLIAM⁴, bapt. Sept. 30, 1764. *See below* (88).
89—VI. BENJAMIN⁴, bapt. March 8, 1767.
90—VII. HANNAH⁴, bapt. Feb. 28, 1773.
91—VIII. BETSEY⁴ (adopted daughter), bapt. Feb. 10, 1782.

53

JOHN BOWDEN⁴, baptized in Marblehead April 25, 1762. He lived in Marblehead; and married Mary Knight Aug. 10, 1788.

Children, born in Marblehead :—

- 92—I. ELIZABETH⁵, bapt. Nov. 22, 1789.
93—II. JOHN⁵, bapt. Dec. 11, 1791.

61

NICHOLAS BOWDEN⁴, baptized in Marblehead June 9, 1771. He lived in Marblehead; and married Mary Card Dec. 27, 1795.

Child, born in Marblehead :—

- 94—I. BETSY COWEN⁵, bapt. June 10, 1798.

75

THOMAS SWAN BOWDEN⁴, baptized in Marblehead Nov. 29, 1761. He lived in Marblehead; and married Elizabeth Gatchel June 11, 1782.

Child, born in Marblehead :—

- 95—I. ELIZABETH⁵, bapt. Feb. 23, 1783.

88

WILLIAM BOWDEN⁴, baptized in Marblehead Sept. 30, 1764. He lived in Marblehead; and married Mrs. Lydia Clarke Dec. 26, 1784.

Child, born in Marblehead :—

- 96—I. MARY⁵, bapt. March 20, 1785, probably d., unmarried, of phthisis, Sept. 18, 1818, aged "twenty-three."

DESCENDANTS OF SAMUEL BOWDEN OF MARBLEHEAD.

SAMUEL BOWDEN,¹ mariner and carter, lived in Marblehead. He married Mary Webber Feb. 21, 1704-5; and he died in 1737, his will, dated March 24, 1737, being proved June 12, 1737. His estate was appraised at £555, 4s. His homestead descended to his son Michael Bowden.

Children, born in Marblehead :—

- 2—I. MARY², m. Thomas Grant April 17, 1726; and was living in 1774.
3—II. REBECCA², b. May 30, 17—; m. Nicholas Besom June 8, 1725.
4—III. SAMUEL², b. July 14, 17—. *See below* (4).
5—IV. MICHAEL². *See below* (5).
6—V. RICHARD². *See below* (6).
7—VI. JOHN², lived in Boston; cordwainer; m. Ann ——— before 1757; and d. before 1774.
8—VII. JAMES². *See below* (8).
9—VIII. BENJAMIN². *See below* (9).
10—IX. ELIZABETH², m. ——— Limbrick before 1774.

4

SAMUEL BOWDEN², born in Marblehead July 14, 17— . He was a mariner, and lived in Marblehead. He married Sarah Twisden Feb. 5, 1733-4; and died between 1759 and 1774. She was his wife in 1759.

Children, born in Marblehead :—

- 11—I. SAMUEL³, bapt. March 16, 1735.
- 12—II. THOMAS³, bapt. Oct. 31, 1736.
- 13—III. SARAH³, bapt. Nov. 5, 1738.
- 14—IV. MARY³, bapt. Oct. 26, 1740; d. young.
- 15—V. BENJAMIN³, bapt. Feb. 6, 1743. *See below (15).*
- 16—VI. TWISDEN³, bapt. March 17, 1744-5. *See below (16).*
- 17—VII. MARY³, bapt. Jan. 18, 1746-7.
- 18—VIII. ELIZABETH³, bapt. Sept. 18, 1748.
- 19—IX. JOHN³, bapt. Dec. 29, 1751.

5

MICHAEL BOWDEN², was a shoreman, and lived in Marblehead. He married Mary (Barker), widow of Hezekiah Legro, Dec. 16, 1742. He died Aug. 19, 1792, at the age of seventy-four. She survived him, and died, his widow, Sept. 20, 1799, at the age of eighty. He owned two schooners, Polly and Bever. His estate was appraised at £754, 3s., 6d.

Children, born in Marblehead :—

- 20—I. MICHAEL³, bapt. April 28, 1745. *See below (20).*
- 21—II. JOSEPH³, bapt. Oct. 4, 1747.
- 22—III. MARY³, bapt. Nov. 6, 1748; d., unmarried, in Marblehead, "suddenly," Dec. 5, 1823, aged seventy-five.
- 23—IV. SAMUEL³, b. Nov. 27, 1750. *See below (23).*
- 24—V. RUTH³, bapt. July 20, 1755.
- 25—VI. JAMES³, bapt. Jan. 22, 1758.

6

RICHARD BOWDEN², was a housewright, and lived in Marblehead. He married Elizabeth Fortune Aug. 17, 1742; and died in Marblehead, being "The Oldest Man in Town," Feb. 7, 1809. She was his wife in 1756.

Children, born in Marblehead :—

- 26—I. SAMUEL³, bapt. Oct. 23, 1743. *See below (26).*
- 27—II. ELIZABETH³, bapt. Sept. 29, 1745.
- 28—III. THOMAS³, bapt. Nov. 18, 1750. *See below (28).*

8

JAMES BOWDEN², was a fisherman, mariner and laborer, and lived in Marblehead. He married Rebecca (Ireson), widow of Samuel Chinn Nov. 7, 1742. He was living in 1785; and she died, his widow, in Marblehead, May 30, 1798.

Children, born in Marblehead :—

- 29—I. REBECCA³, bapt. Sept. 11, 1743.
- 30—II. FRANCIS³, bapt. May 18, 1746.
- 31—III. JAMES³, bapt. Feb. 12, 1748-9.
- 32—IV. MARY³, bapt. Oct. 15, 1752.
- 33—V. ELIZABETH³, bapt. May 18, 1755.

9

BENJAMIN BOWDEN², lived in Marblehead. He was a cordwainer; and married Hannah (Andrews), widow of Thomas Ross of Marblehead Feb. 21, 1760. He was living in 1782, and she was his wife in 1772.

Children, born in Marblehead :—

- 34—I. SARAH³, bapt. March 1, 1761; d. young.
- 35—II. SARAH³, bapt. May 5, 1765.
- 36—III. BENJAMIN³, bapt. Aug. 16, 1767. *See below (36).*
- 37—IV. WILLIAM³, bapt. Nov. 26, 1769. *See below (37).*
- 38—V. HANNAH³, bapt. Jan. 19, 1772.

15

BENJAMIN BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead Feb. 6, 1743. He lived in Marblehead, and married Sarah Felton July 4, 1765. They were living in Marblehead in 1775.

Children, born in Marblehead :—

- 39—I. SAMUEL⁴, bapt. June 22, 1766.
- 40—II. BENJAMIN⁴, bapt. Oct. 29, 1767.
- 41—III. JOHN⁴, bapt. Feb. 11, 1770.
- 42—IV. SARAH⁴, bapt. June 30, 1771.
- 43—V. THOMAS⁴, bapt. Aug. 15, 1773.
- 44—VI. HANNAH⁴, bapt. Oct. 15, 1775.

16

TWISDEN BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead March 17, 1744-5. He was a fisherman, and lived in Marblehead. He married Sarah Orne Dec. 19 (24—*church record*), 1765. Administration was granted upon his estate Nov. 7, 1787. She survived him.

Children, born in Marblehead :—

- 45—I. TWISDEN⁴, bapt. Aug. 10, 1766.

- 46—II. THOMAS⁴, bapt. Aug. 28, 1768; d. Oct. 4, 1771, aged three.
 47—III. THOMAS⁴, bapt. Oct. 9, 1774; living in 1794.
 48—IV. JOSHUA ORNE⁴, bapt. Sept. 5, 1779. *See below (48).*

20

MICHAEL BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead April 28, 1745. He lived in Marblehead; and married Elizabeth Richards Dec. 3, 1765.

Child, baptized in Marblehead:—

- 49—I. RUTH⁴, bapt. Dec. 29, 1765; m. William Main, jr., Jan. 20, 1788; and she was his wife in 1792.

23

SAMUEL BOWDEN³, born in Marblehead Nov. 27, 1750. He was a shoreman, and lived in Marblehead. He married Sarah Gatchel Dec. 31, 1772; and she died, of consumption, April 16, 1823, aged sixty-nine. He died, of old age, Feb. 6, 1849, aged ninety-eight years, two months and nine days.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 50—I. MICHAEL⁴, bapt. May 30, 1773; d. young.
 51—II. SARAH⁴, bapt. March 5, 1775; d. young.
 52—III. SALLY⁴, bapt. Feb. 23, 1777.
 53—IV. MICHAEL⁴, bapt. Feb. 6, 1780; mariner; captain; lived in Marblehead; m. Mary Wormstead Nov. 3, 1805; d., "of a distressing illness," Nov. 24, 1823, aged forty-three; she survived him; probably no issue.
 54—V. MARY⁴, bapt. July 21, 1782.
 55—VI. TABITHA⁴, bapt. Nov. 7, 1784.
 56—VII. RUTH⁴, bapt. Sept. 9, 1787.
 57—VIII. BETSY⁴, bapt. Sept. 5, 1790.
 58—IX. SAMUEL⁴, bapt. Jan. 20, 1793.
 59—X. HANNAH BARKER⁴, bapt. Feb. 1, 1795; d. of phthisis, unmarried, Feb. 6, 1822, aged twenty-seven.

26

SAMUEL BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead Oct. 23, 1743. He was a house-carpenter, and lived in Marblehead. He married Priscilla Proctor Sept. 9, 1769; and died July 25, 1813, aged seventy. She died, his widow, Feb. 17, 1826, at the age of eighty-four.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 60—I. SAMUEL⁴, bapt. April 22, 1770; carpenter; lived in Marblehead; and d., "after a lingering sickness," Feb. 11, 1840, aged sixty-nine years and ten months.
 61—II. WILLIAM⁴, bapt. July 28, 1776; d. in Marblehead Jan. 16, 1829, aged fifty-three.
 62—III. RUTH⁴, bapt. Nov. 8, 1778.

28

THOMAS BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead Nov. 18, 1750. He lived in Marblehead; and married Tabitha Reed Oct. 20, 1776. They were living in Marblehead in 1793.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 63—I. BETSEY⁴, bapt. March 2, 1777.
 64—II. SALLY⁴, bapt. Oct. 10, 1779.
 65—III. TABBY⁴, bapt. Aug. 4, 1782; d. young.
 66—IV. THOMAS⁴, bapt. Nov. 6, 1785.
 67—V. TABITHA⁴, bapt. Oct. 5, 1788; m. Edward Nowland Oct. 27, 1808; and d., of intemperance, Sept. 26, 1812, aged "twenty-eight."
 68—VI. JEREMIAH REED⁴, bapt. June 16, 1793; "lost out of the Frolic, N. Lindsey, at Portsmouth," recorded May 2, 1813.

36

BENJAMIN BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead Aug. 16, 1767. He was a cordwainer, and lived in Marblehead. He married, first, Miss Elizabeth Graves Dec. 27, 1791; and she died Sept. 19, 1794, aged twenty-one years and ten months. He married, second, Sally Clothey July 26, 1795. They were living in Marblehead in 1810.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 69—I. BENJAMIN⁴, bapt. Oct. 14, 1792.
 70—II. JOHN⁴, b. May 2, 1798.
 71—III. SARAH⁴, b. Dec. 31, 1799.
 72—IV. WILLIAM⁴, b. Dec. 8, 1802.
 73—V. JOSEPH CLOTHY⁴, b. Oct. 29, 1805; fisherman; lived in Marblehead; "Drowned on Grand Bank, Schr Trio," Sept. 19, 1846, aged "forty-three."
 74—VI. HANNAH ANDREWS⁴, b. June 6, 1808; m. William Tucker Dec. 4, 1832.
 75—VII. ELIZABETH⁴, b. Oct. 8, 1810.

37

WILLIAM BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead Nov. 26, 1769. He lived in

Marblehead; and married Mary Dennis June 29, 1794. She died July 2, 1839, aged seventy-five (church record says, sixty-five); and he died, a pauper, of old age, Oct. 21, 1848, aged seventy-nine.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 76—I. WILLIAM⁴, bapt. Oct. 30, 1796; d. "at the Havanna," recorded Sept. 23, 1822.
- 77—II. MARY⁴, bapt. Oct. 14, 1798.
- 78—III. HANNAH⁴, bapt. Aug. 10, 1800; d. young.
- 79—IV. HANNAH⁴, bapt. Aug. 22, 1802.
- 80—V. SALLY⁴, bapt. Oct. 27, 1804.
- 81—VI. JOHN DENNIS⁴, bapt. Oct. 18, 1807; m. Eliza Russell Jan. 17, 1832.
- 82—VII. BENJAMIN⁴, bapt. Oct. 13, 1811.

48

JOSHUA ORNE BOWDEN⁴, baptized in Marblehead Sept. 5, 1779. He was a shoreman, and lived in Marblehead. He married Elizabeth Standley April 21, 1799; and died, of debility, Dec. 29, 1843, aged sixty-four years and four months. She died, his widow, of palsy, Sept. 15, 1849, aged seventy-two years, seven months and twenty-six days.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 83—I. JOSHUA ORNE⁵, bapt. Sept. 22, 1799; lived in Marblehead; m. Ann P. Scobie Sept. 5, 1819.
- 84—II. SALLY⁵, bapt. Aug. 9, 1801.
- 85—III. TWISDEN⁵, bapt. Aug. 14, 1803; d. April 30, 1807.
- 86—IV. THOMAS⁵, bapt. Oct. 27, 1805.
- 87—V. TWISDEN⁵, bapt. March 6, 1808; m. Ellen Harris Dec. 16, 1829.
- 88—VI. JOSEPH⁵, bapt. April 22, 1810.
- 89—VII. JAMES GOODWIN⁵, bapt. Nov. 8, 1812; m. Margaret Mullett May 24, 1835.
- 90—VIII. ANDREW JACKSON⁵, bapt. March 11, 1815.
- 91—IX. JOHN⁵, bapt. July 26, 1818.

WILL OF HUGH BURT.

The will of Hugh Burt of Lynn was proved in the court held at Salem 26: 9: 1661. The following is a copy of the original instrument on file in the office of the clerk of courts at Salem, volume VII, leaf 24.

The Last will & testimony of Hugh Burt being verie weeke of body though of pfect memorye 7. octobe^r: 1661.

Imp^r I bequeath my bodye to the dust, & my Spiritt to him that gaue: it:

It: to my fonn will: Bassitt 2 accors of Salt marsh in the Last devifion in Rumny marsh which I bought of Timothye Cooper: which Lyeth next to his (viz) after my wifes defese: then to him & his heires forever:

It: to my fon Baffett to him, & his heires for ever: fiue acors of vpland Lyeing amongst Henrye Collins Land which I bought of Robt: Manffeild which is yet vndevided

It: I bequeath to my fonn will: Baffet all my weareing Apparrell.

It: I bequeath to my two granddaughters ||marye, & Sarah|| the daughters of my sonn Hugh Birt defeafed each of them, a cow when they Come to the age of twenty ||one|| years which are to bee paid by my fonn Edward Burt because I giue him halfe my Land at my defeaf

It: I bequeath to my sonn Edward Burt Halfe my houseing Land & medow vndilposofed of in this will: at my defeafe

It: I bequeath to my Sonn Edward Burt all my Houseing Land, & medowes vndesposofed of (viz) at my wifes defeafe

It: I bequeath to my wife one Halfe of my Houseing Lands & medowes vndesposofed of in this my will (viz) at my defeafe dureing her Lifetyme

It: I bequeath to my fonn Edward Burt Halfe my chatles sheep & fwine at my Defeafe: & some Corne ||not halfe || & some haye

It: It: I bequeath to my wife all my goods within dores to bee at her dispofo:

It: I make my wife my executrix

It: my defyre is that m^r Nathaniell, Handforde & Andrew Manffeild ||should|| [bee?] overfeers of this my will &c: bequeath Each of them a noble for their paines

Memorandum I acquitt my fonn Edward Burt of all the monyes that ||hee|| re- ceiued of mine in England ||of all debts whateuer|| & alsoe I giue vnto my son Edward Burt all my right & interest in any houseing, or Land in London that came to mee by my brother John Burt, de

feased. In witt^e where of I haue sett my hand the Daye, yeare & aboue ritten this my will being interlyned in the memorandum: & two words in my sonn Edward Legafye

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Nathaniell Handforth

Andrew Manffeild

Hugh Burtt

William bartrum

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his marke:

DESCENDANTS OF FRANCIS BOWDEN OF MARBLEHEAD.

FRANCIS BOWDEN¹, born about 1678. He was a yeoman, and lived in Marblehead. He married Mary Boobyer Sept. 22, 1707. They made a joint will July 28, 1748. She died in 1748; and he died Dec. —, 1759. His estate was valued at £594, 17s., 4d. He sold land in York county in 1735.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 2—I. WILLIAM,² b. July 8, 1708. *See below (2).*
- 3—II. MICHAEL,² b. Sept. 6, 1712. *See below (3).*
- 4—III. FRANCIS,² b. March 12, 1715-6; m. widow Mary Cruft March 14, 1737.
- 5—IV. MARY², b. April 3, 1718; living in 1748.
- 6—V. SARAH,² b. Aug. 17, 1720; m. Devereux Dennis Aug. 23, 1739; and was living in 1748.
- 7—VI. REBECCA,² bapt. July 1, 1721; d. young.
- 8—VII. JOSEPH,² b. April 23, 1725. *See below (8).*
- 9—VIII. BENJAMIN,² b. May 9, 1727.
- 10—IX. EBENEZER,² b. Nov. 3, 1728. *See below (10).*
- 11—X. REBECCA,² bapt. April 25, 1731; living in 1748; probably m. Thomas Fabens of Salem Aug. 29, 1751.

2

WILLIAM BOWDEN², born in Marblehead July 8, 1708. He was a shoreman, and lived in Marblehead. He married Miss Elizabeth White April 30, 1730; and died before Sept. 25, 1741, when administration was granted upon his estate. She survived him, and died, his widow, before April 8, 1751, when administration was granted on her estate.

Children,* born in Marblehead:—

- 12—I. ELIZABETH,³ bapt. March 14, 1730-1; d. young.
- 13—II. MARY,³ bapt. April 15, 1733.
- 14—III. SARAH,³ bapt. Feb. 23, 1734-5.
- 15—IV. SAMUEL,³ bapt. May 1, 1737.
- 16—V. JOHN WHITE,³ bapt. Feb. 11, 1738-9.
- 17—VI. ELIZABETH,³ bapt. April 5, 1741; lived in Marblehead, unmarried, in 1762; probably m. William Arbuckle April 8, 1762.

3

MICHAEL BOWDEN², born in Marblehead Sept. 6, 1712. He was a carpenter, and lived in Marblehead. He married Miss Hannah Hendley of Marblehead April 1, 1735; and died Sept. —, 1761. His estate was insolvent. She was his widow in 1771. He had land at New Marblehead.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 18—I. FRANCIS³, bapt. May 23, 1736.
- 19—II. MARY,³ bapt. Jan. 15, 1737-8.
- 20—III. ELIAS HENDLY,³ bapt. Dec. 23, 1739; d. young.
- 21—IV. ELIAS HENDLY,³ bapt. Dec. 12, 1742. *See below (21).*
- 22—V. HANNAH,³ bapt. Nov. 18, 1744.
- 23—VI. SARAH,³ bapt. April 5, 1747.

8

JOSEPH BOWDEN², born in Marblehead April 23, 1725. He was a husbandman and carter, and lived in Marblehead. He married Lydia ——— before 1751; and administration was granted upon his estate Jan. 3, 1774. She was his wife in 1760.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 24—I. BENJAMIN,³ bapt. Sept. 15, 1751. *See below (24).*
- 25—II. JOSEPH,³ bapt. May 13, 1753; d. young.
- 26—III. LYDIA,³ bapt. April 14, 1754.
- 27—IV. EUNICE,³ bapt. Sept. 12, 1756; m. George Wiping May 12, 1774; and d. Jan. 9, 1816, aged fifty-nine.
- 28—V. JOSEPH,³ bapt. March 16, 1760.

10

EBENEZER BOWDEN², born in Marblehead Nov. 3, 1728. He was a husbandman, and lived in Marblehead. He married widow Mary Gardner, at Salem, Nov. 10, 1750. He was living in 1760.

*All the children, except the youngest, apparently died before 1751.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 29—I. FRANCIS,³ bapt. Oct. 6, 1751.
 30—II. EBENEZER,³ bapt. Sept. 2, 1753.
 31—III. MARY,³ bapt. March 2, 1755.

21

ELIAS HENDLY BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead Dec. 12, 1742. He was a fisherman, and lived in Lynn. He married Mary Chinn Dec. 12, 1771; and died before 1783. She survived him, and died, his widow, in Marblehead, Feb. 21, 1812, aged fifty-six.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 32—I. MICHAEL,⁴ bapt. Sept. 12, 1773; aged about nine in 1783.
 33—II. HANNAH,⁴ bapt. Feb. 18, 1776; aged "five" in 1783.

24

CAPT. BENJAMIN BOWDEN³, baptized in Marblehead Sept. 15, 1751. He was a master-mariner and fisherman, and lived in Marblehead. He married Lydia Hooper Aug. 9, 1778; and died before March 5, 1798, when administration was granted upon his estate. She survived him, and probably married, secondly, Capt. Thomas Meek March 6, 1798.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 34—I. LOIS HOOPER,⁴ b. May 19, 1779; m. Capt. Joseph B. Adams of Marblehead, mariner, Aug. 6, 1797; and d. June 3, 1800, aged twenty-one years and fifteen days.
 35—II. LYDIA,⁴ bapt. Sept. 30, 1781; d. March 15, 1798, aged seventeen.
 36—III. POLLY,⁴ bapt. Dec. 21, 1783.
 37—IV. BENJAMIN,⁴ "Drowned on his passage to Balboa. Recd the News" March 18, 1808.
 38—V. MARTHA,⁴ bapt. July 24, 1791; d. June 4, 1807, aged about sixteen.
 39—VI. ELIZABETH HOOPER,⁴ bapt. Sept. 28, 1794; d. in Lynn, of consumption, unmarried, May 6 (April 29—*private record*), 1819, aged twenty-four. Called "Betsey."

NOTES.

John Blackmore of Lynn removed to Sandwich in 1637.

Richard Blake of Andover, 1645, a founder of the church; perhaps was passenger in the Confidence, 1638, from Southampton, aged sixteen. In 1644, he was at Dorchester. He died in 1695.

William Blanchard of Salem in 1637, freeman June 2, 1641; probably had wife Ann, daughter of James Everill; removed to Boston.

—Savage.

Mary Blackwell married Phillip Stanwood Nov. 22, 1677.—*Salem town records*.

DESCENDANTS OF AMBROSE BOWDEN.

AMBROSE BOWDEN¹,* of Casco Bay in 1658, of Scarborough, 1663; freeman in 1658.

Child:—

- 2—I. AMBROSE.² See below (2).

2

AMBROSE BOWDEN²,* of Casco Bay in 1658; lived at Scarborough in 1668; and is said to have been killed by the Indians Oct. —, 1675. Freeman at Spurwintel, 1658. Settled in Marblehead.

Child:—

- 3—I. AMBROSE³, b. about 1666. See below (3).

3

AMBROSE BOWDEN³, born about 1666. He was a fisherman and shoreman, and lived in Marblehead. He died in Marblehead June 1, 1728, aged sixty-two. She survived him, and died, his widow, in Marblehead, March 31, 1746, aged about eighty. His estate was appraised at £1,232, 10s. He had a negro man named Nero, and two schooners, Benjamin and Elizabeth & Mary.

Children:—

- 4—I. ELIZABETH⁴, m. David Furnace 10 mo: 31: 1713.
 5—II. BENJAMIN⁴, b. in 1699. See below (5).
 6—III. LYDIA⁴, b. about 1701; m. Ebenezer Stacey March 26, 1719; and d. Sept. 5, 1761, aged sixty.
 7—IV. MARY⁴, m. Nathaniel Stacey July 29, 1728.
 8—V. AMBROSE⁴, b. about 1710. See below (8).

*These first two generations have been taken from notes made by the late Perley Derby of Salem, Mass.

5

BENJAMIN BOWDEN⁴, born in 1699. He was a fisherman and merchant, and lived in Marblehead. He married, first, Elizabeth Ambrose of Boston 27: 9: 1721; and she died, "of a Saturday Morning between Seven and Eight of y^e Clock," Oct. 11, 1766. He married, second, Tabitha (Smethurst), widow of Moses Calley of Marblehead Jan. 5, 1769; and she died Nov. 17, 1776, aged seventy-five years, five months and twenty-one days. He died "about three o'Clock, afternoon," June 9, 1777, aged seventy-eight years and two months. His estate was insolvent. In the account of the administrator is a bill, reading as follows: "June 9 1777 To cash paid a Salem man for bringing him [the deceased] home in a stage coach sick with the small Pox £ 1. 12."

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 9—I. ELIZABETH⁵, b. May 16, 1723; m. Edward Bowen Feb. 1, 1750; and d. July 3, 1761.
- 10—II. LYDIA⁵, b. Feb. 14, 1725; d. July 23, 1727, aged two.
- 11—III. WILLIAM⁵, b. June 20, 1729. *See below (11).*

8

AMBROSE BOWDEN⁴, born about 1710. He lived in Marblehead; and married Mary Russell of Marblehead March 8, 1732. Administration upon his estate was granted to widow Mary Boden of Marblehead Nov. 24, 1763.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 12—I. JOHN⁵, bapt. Sept. 24, 1732.
- 13—II. WILLIAM⁵, bapt. March 2, 1734-5.
- 14—III. AMBROSE⁵, bapt. Oct. 4, 1741.
- 15—IV. JAMES⁵, bapt. March 4, 1743-4; buried June 20, 1749, in Marblehead.

11

WILLIAM BOWDEN⁵, born in Marblehead June 20, 1729. He was a shoreman and merchant, and lived in Marblehead. He married Mary Bours Dec. 10, 1760; and administration upon his estate was granted Oct. 5, 1784. His estate was valued at £368, 5s., 10 ½d.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 16—I. PETER BOURS⁶, b. Nov. 8, 1762; d. Dec. 26, 1762, aged one month and eighteen days.
- 17—II. WILLIAM⁶, b. Dec. 9, 1766. *See below (17).*

17

WILLIAM BOWDEN⁵, born in Marblehead Dec. 9, 1766. He was a shoreman, and lived in Marblehead. He married Sarah LeBallister June 22, 1788; and died March 11, 1803, aged thirty-six.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 18—I. MARY BOURS⁶, b. July 10, 1789; d., unmarried, Oct. 11, 1813, aged twenty-four.
- 19—II. SALLY COOMBS⁶, b. Sept. 20, 1791; d., unmarried, of consumption, April 17, 1825, aged thirty-three.
- 20—III. NANCY BOURS⁶, b. Jan. 25, 1794; d. Aug. 16 (15—*gravestone*), 1795, aged one year.
- 21—IV. ELIZABETH AMBROSE⁶, b. Dec. 9, 1795; d., of fever, Nov. 20, 1812, aged seventeen.
- 22—V. WILLIAM⁶, b. about 1797; "lost at Sea, going from Boston to the Chesapeake," March 7, 1820, aged twenty-two.
- 23—VI. NANCY BOURS⁶, b. about 1800; d., of consumption, July 25 (24—*gravestone*), 1827, aged twenty-seven.
- 24—VII. MICHAEL COOMBS⁶, b. about 1802; captain; d., of consumption, July 10 (11—*gravestone*), 1830, aged twenty-eight.

NOTES.

John, son of John Blading, born Oct. 11, 1670, Newbury—*Court records*.

Martha, daughter of William Blackley of Marblehead, baptized Dec. 7, 1779.

Elizabeth, daughter of James Blakney, baptized Dec. 1, 1799.

—*St. Peter's church (Salem) records*.

Peter Blair¹ of Cockburn, England, married Sarah Baker of Marblehead Oct. 5, 1752, at Salem; lived in Marblehead; administration was granted on his estate to his widow Sarah Blare May 3, 1762; she married, secondly, Duncan Taylor Sept. 27, 1768; children, baptized in Marblehead: 1. *Peter*,² baptized May 12, 1754; 2. *John*,² baptized Oct. 19, 1755; lived in Marblehead; married Mary Bowden (published Sept. 26, 1778); chilb

dren; baptized in Marblehead: 1. John,³ May 28, 1780; lived in Marblehead; married Lucy — before 1805; 2. Peter,³ Jan. 13, 1782; 3. David,³ March 14, 1784; 4. Samuel,³ Oct. 29, 1786; lived in Marblehead; married Lucy — before 1814; 5. Benjamin³ and 6. Robert³ (twins), Dec. 4, 1791; 7. Mary,³ March 24, 1799; 3. Sarah,² baptized Jan. 27, 1760; married David Selanders Oct. 23, 1777.—*Records*.

Victor Blare published to Esther Clark, both of Salem, March 25, 1732.

James Blair published to Rebecca Morgan, both of Salem, Dec. 28, 1799.

—*Salem town records*.

Lydia Blair married Rob^t Steward Feb. 22, 1733.—*Andover town records*.

Jonathan Blake, a resident in Newbury, married Mary Ordway of Newbury May 18, 1721. He was a shipwright, and lived in Newbury as late as 1733. Children, born in Newbury: 1. Joanna, born Sept. 7, 1721; 2. Sarah, born Sept. 5, 1723.

Jonathan Blake married Joanna Fosdick, both of Newbury, Jan. 16, 1727-8.

Children of Amos and Lydia Blake: 1. Thomas, born Oct. 28, 1743; 2. Amos Coss, born May 15, 1746; 3. Sarah, born May 24, 1748; 4. Elias, born Jan. 7, 1751.

Mrs. Judith Blake married James Mackmillan, both of Newbury, Dec. 30, 1745.

Samuel Blake married Sarah Adams, both of Newbury, Dec. 26, 1799.

Hester Blakeley married John Bond Aug. 15, 1649.

—*Newbury town records*.

Wife of Samuel Blake died Sept. —, 1798.—*Newburyport town records*.

John Blake married Deborow Nolton of Wenham June 8, 1685.—*Marblehead town records*.

George Blake lived in Gloucester as early as 1641, having been born about 1611. He removed to Boxford after 1669; and died there Feb. 17, 1697-8. His wife Dorothy (1641-1698), survived him, and died, his widow, Dec. 12, 1702. Children, born in Gloucester: 1. Rebecca, born Feb. —, 1641; married Robert

Eames of Boxford; and was condemned for witchcraft in 1692, but was reprieved, and died May 8, 1721; 2. Deborah, born Nov. 10, 164-; probably married — Kimball; 3. Prudence, born April 15, 1647; married Moses Tyler July 6, 1666, in Andover; 4. Elizabeth, born May 31, 1650; married Matthew Perry March 27, 1665, in Ipswich; 5. Mary, born Feb. 14, 1652; married Zaccheus Curtis of Boxford Dec. 4, 1673; 6. Thomas, born June 9, 1658; died June 25, 1658; 7. Ruth, born Sept. 5, 1659; married — Shaw before 1698.—*Records*.

Samuel Blake married Elizabeth Badger Dec. 11, 1768, in Newbury.—*County court records*.

James Blake, sojourner, married Mary Pearse May 22, 1757. Children: Mary, born Feb. 19, 1758; James, born Dec. 25, 1761.

Capt. James Blake married Elizabeth Allen Jan. 9, 1766. Children: Isaac, born Feb. 3, 1767; Elizabeth, born Sept. 9, 1768; Joseph, born July 26, 1770; Mary, born May 17, 1772; Richard, Jan. 17, 1774.

James Blake, jr., married Mrs. Polly Cook Dec. 3, 1785.

James, son of James Blake, baptized May 24, 1789.

Betsey, daughter of James Blake, baptized Aug. 12, 1792.

—*Gloucester records*.

James Blake of Gloucester, mariner, 1766 and 1789; wife Elizabeth, 1789.

Samuel Blake of Newburyport, hatter, and wife Abigail, 1789-1795. Sarah Blake of Newburyport, spinster and singlewoman, sold land with him in 1795 and 1799.

Lydia Blake of Newburyport, widow, 1785.

—*Registry of deeds*.

Stephen Blake married Elizabeth Hacket Dec. 11, 1747.

Joanna Blake of Salisbury published to Skipper Eliot of Newbury May 21, 1752.

Enoch Blake of Salisbury published to Susanna Low of Ipswich Sept. 7, 1771.

—*Salisbury town records*.

Isaac Kilborn of Lancaster, husbandman, appointed administrator of estate of Mary Blake of Newbury March 8, 1756.

Widow Joanna Kilborn of Lancaster appointed administratrix of estate of Mary Blake of Newbury Sept. 10, 1764.

—*Probate records.*

Sarah Blake married Jonathan Pease, both of Salem, Dec. 11, 1739.—*Salem town records.*

Johannah Blake of Ipswich married Aaron Clark of Rowley Nov. 2, 1741.—*Rowley town records.*

Richard Blanch¹ married Elizabeth Taynour Nov. 15, 1693. Children: 1. *Anna*,² baptized Oct. 20, 1700; 2. *Elizabeth*,² baptized Oct. 20, 1700; 3. *Richard*,³ baptized Dec. 22, 1700; married Elizabeth Cook Jan. 2, 1724; children: 1. Richard,³ born Feb. 28, 1725; 2. Elizabeth,³ born Aug. 16, 1727; 4. *Mary*,² born June 14, 1704; 5. *Sara*,² born Oct. 19, 1705; 6. *John*,² baptized Nov. 30, 1707; 7. *Jean*,² born Aug. 30, 1709.

Jean Blanch married Thomas Moujer [Mowjor] Nov. 19, 1723.

Jean Blanch married Peter Renew July 22, 1728.

—*Marblehead records.*

John Blanch fill, sojourner, published to Mary Morgan May 18, 1771.—*Gloucester town records.*

Aaron Blanchard of Salem, barber, married Anstis Dean of Salem Sept. 25, 1781, and died in 1799. She survived him. He probably had no children. His will, dated April 10, 1799, was proved Aug. 5, 1799. She married, secondly, Addison Richardson (published Dec. 14, 1799).—*Records.*

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

453. Wanted, maiden name and birth of Anna — ; married Rev. Jonathan Cram; died in Plainfield, N. H.

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454. Wanted, parents' names and death of Elizabeth Rogers; married Jonathan Cram of Brentwood, N. H.; parents of Rev. Jonathan Cram.

JOHN G. CRAM.

105 Charles St., Boston, Mass.

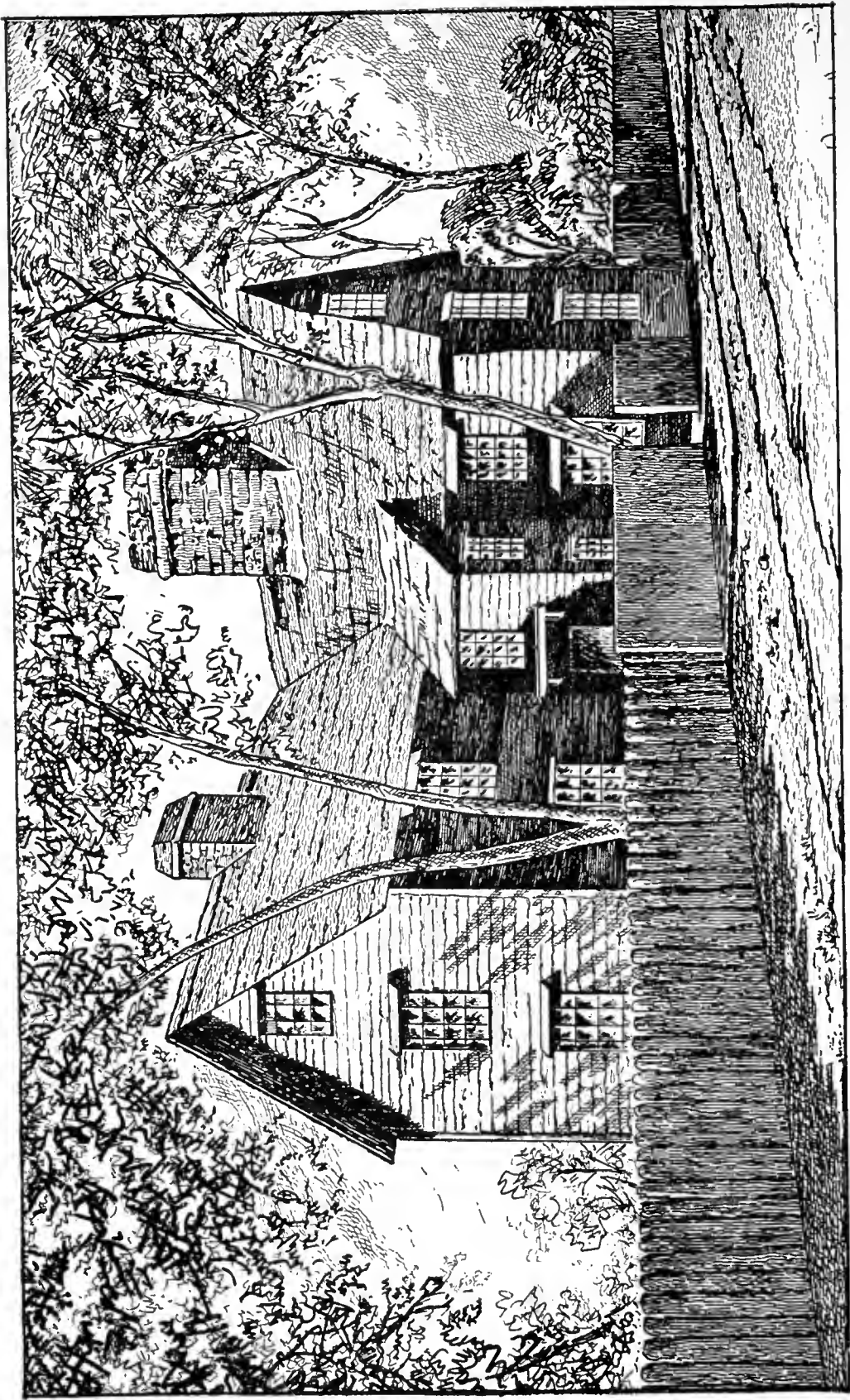
ANSWERS.

43. The mother of Lydia Peabody, baptized in 1640, daughter of Lt. Francis Peabody of Topsfield, has been generally given as Mary Foster, widow of Daniel Wood. This widow Wood was the second wife of Francis Peabody and mother of only a part of his children. Daniel Wood died in 1648, as near as we can get any clue from his inventory. When Francis Peabody sold his estate in Hampton to come to Topsfield he still had his first wife Lydia, and she was the mother of the elder children. In *The Antiquarian*, volume VIII., page 6, in the files of the Ipswich court, in 1645, Lydia Peabody is a witness with Sarah Perkins, wife of Isaac Perkins, to the unneighborly feelings of Eunice Cole. Perkins, Peabody and Cole lived on adjoining estates in Hampton. See Dow's History of Hampton, N.H.—*Charlotte H. Abbott, Andover, Mass.*

325. Benjamin Meacom who married Nancy Webster Aug. 10, 1795, was born in Beverly Sept. 25, 1772, his parents being Robert and Elizabeth (Robinson) Meacom of Beverly. Robert Meacom was son of Robert Meacom of Beverly, yeoman, and died before his father. Robert Meacham, sr., died in 1777, his will, dated Jan. 25, 1775, being proved July 7, 1777. In this will he bequeaths to Benjamin Meacham, minor son of my son Robert Meacham of Beverly, yeoman, deceased. Benjamin Meacom's mother was Elizabeth Robinson of Boxford, and his parents were published in order to marriage Nov. 14, 1762. Benjamin Meacom was a blacksmith and lived in Andover in 1796 and 1801.—*Ed.*

415. See above answer to query 325.

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APPAREL OF THE FIRST SETTLERS.

THE first reference to the clothing of the settlers of this colony is the list of apparel provided in 1629 for one hundred men who were to be sent here by the Massachusetts Bay Company. Four hundred pairs of shoes, three hundred pairs of stockings and ten dozen pairs of Norwich garters were included. Of the stockings two hundred pairs were to be of Irish make and the remainder knit. The knit stockings were worth about twice as much as the Irish. The shoes were probably made of leather, much as they have been in recent times, with leather soles and the uppers seamed. There were, also, four hundred shirts; one hundred suits of doublets and hose, made of leather, lined with "oiled skin leather," and fastened with hooks and eyes; one hundred suits of Northern "dussens," or Hampshire kersies, lined, the hose with skins, the doublets with linen; and a number of suits of Gilford or Gedleyman kersies. The doublet was a sort of bloomer, a short skirt, with a waist and sleeves. Its name arose from the fact that it lay in folds over the larger part of the person it covered. The hose were long, reaching to the knees or higher, and lined with skins for warmth and strength. There were four hundred bands, three hundred of them being plain falling bands. Bands were collars, sometimes prepared with wire and stiffened with starch, that they might stand out horizontally, and usually held by a cord and tassel at the neck. They were generally worn by our first settlers. There were, also, one hundred green cotton waistcoats bound with red tape; and, also, one hundred leather girdles. The girdles were

worn to keep the doublet close to the body, probably, at first. There were, also, one hundred Monmouth caps, and five hundred red knit milled caps. Caps at that time were made of woolen, cotton, worsted, velvet, silk and fur. The Monmouth caps were so called from the place where they were made, and were worth about five times as much as those that were knit. A milled cap was one knit from double-twisted yarn, and of course was thicker and warmer than those knit from a single thread. There were, also, one hundred black hats, lined in the brow with leather. Hats were generally made of wool. The first settlers also had mandilions, fastened with hooks and eyes. A mandilion was a short loose outward wrap resembling a long cape or short cloak and without sleeves. The name was derived from the Italian word *mandilion*, the name of the Italians' outside loose garment. There were, also, sixteen dozens of gloves, twelve dozens of calf's leather, two dozens of tanned sheep's leather and two dozens of kid.

The dress of the women as well as of the men was of dark shades of color, though in cut and other ways it resembled the apparel of those less Puritanical.

Within five years thereafter the general court considered that the colonists were too extravagant in adopting new styles of dress and wearing silver, gold and silk lace, girdles, hatbands, embroidered or needlework caps, bands and rayles, ruffs and beaver hats; and in having more than one slash cut in each sleeve and one in the back. This slashwork consisted of long narrow openings made to show the bright

colored inside garment. In the fall of 1634, the court passed the following law:—

“The Court, takeing into consideracon the greate, supfluous, & vnnecessary expences occaconed by reason of some newe & imodest fashions, as also the ordinary weareing of silver, golde, & silke laces, girdles, hatbands, &c, hath therefore ordered that noe pson, either man or woman, shall hereafter make or buy any appell, either wollen, silke, or linnen, with any lace on it, siluer, golde, silke, or thread, vnder the penalty of forfeiture of such cloathes, &c.

“Also, that noe pson, either man or woman, shall make or buy any slashed cloathes, other than one slashe in each sleeue, and another in the backe; also, all cuttworks, imbroidered or needle worke capps, bands, & rayles, are forbidden hereafter to be made & worne, vnder the aforesaid penalty; also, all golde or silver girdles, hattbands, belts, ruffs, beav^r hatts, are prohibited to be bought & worne hereafter, vuder the aforesaid penalty, &c.

“Moreouer, it is agreed, if any man shall iudge the weareing of any the forenamed pticulars, newe fashions, or long haire, or any thing of the like nature, to be vncomely, or piudiciall to the comon good, & the pty offending reforme not the same vpon notice giuen him, that then the nexte Assistant, being informed thereof, shall haue power to binde the pty soe offending to answer it att the nexte Court, if the case soe requires; provided & it is the meaneing of the Court that men & women shall haue liberty to weare out such appell as they are nowe proveded of, (except the imoderate greate sleeves, slashed appell, imoderate greate rayles, longe wings, &c :) this order to take place a fortnight after the publishing thereof.”*

In October, 1636, an additional law was passed, as follows:—

“That no pson after one month, shall make or sell any bone lace, or other lace,

to bee worne vpon any garment or linnen, vpon paine of 5 sh^s the yard for every yard of such lace so made or sould, or set on; neith^r shall any taylor^r set any lace vpon any garment, vpon payne of x^s for every offence; pvided that binding or small edging laces may bee vsed vpon garments or linnen.”*

Sept. 9, 1639, the following law was passed by the general court:—

“Whereas there is much complant of the excessive wearing of lace, & other superfluties tending to little vse or benefit, but to the nourishing of pride & exhausting of mens estates, & also of evill example to others, it is therefore ordered by this Court, & decreed, that henceforward no person whatsoever shall psume to buy or sell, wthin this iurisdiction, any manner of lace, to bee worne or vsed wth-in o^r limits.

“And that no taylor^r or any other person whatsoever, shall hereafter set any lace or points vpon any garments, either linnen, wollen, or any other wearing cloathes whatsoever, & that no pson hearafter shalbee imployed in making of any manner of lace, but such as they shall sell to such persons as shall & will transport the same out of this iurisdiction, who, in such case shall have liberty to buy the same: And that hearafter no garment shalbee made wth short sleeues, whereby the nakedness of the arme may bee discovered in the wearing thereof; & such as have garments already made wth short sleeves shall not hearafter were the same, vnless they cover their armes to the wrist wth linnen, or otherwise: And that hearafter no person whatsoever shall make any garment for weomen, or any of their sex, wth sleeves more that halfe an elle wide in the widest place thereof, & so proportionable for bigger or smaller persons.

“And for psent reformation of imoderate great sleeues, & some other superfluties, w^{ch} may easily bee redressed wthout much piudice, or the spoile of garments,

*Records of Massachusetts Bay Colony, volume I, page 124.

*Records of Massachusetts Bay Colony, volume I, page 182.

as imoderate great breches, knots of ryban, broad shoulder bands, & rayles, silk rasers, double ruffes, & cuffes, &c;—

“And whereas some have beene greived that such excesses were psented to the Courte, w^{ch} concerned the members of churches; before the parties had bene dealt wth at hoame, intimating therby that the churches would (vpon notice of those abuses in apparell) haue taken such course as would have reformed their members, & so have pvented the trouble of the Courte;—

“This Court hath, therefore, thought fitt (in the great confidence it hath of the care & faithfulness of the churches) to stay all pceedings, vpon the said psentments, in expectation that the officers & members of all the churches, haveing now cleare knowledg, both of the said disorders in apparrell, & the resolution of the Court to attaine a generall reformation, will speedily & effectually pceede against all offenders in this kind, & that they will also (from observation of o^r pneness to follow new fashions, & to fall to excessive costliness in attire) keepe the more strict watch over all sorts for time to come; & this Court doth hearby intimate to all whom it may concerne, (of what quality or estate soever they may bee,) that all such persons as, after all these admonitions & forbearances, shall obstinately persist in their excesses in this kind, shalbee looket at as contemners of authority, & regardles of the publike weale, & must expect to bee pceeded against by the strictest course of iustice, as their offences shall deserve.

“It is referred to the care of all those of the late grandiury men, & others who shall succeed, or any others, to admonish all offenders in their severall townes, as they shall have occation & opportunity.”*

The passage of these laws as an expression of the opinion of the general court upon the subject of extravagance in dress was about all that they amounted to. The

*Records of Massachusetts Bay Colony, volume I, page 261.

church, apparently, did not take kindly to the jurisdiction and office given it by the civil authority; and Nov. 13, 1644, “It is ordered, that all those former ord^{rs} made about apparrell & lace are hereby repealed.”*

The inventories of the personal property of those persons in Essex county whose estates were early settled give evidence that our first settlers were far from a mean condition in respect to their dress.

In the inventory of the estate of John Goffe of Newbury, who died in 1641, are mentioned one purple cloth suit, doublet and hose; one short coat; one large blue coat; one large white coat; two pairs lead colored breeches; one pair drawers; one green doublet; one cloth doublet; one leather doublet; three pairs of shoes; one pair of boots; two pairs of leather stockings; one pair woolen stockings; two hats; one cloth cap; etc.

In the inventory of the estate of John Mattocks, in 1644, is included an old gray short coat; several suits; a pair of knit stockings; a pair of cloth stockings; a pair russet boots; two pairs of shoes; an old hat; etc.; and he was a poor man.

In the inventory of the estate of Robert Lewis, who died in 1643, apparently poor, are named “his best clothes,” valued at sixteen shillings; an old hat; an old stuff doublet; two cotton waistcoats; a pair of cotton breeches; two pairs of cotton stockings; a hat; pair of shoes; etc.

Joanna Commins of Salem died in 1644, and in the inventory of her estate (which amounted in all to only thirty-three pounds) are named, beside her ewe goat, spotted sow, milch cow, green rug, damask curtain, etc., one sad† colored “Carsy”‡ gown; one hood; one stamell§ “Carsy” coat with velvet about the skirts; one green “Carsy” petticoat; one blue pet-

*Records of Massachusetts Bay Colony, volume II, page 66.

†A dark shade of a color; dull color.

‡Kersey; a coarse cloth woven from long wools. Name probably derived from Kersey, Suffolk, England, where the woolen trade was once carried on.

§A woolen cloth colored red.

ticoat; one stuff petticoat; one black petticoat; one red cotton shag* waistcoat; white shag waistcoat; one black cloak; one black grograin gown; one tawny serge apron; green serge apron; black hat; two calico aprons, laced about; nine "crost clothes," laced plain; two coifs,† one cutwork and one blackwork; four handkerchiefs, laced and cut work; three plain handkerchiefs; two pairs of stockings; old shifts; pair of shoes; muff; etc.

Robert Pease of Salem, a man of ordinary means, having a good farm, died in 1644. Among the items in the inventory of his estate are two suits of apparel, coat, hat, pair of stockings, pair of shoes, etc.

Widow Margery Wathen died in 1644, possessed, among many other things, of one purple gown; one purple waist cloth, laced; one red petticoat and waist cloth; one tawny cloak cloth; one old mixed color cloth gown; one London russet gown of cloth; one "perpetuance" hood; one old purple petticoat and waist cloth; tawny doublet and "portingal" cap; one russet "pagon" apron; one Holland white waist cloth; two Holland aprons; four neck handkerchiefs, laced; five plain neck handkerchiefs; six pocket handkerchiefs; one long neckcloth; three laced cross cloths; two plain cross cloths; one white wrought coif; four white stuff coifs; four old coifs; two Holland coifs; three white stuff stomachers;‡ three white wrought stomachers; one pair of white knit thread gloves; one silk girdle; five women's shifts; one pair of cotton gloves; one "straddle" band; one "pemat painlads;" one embroidered girdle; one pair of old shoes; one white apron; one blue apron; one pair of old worsted stockings; one flannel neck cloth; a cotton waistcoat; cloak buttons.

Jane Gaines of Lynn died in 1644. She was of ordinary estate, both real and

personal, and among the articles of apparel belonging to her estate were one man's coat and breeches; one man's doublet; one man's waistcoat; a woman's gown; three women's waistcoats; a man's coat; a woman's cloak and hood; two petticoats; one woman's hat; one linen skirt for a shift; two shifts for a woman; two skirts for shifts; a white apron, ten handkerchiefs; twelve coifs; four cross cloths; three head cloths; one neck cloth; two bands; a straw hat;* one pair shoes; one pair of gloves; one pair of stockings; apron; three pairs of "bodys;"† one pair of pattens;§ etc.

Widow Margaret Pease of Salem died in 1644, having an ordinary estate for a woman of her time. She had five aprons; cloth gown; one stuff gown; red petticoat; two old petticoats; two old waistcoats; red waistcoat; two hoods; cloak; green apron; and a hat.

John Thorne of Salem died in 1646. He was a man of small means; and in the inventory of his estate is included a great coat, valued at one pound; two cloth suits; one stuff suit; two hats; two shirts; three bands; two handkerchiefs; one pair of milled stockings; one pair of yarn stockings; two pairs of shoes; a waistcoat; etc.

Oct. 14, 1651, the general court passed a new law as follows:—

"Although seuerall declarations and orders have bin made by this Court against excesse in apparrell both of men and woe-men, which have not yet taken that effect which were to be desired, but, on the contrary, we cannot but to our greife take notice that intollerable excess and bravery hath crept in vppon vs, and especially amongst people of meane condition, to the dishonor of God, the scandall of our profession, the consumption of estates, and altogether vnsuiteable to our povertie; and although we acknowledge it to be a matter of much difficultie, in regard of the blindness of mens mindes, and the stub-

*Shag was a kind of cloth having a long, coarse woolly nap.

†Head dress.

‡An ornamental covering worn over the breast by women.

*This is the earliest straw hat mentioned.

†Bodice.

§Shoes with wooden soles.

bornes of their wills, to set downe exact rules to confine all sorts of persons, yet we cannot but account it our duty to commend vnto all sorts of persons the sober and moderate vse of those blessings which, beyond our expectation, the Lord hath been pleased to afford vnto vs in this wilderness, and also to declare our vtter detestation and dislike that men or women of meane condition, educations, & calliges should take vppon them the garbe of gentlemen, by wearing gold or siluer lace, or buttons, or points at their knees, to walke in great bootes, or women of the same ranke to weare silke or tiffany hoodes or scarfes, which though allowable to persons of greater estates, or more liberall education, yet we cannot but judge it intollerable in persons of such like condition; itt is therefore ordered by this Court, and the authoritie thereof, that no person within this jurisdiction, or any of their relations depending vppon them, whose visible estates, reall and personall, shall not exceede the true and indifferent value of two hundred pounds, shall weare any gold or siluer lace, or gold or siluer buttons, or any bone lace above two shillings p yard, or silk hoods or scarfes, vppon the poenalty of ten shillings for euery such offence; and euery such delinquent to be psented by the grand jury. And forasmuch as distinct and particuler rules in this case, suiteable to the estate or qualitie of each person, cannot easily be given, it is further ordered by the authoritie aforesajd, that the selectmen of euery towne, or the major part of them, are hereby enabled and required from time to time, to have regard and take notice of apparrell in any of the inhabitants of their seuerall townes respectively, & whosoeuer they shall judge to exceed their rankes and abillitie in the costlynes or fashion of their apparrell in any respect, especially in the wearing of ribbons or great bootes, (leather being so scarce a commoditie in this country,) lace pointes, &c, silk hoods or scarfes,*

* The words "silke hoods or scarfes" were left out in the first draft through oversight and were

the select men aforesajd shall have power to asseesse such persons so offending in any of the particulars above mentioned in the country rates, at two hundred pounds estates, according to that proportion that such men vse to pay to whom such apparrell is suiteable and allowed, provided that this law shall not extend to the restraint of any magistrate or other publicke officer of this jurisdiction, their wives and children, who are left to their discretion in wearing of apparrell, or any settled military officer or souldier in the time of military service, or any other whose education and imployments have beene above the ordinary degree, or whose estates haue beene considerable, though now decayed; & this order to take place & be of force two moneths after the end of this session of Court."*

Under this law, complaints to the magistrates were speedily made. At the Ipswich court, held Sept. 28, 1652, Ruth Halfield of Wenham (?) was presented for excess in apparel, but, at the next court, held March 29, 1653, it being shown that she was under the government of her mother, who was worth two hundred pounds, she was discharged.

At the court held in Salem Nov. 30, 1652, Robert Edwards of Manchester was fined for wearing silver lace and silver and gold buttons; Abigail, wife of Arthur Kippin of Lynn, for wearing broad bone lace; Henry Bullock of Salem, for wearing great boots, ribbons, gold and silver lace, etc.; and Mark Haskell of Salem, for wearing broad lace. Jonas Fairbanks of Lynn was presented for wearing great boots, but was discharged.

At the court held in Salem in December, 1652, the wife of Austin Killam of Wenham was presented for wearing a silk scarf or hood; and John Brackenbury of Salem, for wearing points and ribbons. The wife of Thomas Fiske of Wenham

added to the second draft May 27, 1652.—*Records of Massachusetts Bay Colony, volume III, page 332.*

* Records of Massachusetts Bay Colony, volume III, page 311, and volume IV, part 1, page 57.

was fined for wearing a tiffany or silk hood; and Alice, daughter of William Flint of Salem, having been presented for wearing a silk hood, was discharged, it being proved that her father was worth above two hundred pounds.

At the court held in Ipswich March 29, 1653, George Palmer was fined ten shillings for wearing silver lace; and Samuel Brocklebank, who was presented for wearing silver lace, was discharged in consideration of his employment, etc.

At the court held in Salem June 28, 1653, the wife of Thomas Day was fined for wearing a silk scarf; and two days later the wife of John Tompkins was fined for wearing a silk hood.

At the Ipswich court held Sept. 27, 1653, the wife of Richard Coy of Wenham (?) was discharged; also the wives of Hugh March, John Whipple, Richard Knight and Nicholas Noyes, they being worth above two hundred pounds. The wife of John Hutchings was presented for wearing a silk hood, and discharged upon testimony of her having been brought up above the ordinary rank. The wives of John Swett and William Chandlour were each fined ten shillings for wearing silk hoods. The wife of Anthony Potter was presented for wearing a silk hood. Richard Brabrook was also presented for wearing a silk scarf, but it was not proven. The wives of Thomas Harris, Thomas Wayte and Edward Browne were also presented, but all were discharged upon proof of their education and bringing up.

This spasm of economy and morality continued no longer in Essex county, and the law remained a dead letter for years. It is interesting to note the various expedients taken to remedy the evil of undue dress. First, making it a crime; second, taxing the wearers of immoderate apparel on two hundred pounds assessed valuation, on the assumption that that amount of property must have been possessed, or they would not have so dressed; and, third, through and by the church, on the ground of moral or religious duty. Apparently the church re-

fused to interfere, taxation was not feasible, and the criminal law was only spasmodically enforced. The trouble was that the general court sought to enact laws that would severely affect other people, but would wholly exempt themselves from its operation,—laws that naturally are unpopular and bound to become dead letters.

NOTES.

“Beverly, June 6. A number of young Ladies, of several Ages, very early in the Morning, affembled at the house of the Rev. Mr. Champney, with their Spinning-Wheels, bringing with them a Sufficiency, and indeed more, to employ them the whole Day, which they spent with great Diligence and surprizing Application, and with much Decency and Propriety. Their exact Number was fixty. The Number of Skeins they spun, was one hundred of Linen and Cotton Yarn, twenty Knots in a Skein, which they generously left with the Family at Night, beside some Wool and Flax, which the Approach of the Evening forbid their spinning. ’Twas remarked by many, that nothing but Love and Pleasure appeared in their Words and Behaviour.—It may not be amiss to let the Publick know, that divers in the Parish were generous and respectful to Mr. Champney and Family on the Occasion.”

“Boxford, May 17. Mr. Joseph Robinson, of this Town, had a Ewe that bro’t him four Lambs this Spring at a Time, and are all alive, and like to do well. They all suck the Ewe, and look as likely to live as any Lambs I have seen this Year. The same Ewe bro’t three Lambs at a Time last Spring, and raifed up two of them.—If our Sheep should all increafe so fast, we should have but little Need of sending Home for our Goods.”

—*Essex Gazette*, June 13-20, 1769.

Nelly Blanchard married Samuel Danforth of Lynnfield Aug. 24, 1794.

John, son of John and Dorcus Blanchard, born May 2, 1790.

—*Andover town records*.

BOWDITCH GENEALOGY.

WILLIAM BOWDITCH¹ lived in Salem as early as 1639, and is said to have come from Devonshire, England. He married Sarah ———.

Children:—

- 2—I. WILLIAM². *See below (2)*.
- 3—II. NATHANIEL² bapt. 12: 12: 1642-3. Nathaniel Bowditch of Newport, R. I., sold land in Salem in 1674.

2

WILLIAM BOWDITCH² lived at Salem. He married Sarah ———; and before Nov. 12, 1681, when an appraisal of his estate was taken. He had a large number of books and a ketch.

Only child:—

- 4—I. WILLIAM³ b. Aug. —, 1663. *See below (4)*.

4

CAPT. WILLIAM BOWDITCH² born in August, 1663. He was a master-mariner and merchant, and lived in Salem. He married Miss Mary Gardner of Salem Aug. 30, 1688: and she died in 1724. He died May 28, 1728, aged sixty-four. He was the original treasurer of the Union Wharf proprietors; and devised his homestead to his son Joseph Bowditch. His estate was appraised at £4,452, 2s., 9d.

Children, born in Salem:—

- 5—I. MARY³ b. Aug. 2, 1689; d. Oct. 2, 1689.
- 6—II. WILLIAM³ b. Oct. 31, 1690; d. Oct. 12, 1706.
- 7—III. MARY³ b. Dec. 18, 1693; m., first, James Butler of Boston Sept. 8, 1715; second, Capt. Samuel Barton of Salem Dec. 26, 1723; and d., of consumption, Feb. —, 1723-4.
- 8—IV. SARAH³ b. Jan. 10, 1695-6; m. Joseph Hathorne of Salem June 30, 1715. Nathaniel Hawthorne, the novelist, is a descendant.
- 9—V. THOMAS³ b. June 5, 1698; d. Nov. 30, 1702.
- 10—VI. JOSEPH³ b. Aug. 21, 1700. *See below (10)*.
- 11—VII. EBENEZER³ b. April 26, 1702. *See below (11)*.
- 12—VIII. EUNICE³ b. June 8, 1705; d. July 2, 1705.
- 13—IX. EUNICE³ b. March 22, 1707; m. William Hunt of Salem Dec. 12, 1728.
- 14—X. DANIEL³ b. June 19, 1709 (baptized April 7, 1709); lived in Salem; mariner; d. about 1730.

- 15—XI. WILLIAM³ b. Jan. 18, 1712-3; d. Nov. 1, 1715.

10

CAPT. JOSEPH BOWDITCH³ born in Salem Aug. 21, 1700. He was called an esquire; was clerk of the courts for many years; and a man of great humor. He married Elizabeth Hunt June 22, 1725; and died Oct. 6, 1780, at the age of eighty.

Children, born in Salem:—

- 16—I. WILLIAM⁴ bapt. Feb. 12, 1726-7; d. June 29, 1729, aged two years and five months.
- 17—II. JOSEPH⁴ bapt. Nov. 29, 1730. *See below (17)*.
- 18—III. MARY⁴ bapt. Dec. 17, 1732; m. Capt. Jonathan Orne of Salem Aug. 21, 1760.
- 19—IV. ELIZABETH⁴ m. William Jeffrey of Salem Sept. 21, 1766; and she was his widow in 1780 and 1793.
- 20—V. SARAH⁴ bapt. Jan. 23, 1736-7; d. Oct. 2, 1764, aged twenty-seven.
- 21—VI. EUNICE⁴ bapt. May 20, 1739; d. June 11, 1765, aged "twenty-five."
- 22—VII. DANIEL⁴ bapt. May 2, 1742.

11

CAPT. EBENEZER BOWDITCH⁴ born in Salem April 26, 1702. He was a master-mariner and merchant, and lived in Salem at 209 Essex Street. He married Miss Mary Turner of Salem Aug. 15, 1728; and died Feb. 2, 1768, aged "sixty-four." She survived him. His estate, which was appraised at £616, 15s., 4¾d., was insolvent.

Children, born in Salem:—

- 23—I. EBENEZER⁵ b. Sept. 28, 1729. *See below (23)*.
- 24—II. JOHN⁵ b. April 3, 1732. *See below (24)*.
- 25—III. THOMAS⁵ b. about 1733. *See below (25)*.
- 26—IV. WILLIAM⁵ b. in 1735; d. Dec. 29, 1752, aged eighteen.
- 27—V. HABAKKUK⁵ bapt. March 5, 1737-8. *See below (27)*.
- 28—VI. MARY⁵ b. about 1741; d. April 22, 1757, aged fifteen.

17

CAPT. JOSEPH BOWDITCH⁵ baptized in Salem Nov. 29, 1730. He was a merchant, and lived in Salem. He married Miss Sarah Gardner of Salem March 3, 1757: and she died Dec. 8, 1797. He was living in 1793.

Child, born in Salem :—

- 29—I. JOSEPH,⁶ bapt. Nov. 20, 1757; merchant; lived in Salem; d., probably unmarried, April 29, 1800, aged forty-two.

23

CAPT. EBENEZER BOWDITCH,⁵ born in Salem Sept. 28, 1729. He lived in Salem; and married Elizabeth Gilman of Ipswich July 17, 1755. He died Aug. 3, 1771, aged forty two; and she died, his widow, Feb. 11, 1824, aged ninety-two.

Children, born in Salem :—

- 30—I. ELIZABETH,⁶ bapt. May 2, 1756; d. young.
 31—II. WILLIAM,⁶ bapt. July 9, 1758; d. young.
 32—III. EUNICE,⁶ bapt. June 15, 1760.
 33—IV. ELIZABETH,⁶ bapt. Sept. 5, 1762.
 34—V. WILLIAM,⁶ bapt. Aug. 12, 1764.
 35—VI. EBENEZER,⁶ bapt. Nov. 23, 1766; captain; probably m. Mary Appleton of Salem July 25, 1797; she d. May 17, 1819, aged forty-seven; and he d. July 23, 1830, aged sixty-three.
 36—VII. ANDREW,⁶ bapt. June 4, 1769.

23

CAPT. JOHN BOWDITCH,⁵ born in Salem April 3, 1732. He was a master-mariner, and lived in Salem. He married Miss Mary Carlton of Salem July 12, 1759. Administration upon his estate was granted Nov. 14, 1793; and she survived him.

Children, born in Salem :—

- 37—I. MARY,⁶ bapt. June 15, 1760; probably m. Lewis Hunt of Salem April 7, 1782.
 38—II. HANNAH,⁶ bapt. Dec. 13, 1761; probably m. John Ingersoll of Salem July 21, 1792.
 39—III. JOHN,⁶ bapt. March 4, 1764; probably m. Polly Cook of Salem Mar. 11, 1791.
 40—IV. DEBORAH,⁶ bapt. Oct. 11, 1767.
 41—V. SAMUEL,⁶ bapt. May 7, 1769; m. Nancy Welman of Salem Aug. 15, 1790.
 42—VI. EBENEZER,⁶ bapt. Oct. 6, 1771. See No. 35.

25

CAPT. THOMAS BOWDITCH,⁵ born in Salem about 1733. He was a mariner, and lived in Salem. He married Sarah Bancroft of Lynn April 21, 1760; and she died Feb. 26, 1808, aged sixty-six. He died July 29, 1808, aged seventy-four.

Children born in Salem :—

- 43—I. THOMAS,⁶ b. in 176—. *See below (43)*.
 44—II. DANIEL,⁶ bapt. March 10, 1765.
 45—III. JOSEPH,⁶ bapt. July 5, 1767; d. young.
 46—IV. SARAH,⁶ bapt. Sept. 17, 1769; probably m. John Brindley May 12, 1793.
 47—V. JANE,⁶ bapt. March 20, 1774.
 48—VI. JOSEPH,⁶ b. about 1776; d. Aug. 30, 1824, aged forty-eight.
 49—VII. EBENEZER,⁶ bapt. April —, 1783.
 50—VIII. RICHARD,⁶ bapt. April —, 1783.
 51—IX. ELIZABETH,⁶ bapt. April —, 1783.
 52—X. GEORGE,⁶ bapt. April —, 1783.

27

CAPT. HABAKKUK BOWDITCH,⁵ baptized March 5, 1737-8. He was a mariner, and lived in Salem. He married Mary Ingersoll of Salem July 23, 1765; and died July 28, 1798, aged sixty. His estate was insolvent.

Children, born in Salem :—

- 53—I. MARY,⁶ bapt. March 30, 1766; probably m. David Martin of Salem April 20, 1791.
 54—II. HABAKKUK,⁶ bapt. May 15, 1768.
 55—III. ELIZABETH,⁶ bapt. May 19, 1771.
 56—IV. NATHANIEL,⁶ b. March 26, 1773; celebrated mathematician; "captain;" lived in Salem until 1823, when he removed to Boston; m., first, Miss Elizabeth B. Boardman March 25, 1798; she d. Oct. 18, 1798; m., second, his cousin, Mary Ingersoll, in Danvers, Oct. 28, 1800; she d., of consumption, April 17, 1834; and he d. at Boston March 16, 1838. He had eight children.
 57—V. SAMUEL INGERSOLL,⁶ bapt. Sept. 12, 1779.
 58—VI. WILLIAM,⁶ bapt. Sept. 12, 1779.
 59—VII. LOIS,⁶ bapt. April 1, 1781.

43

CAPT. THOMAS BOWDITCH,⁶ born in Salem in 176—. He was a master-mariner, and lived in Salem. He married Miss Lucy Mansfield of Salem Sept. 17, 1786. She was called Lucretia in one place.

Children, born in Salem :—

- 60—I. LUCRETIA,⁷ bapt. July 1, 1787.
 61—II. BETSEY MANSFIELD,⁷ bapt. Aug. 9, 1789.
 62—III. THOMAS,⁷ bapt. Nov. 27, 1791.
 63—IV. SARAH,⁷ bapt. May 26, 1793.
 64—V. AMOS HENDFIELD,⁷ bapt. Dec. 6, 1795.
 65—VI. JOHN,⁷ bapt. Dec. 31, 1797.
 66—VII. MARY PICKMAN,⁷ bapt. May 14, 1800.

BOWEN GENEALOGY.

NATHAN BOWEN¹, born in 1697, lived in Marblehead, and was a shopkeeper, scrivener and esquire. He is frequently called "gentleman" in the records. He married, first, Sarah — in or before 1720; and she died Sept. 18, 1740. He married, second, Hannah Harris Nov. 18, 1741; and she was living in 1753. He married, third, Mary Boden May 27, 1764; and he died Dec. 23, 1776, aged seventy-nine. His estate was appraised at £2,220, 11s, 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ d. He had land in Windham, Me., and a negro woman named Fortune. His wife Mary survived him, and was his widow in 1796.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 2—I. EDWARD², b. Dec. 30, 1720. *See below (2).*
- 3—II. MARY², b. Oct. 9, 1722.
- 4—III. SARAH², b. Dec. 7, 1724.
- 5—IV. NATHAN², b. Dec. 17, 1726. *See below (5).*
- 6—V. ASHLEY², b. in 1727. *See below (6).*
- 7—VI. SARAH², b. June 16, 1730; m. — Stiles before 1774; and she was his widow in 1788 and 1793, living in Marblehead.
- 8—VII. ABIGAIL², b. Feb. 12, 1732-3; m. John Wight of Andover Jan. 6, 1756; and she was of Andover, his widow, in 1781.
- 9—VIII. ELIZABETH², b. Feb. 27, 1734; m. Knott Martin, jr., of Marblehead, coaster, Dec. 27, 1756; and they were living in Marblehead in 1793.
- 10—IX. ANNA², b. May 3, 1737; m. Capt. John Prince of Marblehead Nov. 15, 1758; and she was of Marblehead, his widow, in 1788 and 1796.
- 11—X. HANNAH², b. Sept. 6, 1740.
- 12—XI. HANNAH², b. July 8, 1743, "second of the name;" probably m. Richard Reed, jr., July 1, 1762.

2

CAPT. EDWARD BOWEN², born in Marblehead Dec. 30, 1720. He was a yeoman, mariner and esquire, and lived in Marblehead. He married, first, Miss Elizabeth Boden Feb. 1, 1750; and she died July 3, 1761. He married, second, Mary Burnham Aug. 10, 1762; and she died before Nov. 7, 1769. He married, third, Deborah (Kimball), widow of Benjamin Hawkes of Marblehead July 14, 1774;

and she was his wife in 1793. He married, fourth, Mrs. Mercy Cross May 3, 1795; and she survived him. He died Oct. 5, 1796, at the age of seventy-five.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 13—I. BENJAMIN³, b. Nov. 15, 1750. *See below (13).*
- 14—II. NATHAN³, b. Oct. 5, 1752. *See below (14).*
- 15—III. EDWARD³, b. Aug. 17, 1755; d. "Coming from New York" Jan. 13, 1777.
- 16—IV. WILLIAM³, bapt. July 2, 1758; d. young.
- 17—V. WILLIAM³, b. June 27, 1761; d. July 3, 1761.
- 18—VI. WILLIAM³, b. in 1763; lived in Sherburn, Mass., in 1784.
- 19—VII. SARAH³, bapt. Oct. 29, 1775; d. young.
- 20—VIII. JAMES³, bapt. Oct. 20, 1776; lived in Marblehead; mariner; and administration was granted on his estate March 26, 1798.
- 21—IX. EDWARD³, bapt. Jan. 31, 1779; d. Nov. 27, 1805, aged "twenty-seven."
- 22—X. SARAH³, bapt. Feb. 25, 1781; m. Samuel Thompson, jr., Dec. 27, 1803.
- 23—XI. ELIZABETH³, bapt. Oct. 12, 1783.

5

NATHAN BOWEN², born in Marblehead Dec. 17, 1726. He lived in Marblehead, and married Martha Trevett Oct. 11, 1753.

Child:—

- 24—I. MARTHA³, bapt. April 27, 1755, in Marblehead.

6

CAPT. ASHLEY BOWEN², born in Marblehead in 1727. He was a mariner and rigger, and lived in Marblehead. He married, first, Deborah Chadwick of Boxford, at Boxford, May 7, 1758; and she was his wife in 1770. He married, second, Mary Shaw Dec. 8, 1771; and she was his wife in 1780. He married, third, Mrs. Hannah Graves Feb. 6, 1782; and she was his wife in 1792. Captain Bowen died Feb. 2, 1813, at the age of eighty-five or eighty-six.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 25—I. ASHLEY³, b. Jan. 14, 1758.
- 26—II. ASHLEY³, bapt. Feb. 8, 1761.

- 27—III. HANNAH³, bapt. Feb. 19, 1764.
 28—IV. NATHAN³, bapt. Oct. 4, 1767. *See below (28).*
 29—V. AMBROSE³, bapt. Jan. 14, 1770.

13

BENJAMIN BOWEN³, born in Marblehead Nov. 15, 1750. He lived in Marblehead, and married Martha Florance (published June 19, 1773).

Children born in Marblehead:—

- 30—I. MARY⁴, had an illegitimate son, Benjamin Bowen, born in Marblehead Jan. 18, 1798, and he died "in the West Indies with Capt. Quiner in Schr. Regulator," rec. Jan. 15, 1820, "aged twenty-two."
 31—II. BENJAMIN⁴, b. 1773-1790 (?).
 32—III. PHILIP⁴, bapt. Nov. 29, 1778; living in 1796.

14

DEA. NATHAN BOWEN³, born in Marblehead Oct. 5, 1752. He was a cabinet maker, and lived in Marblehead. He married, first, Elizabeth Martin Oct. 23, 1781; and she died May 18, 1797, aged thirty-six. He married, second, Mrs. Hannah Martin Aug. 13, 1797; and died Aug. 11 (9—*gravestone*), 1837, aged eighty-four. His wife Mary survived him, and died, his widow, May 21, 1838, at the age of eighty.

Children, born in Marblehead:—

- 33—I. ELIZABETH⁴, bapt. July 20, 1783.
 34—II. THOMAS MARTIN⁴, bapt. June 26, 1785; captain; m. Miriam Russell May 27, 1810; and she d., of consumption, May 25, 1824, aged thirty-nine.
 35—III. BENJAMIN BODEN⁴, bapt. May 27, 1787.
 36—IV. MARY⁴, b. about 1791; d., of consumption, May 15, 1818, at the age of twenty-six.
 37—V. HANNAH⁴, b. about 1792; d., of consumption, Nov. 25, 1819, aged twenty-seven.

28

NATHAN BOWEN³, baptized in Marblehead Oct. 4, 1767. He lived in Marblehead, and married Lydia Pritchard Jan. 20, 1793.

Child:—

- 38—I. NATHAN⁴, bapt. Nov. 3, 1793.

BOYCE GENEALOGY.

JOSEPH BOYCE¹, born about 1609, lived in that part of Salem now Peabody as early as 1640. He was a tanner by trade, and early became associated with the Quakers. He married Ellenor —; and died about 1694; his will, dated 4 : 9 mo : 1684, being proved Feb. 18, 1694-5.

Children, born in Salem:—

- 2—I. MARY², m. Josiah Southwick of Salem in 1658; and she was living in 1684.
 3—II. ESTHER², bapt. 21 : 12 : 1640-1; m. Daniel Southwick of Salem 23 : 12 : 1663; and was living in 1684.
 4—III. ELIZABETH², bapt. 6 : 1 : 1641-2; m. — Hanson before 1684.
 5—IV. JOSEPH², bapt. 31 : 1 : 1644. *See below (5).*
 6—V. BENJAMIN², bapt. 16 : 3 : 1647; probably d. before 1684.

5

JOSEPH BOYCE², baptized in Salem 31 : 1 : 1644. He was a tanner, and lived in Salem on his father's homestead. He married Sarah Meachum 4 : 12 mo : 1667; and died between 1709 and 1722. She survived him.

Children, born in Salem:—

- 7—I. SARAH³, b. 4 : 10 mo : 1668.
 8—II. JOSEPH³, b. about 1672. *See below (8).*
 9—III. BENJAMIN³. *See below (9).*
 10—IV. JONATHAN³. *See below (10).*
 11—V. DAVID³. *See below (11).*
 12—VI. ESTHER³, m. Ezekiel Goldthwaite of Salem March 20, 1695-6.

8

JOSEPH BOYCE³, born in Salem about 1672, was a tanner and miller, and lived on his grandfather's homestead in Salem. He married Rebecca (Trask), widow of Samuel Potter of Salem about 1695; and died in 1723. She survived him, and married, secondly, Benjamin Very of Salem (published Dec. 4, 1731), being the latter's widow in 1739.

Children, born in Salem:—

- 13—I. MARY⁴, b. Feb. 15, 1695-6.
 14—II. REBECCA⁴, b. 1 : 31 : 1697; probably d. young.
 15—III. JOSEPH⁴, b. 10 : 29 : 1699; tanner (also called sadler, 1727-1731; mariner, 1739; and innholder, 1741); m. Miss Content Lindsey; lived in Salem until just before 1755, when they removed

to Bakeman's Precinct, Dutchess county, N. Y.

16—IV. ABIGAIL⁴, m. John Richards of Salem (pub. Oct. 11, 1729).

17—V. JOHN⁴. *See below (17)*.

18—VI. SAMUEL⁴, b. about 1711; m. Eunice Goodale of Salem Oct. 15, 1740; and lived in Danvers, laborer, in 1754.

19—VII. NICHOLAS⁴, b. about 1714; aged fifteen in 1730.

9

BENJAMIN BOYCE³ was a fuller and cordwainer, and lived in Salem until 1725, when he removed to Mendon. He married, first, Mary Allen of Lynn (published Sept. 30, 1699); and she died before 1709. He married, second, Susanna — before 1709; and she was his wife in 1725.

Children, born in Salem :—

20—I. MARY⁴, b. April 10, 1701; m. Nathan Gaskill of Salem, husbandman, before 1723.

21—II. ISAAC⁴, b. Oct. 15, 1704.

10

JONATHAN BOYCE³ lived in that part of Salem that was incorporated as Danvers in 1752. He was a yeoman, and in 1723-4 was called a stone-cutter. He married, first, Patience — before 1716; and, second, Abigail — before 1723. His wife was Abigail in 1758. He died in 1767, "far advanced in years;" his will dated March 26, 1754, being proved May 4, 1767. His estate was appraised at £201, 13s., 8d.

Children :—

22—I. EBENEZER⁴. *See below (22)*.

23—II. JONATHAN⁴. *See below (23)*.

24—III. PATIENCE⁴, m. Samuel Osborne before 1754.

25—IV. LYDIA⁴ m. — Dwoifiell before 1754.

11

DAVID BOYCE³, husbandman, lived in Lynn until 1735, when he removed to that part of Salem which was subsequently incorporated as Danvers. He married, first, Anna Alley of Salem (published March 29, 1712), and, second, Sarah (Lindsey), widow of — Smith of Salem (published Jan. 29, 1728-9). The latter was his wife in 1756; and he was living in Danvers as late as 1761.

Children :—

26—I. DAVID⁴, husbandman; lived in Lynn in 1744, and in Salem, 1746-1770; m. Catherine (Daland), widow of Robert Neal of Salem Sept. 20, 1744; and she was his wife in 1770.

17

JOHN BOYCE⁴, tanner and mariner, lived in Salem. He married Elizabeth Osborne of Salem Jan. 18, 1727-8; and she was his wife in 1734.

Children :—

27—I. JOHN⁵, cordwainer, lived in Lynn in 1754; probably m. Mary Howard, in Lynn, Dec. 12, 1750.

28—II. WILLIAM⁵, potter, lived in Dighton, Mass., in 1754.

29—III. ELIZABETH⁵, spinster, lived in Smithfield, R. I., unmarried, in 1754.

22

EBENEZER BOYCE⁴, yeoman and millstone maker, lived in Danvers. He married Rebecca —, before 1768; and died before Feb. 2, 1784, when administration was granted upon his estate. She survived him.

Children :

30—I. STEPHEN⁵, yeoman, lived in Danvers; and d. in the winter of 1804-5, apparently childless.

31—II. JOSEPH⁵, living in 1804.

32—III. REBECCA⁵, unmarried in 1804.

23

JONATHAN BOYCE⁴, husbandman, lived in Danvers. He conveyed his homestead to his son Jonathan in 1787. His will, dated 26: 1: 1792, was proved March 28, 1803. In it he mentions three granddaughters, Content, Patience and Theodate Boyce.

Children :—

33—I. JONATHAN⁵, *See below (33)*.

34—II. HANNAH⁵, m. — Needham before 1792.

33

JONATHAN BOYCE⁵, yeoman and miller, lived in Danvers in 1799.

Children :—

35—I. JONATHAN⁶, cordwainer, lived in Lynn, 1803.

36—II. SOLOMON⁶, living in 1792.

37—III. THOMAS⁶, living in 1792.

38—IV. BENJAMIN⁶, living in 1792.

SALEM IN 1700. NO. 23.

BY SIDNEY PERLEY.

The map on page 63 represents that part of Salem lying between Essex street and the harbor and from a line nearly parallel with Turner street and about eighty feet easterly thereof and a line nearly parallel with Daniels street and about one hundred feet easterly thereof. It is based on actual surveys and title deeds, and is drawn on a scale of two hundred feet to an inch. It shows the location of all houses that were standing there in 1700.

The braces marked "a" show where Derby street runs; and that marked "b" shows the water end of Turner street.

Essex street was the original main thoroughfare in this section. It was called a street or highway in 1667; ye street, 1670; "a highway or the strete that goes from y^e meting house down to the neck so caled," 1683; ye high street, 1687; ye main street, 1706; Main street, 1788; and Essex street, 1795.

The ancient way by the side of the water was provided for in the original laying out of the town, in 1628 or 1629. It was called the highway that runs between Mrs. Ann More's estate and the south harbor in 1668. It was used as the main road to reach the wharves and warehouses along the south harbor until the laying out of Derby street in 1767. After that time it was but little used, and a few years later became obsolete; although in the deed of John Turner to Samuel Ingersoll, of the Turner house and lot, Sept. 30, 1782, it is stated that the grantor conveyed the estate, "referving to the use of said town the way at the south-erly end of the premises of twelve feet in wedth for the use of the Inhabitants as heretofore, said way to be above high water mark."*

What is now Turner street originated in the following manner: Edward Woolen laid out through the middle of his lot of

land a drive way, which he called in 1679 "a particular way." In 1683, he sold a lot of land on this way to his son-in-law Hugh Pasco, agreeing that it should be "a particular high way." It was not formally laid out, however, until May 28, 1684, when it is recorded as "the privilege of a highway," the record being as follows: "I have accordingly . . . laid Out y^e high Way which is Twenty five foot Square for y^e Turning of Cattle Carts or Sleds towards m^{rs} Elizabeth Turner her Gates & fifteen foot wide all y^e way from thence to y^e main Street in Salem Except in y^e narrow betwixt my house & my Garden & there it is but thirteen ffoot & a halfe wide & There was present Leiu^t Jeremiah Neale, Samuel Pike blacksmith ffrancis Neale Sen^r and ffrancis Neale Jun^r and this high Way was by me layed Out y^e Twenty Eighth Day of May one thoufand and Six hundred Eighty fower."* This privilege of a way was assigned by Mr. Pasco to Francis Neale May 29, 1684.* This part of the present street only went as far as the present Derby street. When Mr. Woolen conveyed a lot to John Mars- ters in 1690, he also conveyed to him "a priviledge in y^e Lane to turne a cart att the Lower end." It was called a lane or highway left for the use of the proprietors in 1680; the lane that runs down along to the land or house of Capt. Charles Redford,† 1687; ye lane going downe to the water side, 1687: ye highway, 1695; and the lane going down to Col Turner's, 1724. That part of the lane that now runs through the ancient Turner estate was laid out by Hon. John Turner about 1725. The entire lane was called the lane in 1741; the lane leading to Turner's wharf in 1744; Turner's lane, 1757; and Turner street, 1795.

Hardy street was laid out as far as Derby street by Joseph Grafton and John Grafton, by taking a strip of land ten feet in width from either of their lots between

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 12.

†Captain Redford was then living on the Turner estate as the husband of Elizabeth, widow of John Turner, who died in 1680.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 137, leaf 100.

1667 and 1670. No record was made of it until Dec. 14, 1683, when John Grafton and Joshua Grafton, owners of that part of the lot lying below Derby street, agreed to take a strip of land ten feet wide from either lot and continue the lane to the water. The record, which is as follows, incidentally mentions the original laying out of the upper part of the lane: "who [said Joseph Grafton] was agreed in his life time with y^e sd John Grafton to leave a highway of twenty foot bredth to allow out of either parties land ten foot for a highway, & accordingly Mr. Joseph Grafton began at the northerly end, so farr as the house lotts are laid out of his land to allow ten foot of his part, & y^e sd John Grafton out of his part alsoe allowed out of his land ten foot bredth, intended in like maner to leave out the same breadth throughout to the south harbour, that soe there might be a way of that bredth left from y^e sd south harbour to y^e sd streete against Christopher Babadge."* Hardy street was called the lane or highway laid out by Joseph Grafton, sr., and John Grafton in 1670; "a highway or lane left for the use of severall of the neighbors scituate in y^e said lane," 1671; a lane or highway, 1672; a small lane or particular highway, 1679; ye street or lane, 1692; Grafton's lane, 1709; ye lane yt leads down to ye South River by Mr. Grafton's, 1711; the lane that runs down to the South river, 1713; a lane or highway laid out through the land formerly of John Grafton and Joshua Grafton, 1722; a lane or highway leading from ye main street to ye harbor, 1728; Hardy's lane, 1747; and Hardy street, 1795.

The passage shown on the map, and marked with the word "Way," was a passage way reserved by Isaac Meachum when he conveyed the lot marked "Mary Dowry" to Mrs. Mary Voeden March 27, 1682.† It was ten feet in width, and ran back to Mr. Meachum's land in the rear. This was extended many years later, and finally became the present Bentley street. It

was called a way in 1746; meeting-house lane 1788; and some years ago was named Bentley street.

Derby street was laid out in 1767. It was called the new way so called in 1768; and Derby street in 1792.

The harbor at this point was called the South harbor in 1668; the harbor or salt water, 1711; the South river, 1713; ye harbor, 1722; and ye sea, 1744.

In the sketches that follow, after 1700, titles and deeds referred to pertain to the houses and land adjoining, and not always to the whole lot, the design being, after that date, to give the history of the houses then standing principally.

Isaac Foot Lot. This was probably a part of the land of Richard Lambert in 1655. It belonged to Edward Woolland of Salem, fisherman, Sept. 28, 1667, when he conveyed the lot to Pasco Foot, ye elder, of Salem, fisherman.* Mr. Foot died Nov. 28, 1670, and the land descended to his son Isaac Foot, who owned it in 1700.

John Marsters House. This was probably a part of the land of Richard Lambert in 1655. The house was built before 1661; and in 1667 the house and lot belonged to Edward Woolland of Salem, fisherman or shoreman. April 7, 1690, for fifty-four pounds, Mr. Woolland conveyed the house and lot to John Marsters of Salem, mariner.† Mr. Marsters died, possessed of the house and lot, in the summer of 1721, having devised all his estate to his wife Deborah. Upon her decease, in or before 1757, on a division of the estate the house and land around it were assigned to her daughter Hannah, widow of Penn Townsend, Sept. 7, 1759.‡ Mrs. Townsend took the house down before 1771.

Isaac Foot Lot. This was a part of the Edward Woolland lot in 1667; and, for nine pounds and ten shillings, he conveyed this lot to Isaac Foot of Salem, fish-

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 104.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 47.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 2.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 21, leaf 143.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 106, leaf 250; and book 108, leaf 3.

erman, April 2, 1685.* Mr. Foot owned it in 1700.

Matthew Barton House. This was a part of the Edward Woollan lot; and, for ten pounds and five shillings, he conveyed that part of this lot lying northerly of the dashes to Richard Simons of Salem, mariner, Oct. 28, 1680.† Mr. Simons had built a cellar and erected the frame of a house over it when he died. Administration was granted upon his estate June 27, 1682. In the inventory of his estate the property is described as "a small pcell of ground with a new frame ftanding there vpon in Salem," and valued at twenty-six pounds. His administratrix, for thirty-five pounds, conveyed the lot with the house's frame and cellar to Matthew Barton of Salem Jan. 15, 1682-3.‡ Mr. Barton finished the house and lived in it.

That part of the lot lying south of the dashes was a part of the lot conveyed by Mr. Woollan to Thomas Searle of Salem, fisherman, Feb. 17, 1681-2.§ Mr. Searle died before 1686; and his widow married, secondly, Joseph Phippen of Salem, mariner, before 1686. Mr. Phippen conveyed this part of the Searle lot, to Mr. Woollen before May 14, 1686, when Mr. Woollen, for six pounds and five shillings, conveyed it to Mr. Barton.|| The house was standing in 1702, and was there some years later.

Estate of John Searle House. This lot was a part of the land of Edward Woollen; and Mr. Woollen conveyed this lot and a part of the land adjoining on the northwest to Thomas Searle of Salem, fisherman, Feb. 17, 1681-2.§ Mr. Searle died before 1686; and the lot descended to his son John Searle, apparently. John Searle (?) erected a house upon the lot immediately after his purchase; and probably died, possessed of the estate, before Dec 20, 1694, when his widow, Mary Searle, married Joseph English. Mr. and

Mrs. Searle apparently had a daughter Mercy, who, under the name of Mercy English, married John Beadle Oct. 11, 1722. The house was standing Oct. 6, 1738, when the rights of commonage allowed for this house were sold by Joseph English, shoreman, and wife Mary, and John Beadle, mariner, and wife Mercy, all of Salem;* and Mrs. Mercy Beadle owned the lot when she died in 1777.

John Cromwell Lot. This was a part of the lot of Edward Woollin of Salem, who conveyed it, for eleven pounds, to Mr. John Cromwell of Salem, slaughterer, Dec. 17, 1687.† Mr. Cromwell died, possessed of this lot, in 1700.

John Turner Houses. This lot and an old house standing thereon belonged to a Mr. More before 1661. He died before 1664, leaving a wife Ann (also, Anna or Hanna). She conveyed that part of the lot lying within the dashes at the easterly corner, for thirteen pounds, to Nathaniel Grafton of Salem, mariner, March 10, 1664-5;‡ and that corner came into the possession of John Turner, who owned the remainder of the lot, before 1679. A sale of the house and remainder of the lot being necessary for her support, as she stated in the court, she conveyed the same to John Turner of Salem, mariner, Aug. 17, 1668.§ In this deed the house is called "one old dwelling house," and the land is partly an orchard and partly arable. Mr. Turner apparently removed the old house and erected a house, probably on the same site, on the easterly side of the present Turner street. He died in possession of the new house Oct. 9, 1680. The estate was described as "The dwelling house land out housing two ware houfes & a wharfe, belonging there vnto," and appraised at five hundred pounds. The estate descended to his son John Turner of Salem, merchant. The latter died in 1692, in the possession of the estate, This portion of his estate was then described

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 161.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 98.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 74.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 41.

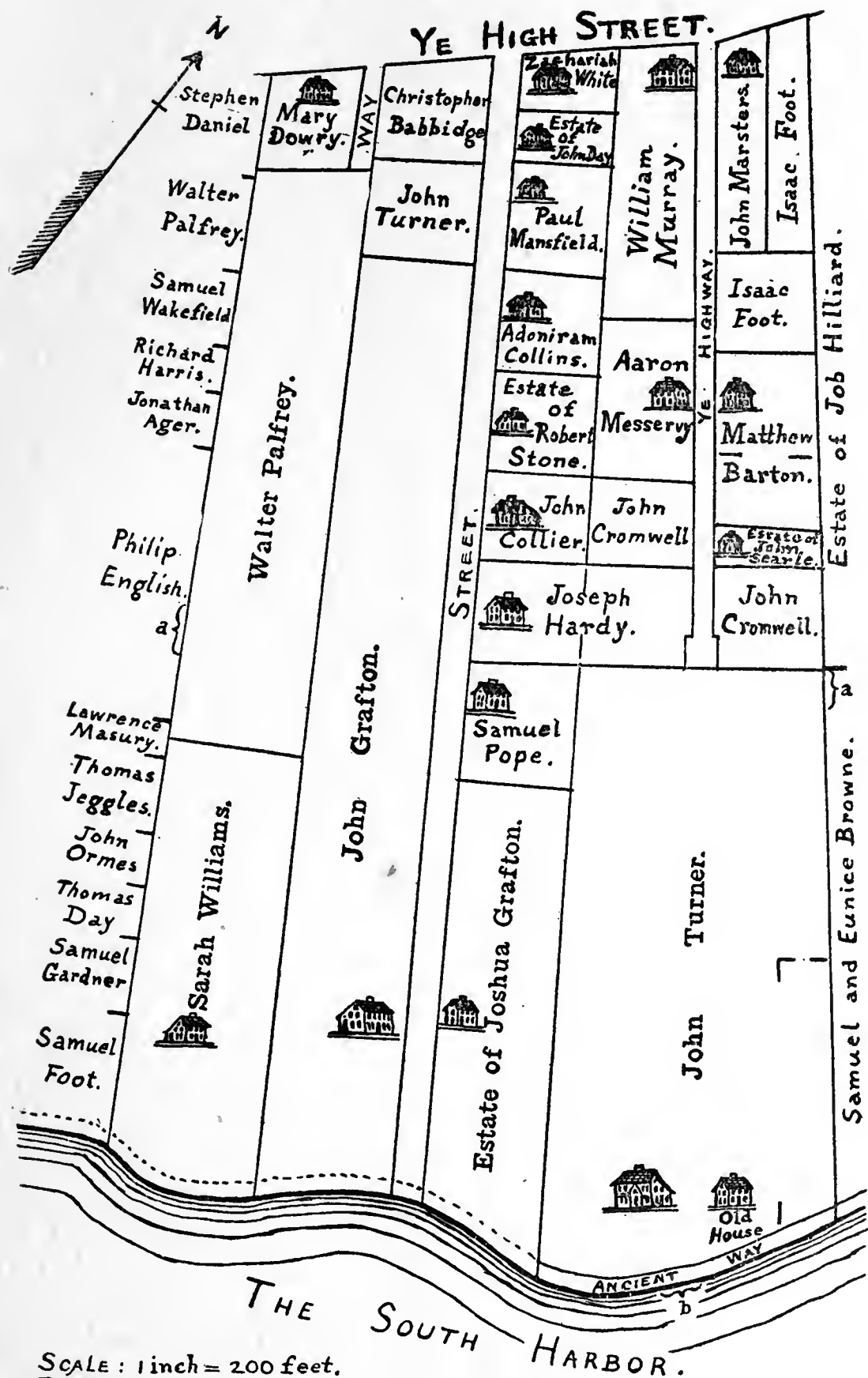
||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 82.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 74, leaf 196.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 13.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 101.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 49.



PART OF SALEM IN 1700. NO. 23.

as "A dwelling house and ground belonging to it with outhoufeing 2 warehoufes and wharff," and was valued at five hundred pounds. The estate was divided among his heirs March 22, 1696-7, and the house and lot were assigned to his son John Turner who was then living there. This son was Maj. John Turner, afterwards colonel and the Honorable Mr. Turner, being a rich merchant and magistrate and magnate. He permitted the old house to remain, but immediately erected, westerly of it, the present "House of the Seven Gables," so called, the home of Mr. H. O. Upton. Colonel Turner died, possessed of both houses and the entire lot, in the winter of 1741-2. In the new house, some of the rooms are described as best room, great chamber, great chamber garret, porch chamber, hall, accounting room, kitchen, leanter, hall chamber, shop chamber, kitchen chamber, etc. The division of the estate occurred July 15, 1745. The old house, which was described as follows: "The Land on the East Side of the Lane old house & barn," and appraised at two hundred and fifty pounds, was assigned to Colonel Turner's daughter Elizabeth, wife of Col. Thomas Berry of Ipswich, who had the southern half of the lot and the old house, and the deceased's son Robert Turner had the northern half of the land on that side of the lane. Col. Berry died, and his widow, for eighteen pounds, six shillings and eight pence, conveyed the land, the house being gone, to John Turner, esq., of Salem, April 4, 1769.*

The present house and the land west of the lane were assigned, in the division of Colonel Turner's estate, in 1745, to his son John Turner of Salem, esquire, and Habbakuk Turner of Salem, merchant, equally. That part of the estate was then described as "The Mansion house & Land & Garden," and was valued at five hundred and sixty-five pounds. Habbakuk Turner released his half interest in the estate to his brother John Turner April

15, 1749.* Mr. Turner, for five hundred and fifty pounds, conveyed the house and land around it to Capt. Samuel Ingersoll of Salem, mariner, Sept. 30, 1782.† Captain Ingersoll died in 1804; and the estate was then described as "A dwelling house and Land under and adjoining, with the buildings standing thereon, situate on Turner's street in said Salem." It was then valued at six thousand dollars. The house and land around it came into the possession of his daughter Susannah Ingersoll (for so she was baptized, she says, though generally called Susan). Miss Ingersoll never married, but lived here, much of the time alone. This was one of Nathaniel Hawthorne's most frequented places, and here he obtained the title and much of the material of his romance entitled, "The House of the Seven Gables." Miss Ingersoll died in 1858, having, in her will, which was made Nov. 25, 1835, devised all her estate to "the Rev. Horace L. Conolly, rector of St. Matthews church in the City of Boston." Under the name of Horace Ingersoll he was sued by Henry C. Ingerson of Lowell, judgment was obtained, and execution issued thereon. The execution was levied upon this house and land around it, and the sheriff making the levy sold the estate at auction to the plaintiff, the deed being dated June 14, 1879.‡ Mr. Ingerson conveyed the estate to John M. Hall of Rutland, Vt., Jan. 21, 1880;§ and Mr. Hall conveyed it to James Everson of Castleton, Vt., Feb. 11, 1880.|| Mr. Everson, for forty-five hundred dollars, conveyed it to Maggie J. Hynes of Rutland, Vt., Dec. 6, 1880;¶ and, for a similar consideration, Miss Hynes conveyed it to Chalon Blanchard of Rutland Jan. 10, 1881.** Mr. Blanchard, for two thousand dollars, conveyed the house

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 93, leaf 49.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 137, leaf 100.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1021, leaf 274.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1030, leaf 173.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1032, leaf 185.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1049, leaf 219.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1106, leaf 145.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 126, leaf 119.

and ground around it to Elizabeth A. Upton of Salem, the present owner, June 8, 1883.* The frontispiece is a copy of an etching of the ancient house made by George M. White, the artist, some twenty years ago.

John Cromwell Lot. This was a part of the lot of Edward Woollen, and was conveyed by him, for ten pounds, to Mr. Philip Cromwell of Salem, slaughterer, Dec. 17, 1687.† Mr. Cromwell died March 30, 1693, at the age of eighty-three, having devised his real estate to his son John Cromwell. John Cromwell died Sept. 30, 1700, at the age of sixty-four, possessed of the lot.

Aaron Messervy House. This was also a part of Edward Woollen's lot and Hugh Pasco of Salem, fisherman, had built a house upon it before — 18, 1679, when Mr. Woollen, for twelve pounds, conveyed the lot to him.‡ Mr. Pasco conveyed the house and lot to Francis Neale, sr., an inhabitant of Casco now resident in Salem," June 23, 1683.§ For thirty-five pounds, Mr. Neale conveyed the house and land to Aaron Messervy of Salem, fisherman, Aug. 22, 1695.|| Mr. Messervy died in 1706, leaving widow Susannah, and children, William, Aaron, John, Mary and Abial. Mr. Messervy made his will in Charles county, Maryland, and in it devised all his estate to his wife Susannah. She subsequently married John Batten of Salem, fisherman; and they conveyed the "old dwelling house" and land around it to their son Aaron Messervy of Salem, mariner, April 1, 1724, Aaron to pay to his sisters Mary and Abial and his brother John five pounds each.¶ The sisters, Mary, who had married Charles Mason, a shipwright, and Abial, who had married Benjamin Burton, a tailor, all of Salem, released their interest in the estate to Aaron Aug. 22, 1733.**

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1109, leaf 288.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 15.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 108.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 11.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 10.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 43, leaf 36.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 72, leaf 81.

No buildings are mentioned in this release, and apparently the house was then gone.

William Murray House. This was Edward Woollen's orchard, and was conveyed by him to William Murray of Salem July 22, 1687.* Mr. Murray erected a house and barn thereon, and died possessed of the estate before Dec. 23, 1700, when administration upon his estate was granted to his widow Mary Murray. In the inventory it was described as "a house wth about 56 pole of land part of it Orchard wth a small barne & y^e fence, and it was valued at one hundred pounds. The estate was next in possession of William Murray of Salem, cooper, probably son of the late owner, and he conveyed the northern end of the lot and house to his son Jonathan Murray of Salem, cooper, thirty-three pounds, six shillings and eight pence, July 7, 1759.†

Jonathan Murray died before 1795, possessed of his half of the house.

William Murray died in 1769, possessed of his half of the house, the estate being then described as "Half of a Dwelling House & about forty six Poles of Land with an old Barn," and was appraised at one hundred and six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence. The next owner was Samuel Murray of Salem, cooper, apparently son of William Murray, and Samuel Murray died in the summer of 1788, possessed of the house. The estate was then described as "one half of a house and a warehouse with about twenty Poles of Land under and adjoining them situate in the Easterly part of said Salem bounding partly on the main street & partly on Turner's Lane (so called)," and was valued at one hundred and five pounds. Samuel Murray's executor, for four hundred dollars, conveyed his part of the house and lot to Ebenezer Slocum of Salem, mariner, Sept. 19, 1795.‡

The estate of Jonathan Murray and Ebenezer Slocum owned their respective

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 144.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 107, leaf 18.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 161, leaf 124.

portions of the house in 1811; but probably the house was removed soon afterward.

Zachariah White House. This was a part of the lot of Joseph Grafton at an early date apparently; and it belonged to Robert Day, probably very early. The latter gave it to his son John Day, upon the latter's marriage, probably about 1670.* John Day built a house on it, and conveyed the house and lot to Joseph Grafton of Salem, mariner, before April 2, 1679, when Mr. Grafton, for eight pounds and five shillings, conveyed the house and land to Pasco Foot of Salem, mariner.† For seventy-four pounds, Mr. Foot conveyed the estate to Zachariah White of Salem, seaman April 3, 1679.‡ Mr. White lived here awhile, and then the house and land were occupied by Capt. Zachariah Fowles or his family. He probably conducted an inn in this house. Mr. White became a husbandman, and conveyed the house and lot, for eighty pounds, to Josiah Willard of Salem, clothier, March 3, 1710-1.§ Captain Fowles probably continued to conduct an inn here until his death, which occurred July 10, 1718, at the age of forty-four. Captain Willard continued the business, the house being called the "Crown Tavern." He died before May 17, 1731, when administration was granted upon his estate. The inventory of his estate describes the property as "a Dwelling Houfe and about 20 Pole of Land with a Barn," and mentions the best chamber, east chamber, west chamber, and south old chamber. His estate was valued at £757, 16s., 2d.; and the accounts and papers on file in the probate court show an extensive purchase of liquors. Captain Willard is also called "deacon" in the probate papers. His widow and administratrix, Susannah Willard, removed to

Boston, and, for three hundred and forty-five pounds, conveyed this house and lot, it being described in the deed as "A Certain Dwelling House in Salem aforesaid Called y^e Crown Tavern with y^e Land adjoining being about Twenty Poles," to Richard Bethel of Salem, tailor, Feb. 28, 1735.* For four hundred pounds, Mr. Bethel conveyed the house and lot to Osman Trask of Beverly, coaster, April 6, 1747.† The next owner, of which there is any record, is Sarah, wife of Edmund Whittemore, who died before July 2, 1788, when her children, Retire Whittemore of Salem, mariner, Richard Deighton, Sarah Deighton, Henry Lovitt, Lydia Lovitt, Richard Whittemore, Abraham Frees and Hannah Frees, for twenty pounds, conveyed one-third of the house and land to Jonathan Archer, 3d, of Salem, barber.‡ Doctor William Bentley of Salem wrote in his journal, under date of July 9, 1790: "The Old Tavern, alias College, alias Becket's House near the Meeting House, has been new Shingled." Under date of March 29, 1791, he wrote: "Mr Jon^a Archer tert: is preparing a little Barn on the front of his Land between his house & Murray's: It is the Eastern End of the Old Tavern house next to the East Meeting House, eastward." The widow and heirs of William Becket, viz., his widow Mary Beckett, and children Retire Beckett, shipwright, James Beckett, gentleman, and his wife Deborah, Thomas Rowell, boat-builder, and his wife Hannah, Benjamin Hawkes, boat-builder, and his wife Abigail, Joseph Brown, mariner, and his wife Mary, Ebenezer Slocum, mariner, and wife Sarah, Jonathan Archer, 3d, barber, and his wife Rachel, and Jonathan Beckett, shipwright, all of Salem, for ninety-five pounds, conveyed to Samuel Leach of Salem, boat-builder, and his wife Lydia, in her right, one-third of the western half of the lot and house, also the northwest lower room and chamber and

*See depositions of John Pingree and Moses Pingree, Dec. 18, 1684, recorded in Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 12.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 26.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 27.

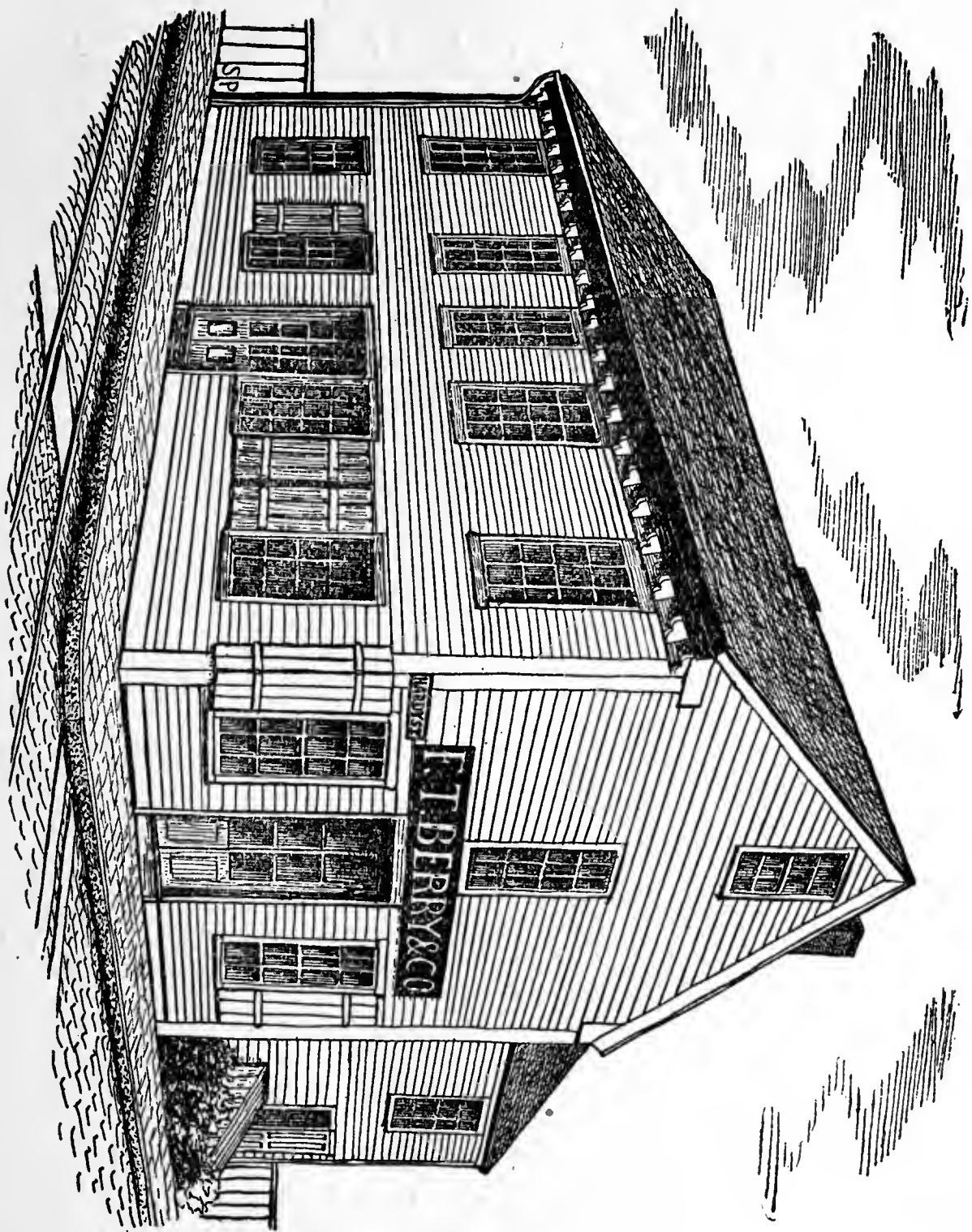
§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 24, leaf 93.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 72, leaf 101.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 88, leaf 256.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 149, leaf 48.

ZACHARIAH WHITE HOUSE.



garret over it, and the middle or great chamber, etc., Feb. 26, 1794.* Mr. Archer, for three hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty-six cents, conveyed to Mr. Leach the northeastern part of the lot, and northeastern half of the house including the northeast lower room and chamber and half of the garret, being the same property he bought of Retire Whittemore and others, as above stated, May 27, 1796.† Retire Beckett of Salem, shipwright, conveyed the rear part of the house and one-third of the land to Samuel Leach of Salem, boat-builder, Nov. 5, 1800.‡ Mr. Leach and his wife Lydia, for two thousand dollars, conveyed the house and lot to Nathaniel Andrew of Salem Nov. 10, 1803.§ Mr. Andrew removed to Marblehead; and, for eighteen hundred dollars, conveyed the same estate to Samuel Very, jr., of Salem, yeoman, Dec. 11, 1804.|| Mr. Very died Jan. 20, 1832, having devised his estate to his wife for her life, and then to his children. Rev. Edward D. Very of St. John, N. B., one of the heirs, for five hundred dollars conveyed "one-ninth" (one-twenty-seventh?) of the estate to Samuel Very, jr., of Salem, mariner, June 30, 1851.¶ Samuel Very, jr. (two-twenty-sevenths), John C. Very (one-twenty-seventh), Benjamin F. Larrabee and his wife Abigail C., in her right (one-forty-fifth), William F. Stafford, jr., and his wife Susan P., in her right (one-forty-fifth), all of Salem, Theodore K. Very of Boston (one-forty-fifth) and Abigail Eames of Brooklyn, N. Y. (one-ninth), for two hundred and eighty-six dollars, conveyed thirteen-forty-fifths of the estate to Joseph Gomes, Nathaniel Very, Nathaniel Horton and William P. Goodhue, all of Salem, July 7, 1851.** William P. Goodhue and his wife Alice,

Joseph Gomes and his wife Mary Ann, Nathaniel Horton and his wife Martha, and Nathaniel Very, all of Salem, for eight hundred dollars, conveyed seven-ninths of the estate to George E. Berry of Salem Aug. 25, 1851;* and Harriet Very and John V. Felt, both of Salem, for four hundred dollars, conveyed two-ninths of the estate to Mr. Berry Dec. 15, 1853.† Mr. Berry died Dec. 1, 1879, having devised all his real estate to his wife Lydia W. Berry. She died, his widow, Aug. 9, 1900; and by partition in the probate court this house and lot were assigned to her son Francis T. Berry, who now owns the estate. In this old house, Mr. Berry has conducted a grocery store for many years. It is now in bad condition, and must soon succumb to the ravages of time. The great chimney has been removed, and the partitions in the main part of the first story of the house have been taken away, making a large room for the store.

Estate of John Day House. This was a part of the lot of Joseph Grafton, and subsequently of Robert Day, who gave it as a wedding present to his son John Day. John Day owned the house, and Mr. Grafton owned the land as early as 1671 and as late as 1680, when Mr. Day died. The house was probably built at the time of Mr. Day's marriage to Ann Coleman in 1668. There were three children, Ann, born in 1669, John, in 1670, and Stephen, in 1672. Thomas Waters of Salem, mariner, bought the house and lot evidently before 1702; and Aug. 15, 1707, John Day's daughter Anne Day of Salem, singlewoman, for fifteen pounds, released the lot, "with an old dwelling house thereon," to Mr. Waters, warranting the title against her brother John Day.‡ The house was gone soon afterward.

Paul Mansfield House. This was a part of the lot of Joseph Grafton of Salem, mariner. For ten pounds, he conveyed the lot to Nicholas Bartlet of Salem, fish-

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 160, leaf 229.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 161, leaf 24.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 173, leaf 76.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 173, leaf 77.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 174, leaf 300.

All of these preceding grantors were apparently heirs of the estate of William Beckett.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 447, leaf 290.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 454, leaf 269.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 449, leaf 299.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 487, leaf 225.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 19, leaf 178.

erman, Sept. 6, 1671.* Mr. Bartlet built a house upon the lot, and conveyed the house and lot to Capt. Walter Price of Salem Oct. 24, 1670 (1671).† Captain Price reconveyed the estate to Mr. Bartlet March 7, 1672;† and on the same day the latter, for seventy-five pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Thomas Ives of Salem, slaughterer.† Mr. Ives, for eighty pounds, conveyed the same estate to William Henfield of Salem, mariner, June 27, 1673.‡ Mr. Henfield lived in the house, and mortgaged the estate to William Hirst of Salem, merchant, Aug. 1, 1692.§ Mr. Henfield died before May 18, 1695, when Mr. Hirst released his interest in the estate to Mr. Henfield's widow, Elizabeth Henfield.¶ Mrs. Henfield, for thirty-three pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Benjamin Pickman, jr., of Salem, mariner, March 8, 1697-8.¶ Mr. Pickman, for forty pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Paul Mansfield of Salem, mariner, Nov. 13, 1698;** and Mr. Mansfield conveyed the same to Thomas Laskin of Salem, cooper, Nov. 18, 1708.†† Mr. Laskin, for sixty-five pounds, conveyed the house and lot to William Smith of Salem, fisherman, Sept. 12, 1728.‡‡ Mr. Smith died in 1742; and in the inventory of his estate the house is described as "a single old house," being appraised with the land at forty-six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence. Mr. Smith's widow and administratrix, Mary Smith, conveyed the house and land, for forty pounds and eight shillings, to Richard Valpy of Salem, fisherman, July 30, 1765.§§ Mr. Valpy probably removed the house shortly after that date.

Adoniram Collins House. This was a part of the Joseph Grafton lot. A house

was built upon the land after 1661, probably, by Venus (or Phineas) Colefax, who owned the estate in 1671, 1672 and 1673. In 1679, it was the estate of James Collins. Mr. Collins went on a voyage to Barbadoes June 18, 1685, and was never heard from. In 1691, this house and land were valued at forty-five pounds. He left two young children, Adoniram and James. The latter probably died young; and Adoniram Collins became sole owner of the house and lot. He conducted an inn, and apparently built upon the lot a new house, permitting a part of the old house to remain. He died in 1721.

Estate of Robert Stone House. This was a portion of the ancient lot of Joseph Grafton of Salem, mariner; and, for love, he conveyed this part to his grandson Edmund Henfield of Salem, mariner, July 22, 1678.* For fifteen pounds, Mr. Henfield conveyed the lot to James Poland of Salem, blacksmith, Dec. 14, 1680;† and, for sixteen pounds, Mr. Poland conveyed it to Robert Stone, jr., of Salem, mariner, June 10, 1685.‡ Mr. Stone erected a dwelling house upon the lot; and died, possessed of the estate, June 16, 1688. It was then valued at fifty-five pounds. His brother Samuel Stone of Salem, eldest and only surviving brother of the deceased, his sister Sarah, wife of James Manning of Salem, and their widowed mother Sarah Stone, as administrators and representatives of the estates of said Robert Stone, jr., and of his father Robert Stone, sr., also deceased, released the house and lot to Robert Stone of Salem, cooper, son of the said Robert Stone, jr., deceased, Dec. 24, 1709.§ The house was apparently taken down a few years later while the estate was owned by Mr. Stone.

John Collier House. This was a part of the lot of Joseph Grafton, and upon it, probably about 1664, his son Joseph Graf-

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 159.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 21.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 158.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 9, leaf 66.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 24.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 12, leaf 153.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 55.

††Essex Registry of Deeds, book 21, leaf 1.

‡‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 46, leaf 243.

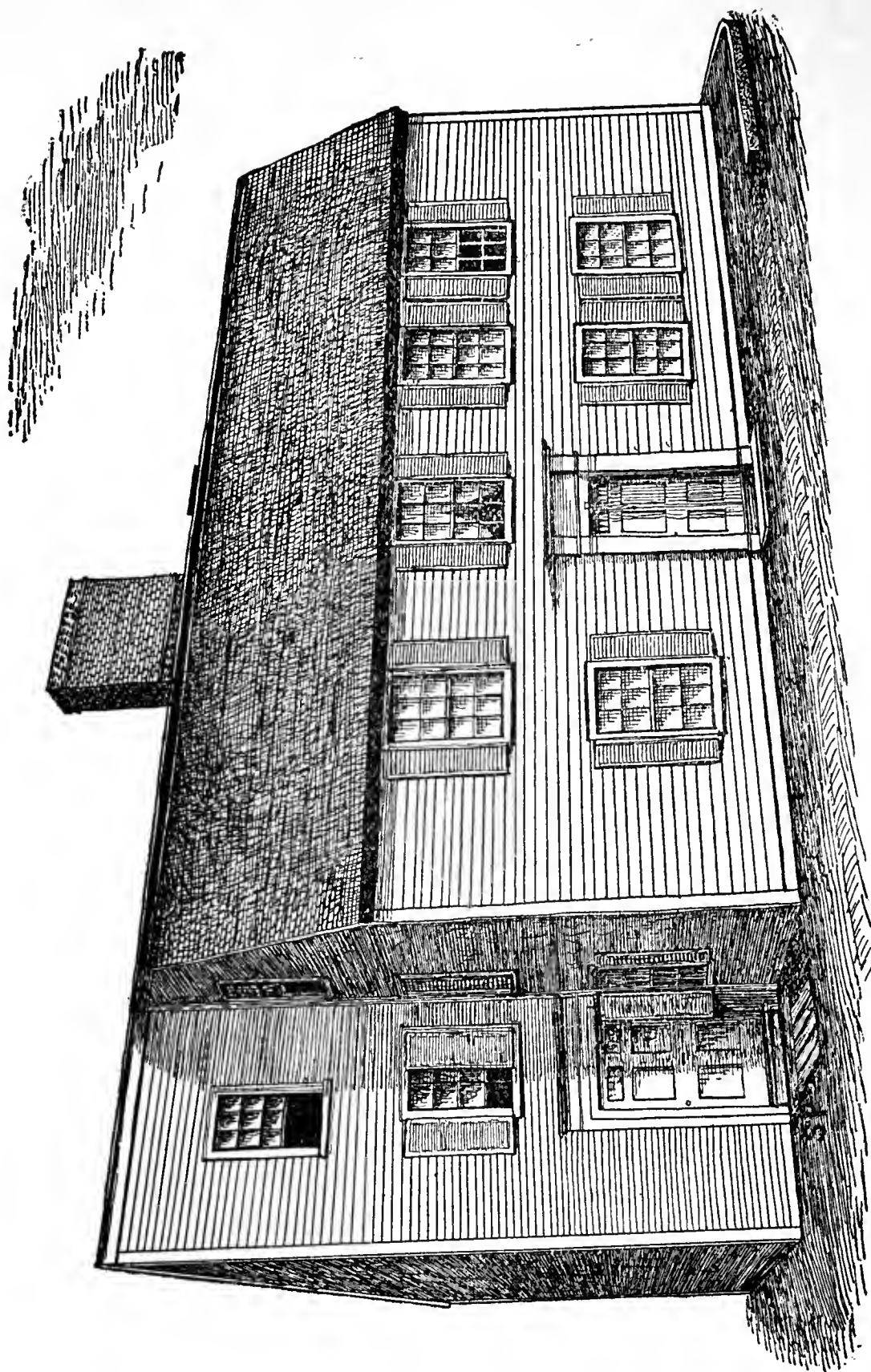
§§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 116, leaf 100.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 34.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 17.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 73.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 66, leaf 82.



SAMUEL POPE HOUSE.

ton built a house, in which he lived. The latter died at Barbadoes in February, 1670, leaving sons Joseph and Joshua. (Owned by Venus Colfax, 1679-80?) Grafton lived in Salem, being a mariner, and he released to his brother Joseph Grafton, mariner, the land and house, Joseph then living in it, in 1687.* For four pounds, Joseph Grafton conveyed the house and lot to John Collier of Boston, baker, Nov. 30, 1699.† Mr. Collier removed to Salem, and continued his business as baker. He died in 1732, when there were only "stones of an old Cellar" remaining on the lot.

Joseph Hardy House. That part of this lot lying westerly of the dashes was a part of the ancient lot of Joseph Grafton. It was probably the estate of Joseph Hardy, as early as 1660, the house having been built in or before 1661. Mr. Hardy owned the estate in 1683. He died in 1705, possessed of the house and lot, which were valued at fifty pounds. The title passed to his only son, Joseph Hardy, of Salem, a shipwright, who, for one hundred pounds, conveyed the estate to his grandfather John Grafton of Boston (formerly of Salem), mariner, April 14, 1711.‡ Mr. Grafton conveyed the lot and house to his son-in-law John Swinnerton of Salem, cooper, Dec. 15, 1714;§ and Mr. Swinnerton, for one hundred pounds, conveyed the estate to Jonathan Webb of Salem, cordwainer, Oct. 21, 1717.|| Mr. Webb died in 1765, possessed of the house and lot, the house being called in inventory of his estate "an old house," which was valued at twenty-three pounds, six shillings and eight pence. The twenty-one and a half rods of land was appraised at forty-three pounds. The estate descended to his children, Stephen Webb, cordwainer, Samuel Webb, mariner, John Webb, coaster, Joseph Cloutman, joiner, and wife Mary, widow Hannah

Neal, widow Susannah Flint, widow Priscilla Hodges and Jonathan Webb, coaster, all of Salem; and Jonathan bought the interests of his brothers and sisters, for fifty pounds, sixteen shillings and three pence, Nov. 26, 1768.* Mr. Webb took the house down Oct. 18, 1791.

This part of the lot lying easterly of the dashes was a part of the lot of Edward Wooland, sr., of Salem, fisherman; and, for twelve pounds and five shillings, he conveyed it to Joseph Hardy, jr., of Salem, mariner, May 5, 1683.† Mr. Hardy owned it until 1711.

Samuel Pope House. This was a part of Joseph Grafton's land as early as 1661, and he died possessed of it in 1683. It was a part of the lot of land conveyed by Mr. Grafton's administrator to his grandson Joshua Grafton of Salem, mariner, Dec. 12, 1683.‡ Joshua Grafton conveyed this lot to widow Gertrude Pope of Salem June 2, 1684;§ and she gave it by deed to her son Samuel Pope of Salem, mariner, Aug. 23, 1694.|| He built a house upon the lot, and lived in it. Mr. Pope, for one hundred and fifty pounds, conveyed the house and lot to his son Samuel Pope, jr., of Salem, blacksmith, June 1, 1733.¶ For a similar consideration, Samuel Pope, jr., conveyed the same estate to John Williams of Salem, mariner, July 24, 1735.¶ Mr. Williams died, possessed of the estate, before April 6, 1761, when his children (?), for one hundred and sixteen pounds, conveyed it to Thomas Elkins of Salem, mariner, the grantors being widow Mary Maverick, John Williams, trader, Joseph Hiller, blockmaker, and wife Mary, and Jacob Quincey, physician, and wife Elizabeth, all of Boston.** Captain Elkins died, possessed of the house and lot, March 17, 1764, at the age of twenty-six. This es-

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 18, leaf 170.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 200.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 23, leaf 82.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 29, leaf 30.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 33, leaf 63.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 155, leaf 76.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 113.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 104.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 124.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 10, leaf 27.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 68, leaf 108.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 109, leaf 202.

tate is described as "A house Barn and about 48 Poles of Land," and appraised at three hundred and thirty-three pounds, six shillings and eight pence, in the inventory of his estate. The estate descended to his daughters, Martha Pynchon and Elizabeth Elkins, singlewoman, both of Salem, and, for six hundred pounds, they conveyed the same, with the consent of Elizabeth (their mother?) and her husband Miles Greenwood, to Joseph White of Salem, merchant, Aug. 31, 1780.* For four hundred and eighty pounds, Mr. White conveyed the house and lot to James Dunlap of Salem, tallow-chandler, July 15, 1794.† Mr. Dunlap conveyed the same estate, for two thousand dollars, to Michael Webb of Salem, merchant, Oct. 12, 1797.‡ Mr. Webb conveyed the estate to Stephen Phillips of Salem, mariner, March 30, 1798;§ and Mr. Phillips, for twenty-three hundred and thirty-three dollars, conveyed the house and lot to George Archer of Salem July 15, 1799.|| Captain Archer was lost at sea on the Grand Banks, in the following December, while on a voyage from Hamburg. He was thirty-four years old. For nineteen hundred and twenty-six dollars, his children, George, Sarah and Caroline, by their guardian, conveyed two-thirds of the estate to Edward Allen of Salem, merchant, April 21, 1801;¶ and on the same day Mr. Archer's widow, Judith Archer, for five hundred and eighty-four dollars, conveyed her part to Mr. Allen.** Captain Allen died July 27, 1803; and his executor, for twenty-five hundred dollars, conveyed the house and lot to Timothy Wellman, 3d, of Salem, mariner, Dec. 9, 1808.†† Mr. Wellman died in 1824, possessed of the estate, which was then appraised at nine hundred

and fifty dollars. His widow Abigail Wellman, and children, Nancy Wellman, singlewoman, George Kimball, printer, and wife Margaret, George Savory, merchant, and wife Mary Ann, all of Salem, and Augustus T. Wellman of Swampscott, for twelve hundred dollars, conveyed the house and lot to Thomas Hunt of Salem, merchant, Oct. 2, 1854.* Mr. Hunt conveyed the estate to James P. Cook of Salem Oct. 17, 1859;† and Mr. Cook conveyed it to Elizabeth, wife of Thomas Hunt of Salem, as a trustee, on the same day.‡ Mrs. Hunt conveyed the house and land to Susanna Palfrey Foye, wife of Samuel M. Foye, Oct. 26, 1869.§ Mrs. Foye died Dec. 20, 1880; and the house and lot still belong to her estate.

Estate of Joshua Grafton House. This lot was a part of the homestead of Joshua Grafton, sr., who owned it, with the house thereon, before 1661. He died in 1682, possessed of the house; and his administrator conveyed the lot, house, kitchen, etc., to his grandson Joshua Grafton of Salem, mariner, Dec. 12, 1683.|| Mr. Grafton died in 1699; and in the inventory of his estate the house, land and orchard were valued at one hundred pounds. The house was standing in 1702, but was gone before Jan. 11, 1722, when Hannah, wife of Nathaniel Emmes, stonecutter, and Priscilla, wife of Joseph Robie, glazier, both of Boston, for fifty-five pounds, conveyed the lot to Col. John Turner of Salem, esquire.¶

John Grafton House. This lot was a portion of the original homestead of Joseph Grafton, a mariner, who conveyed it to his son John Grafton of Salem, mariner, Sept. 15, 1667.** John Grafton built a house upon the lot and lived in it until his removal to Boston, before April 14, 1711, when he conveyed the house and

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 138, leaf 248.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 162, leaf 57.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 162, leaf 275.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 164, leaf 59.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 165, leaf 102.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 169, leaf 38.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 169, leaf 39.

††Essex Registry of Deeds, book 185, leaf 230.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 501, leaf 237.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 596, leaf 85.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 596, leaf 13.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 784, leaf 287.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 104.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 41, leaf 239.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 59.

land for two hundred pounds, to his grandson Joseph Hardy of Salem, shipwright.* Mr. Hardy also removed to Boston before June 17, 1713, when he conveyed the house and lot to Joseph Andrew of Salem, house-carpenter, for three hundred pounds.† For a similar consideration, Mr. Andrew conveyed the land, house, workhouse and barn to John Pickering of Salem, yeoman, Feb. 21, 1714-5.‡ Mr. Pickering died, possessed of the estate, in 1722, having devised it to his daughter Sarah Hardy for her life and then to her children by her husband Joseph Hardy. Mrs. Hardy died, and the children of Mr. Hardy and herself: Benjamin Goodhue of Salem, blacksmith, and wife Martha, Nathaniel Phippen, jr., of Salem, cooper, and wife Seeth, Edmund Henfield of Salem, cooper, and wife Lydia, Isaac Pierce of Boston, baker, and wife Mary, and widow Sarah Mansfield, conveyed five-sixths of the house and land to Warwick Palfrey of Salem, gentleman, Nov. 11, 1745;§ and Benjamin Ropes of Salem, cooper, and wife Ruth (another daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy) conveyed one-sixth of the house and lot to Mr. Palfrey May 31, 1746.|| Mr. Palfrey died in 1756, possessed of the house and lot, having devised the estate to his son Walter Palfrey who then lived in the house. Walter Palfrey, jr., was a sailmaker, and died, possessed of the house and land around it, Oct. 11, 1793, at the age of seventy-three, having devised the estate to his daughter Susannah Hunt, being "the house wherein I now dwell." Mrs. Hunt, as the wife of Robert Richardson, her third husband, conveyed the house and land around it to Joseph Perkins of Salem, gentleman, Dec. 11, 1812.¶ Mr. Perkins took down the ancient house about 1830. The great pear tree on this estate is very ancient. Martha Hardy,

who was born here in 1711, and moved away in 1731, stated that she gathered fruit from it when she was a girl. The tree was probably there soon after 1700.

John Turner Lot. This lot was a part of the homestead of Joseph Grafton, who conveyed it to his son John Grafton of Salem, mariner, Sept. 15, 1667.* John Grafton, for ten pounds, conveyed this lot to Thomas Gardner of Salem, cordwinder, Aug. 22, 1670.† Lieutenant Gardner died Nov. 16, 1695; and the administrator of his estate, for thirty pounds, conveyed the lot to Capt. John Turner of Salem, merchant, Dec. 23, 1698.‡ Captain Turner owned this lot until 1703.

Christopher Babbidge Lot. This lot was a part of the homestead of Joseph Grafton, who conveyed it to his son John Grafton of Salem, mariner, Sept. 15, 1667.* John Grafton conveyed this lot to Christopher Babbidge of Salem Aug. 22, 1670;§ and Mr. Babbidge, who was then a tailor, for twelve pounds, conveyed the lot to his son Christopher Babbidge Nov. 27, 1706.|| On this lot the first meeting-house of the East church was built in 1717.

Mary Dowry House. This lot was a part of the homestead of Thomas Browning, being owned by him before 1661, and he died in 1671, possessed of it. He was an old man, probably upwards of eighty. He devised his homestead to two of his daughters, Sarah Williams and Deborah Meachum. They made a division of the estate in 1675, this lot being a part of the land released to Deborah and her husband, Isaac Meachum. Mr. Meachum built a small house upon the lot immediately; and, for fifty-five pounds, conveyed the house and lot to widow Mary Voeden of Salem March 27, 1682.¶ In this deed, Mr. Meachum reserved a strip

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 22, leaf 251.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 25, leaf 220.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 27, leaf 101.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 88, leaf 52.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 88, leaf 112.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 222, leaf 139.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 59.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 142.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 15, leaf 127.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 126.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 19, leaf 125.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 47.

of land ten feet wide on the eastern side of the lot as a way to the rest of his land in the rear of this lot. This was the beginning of the present Bentley street. Mrs. Voeden married, secondly, before 1696, a Mr. Dowry; and she died, his widow, in 1744, possessed of the house and lot. In the inventory of her estate the property was valued at twenty-five pounds. For one hundred pounds, the administrator of her estate conveyed the house and lot to Benjamin Stone of Salem, cooper, Nov. 6, 1746.* Mr. Stone was lost at sea in 1761; and the estate descended to his children, Robert Stone, merchant, and Joseph White, merchant, and his wife Elizabeth, who together with William Carlton, printer, and his wife Elizabeth, all of Salem, for five hundred dollars, conveyed the lot, the house being gone, to Samuel Silsbee of Salem, yeoman, Aug. 5, 1796.†

Walter Palfrey Lot. This lot was a part of the homestead of Thomas Browning, being owned by him prior to 1661; and he died in 1671, possessed of it. He devised his homestead to two of his daughters, Sarah Williams and Deborah Meachum; and they divided the estate in 1675, this lot being a part of the land released to Deborah and her husband, Isaac Meachum. Mr. Meachum removed to Enfield, Mass., where he was a yeoman; and, for sixteen pounds, conveyed this lot to Walter Palfrey of Salem, sailmaker, July 3, 1696.‡ Mr. Palfrey owned it for many years after 1700.

Sarah Williams House. This lot and house were a part of the homestead of Thomas Browning before 1661. He died, possessed of the house and lot, in 1671, being an old man, upward of eighty. In the inventory of his estate the homestead, which ran through to what is now Essex street, is described as "A house & two Acer lott." He devised the homestead to two of his daughters, Sarah Williams and Deborah Meachum, who made a di-

vision of the estate in 1675, the house and this lot being released to Mrs. Williams. She lived in the house; and, when a widow, conveyed to her daughter Abigail Williams of Salem, singlewoman, "y^e homestead where I now dwell & about an acre of land or near about So much before y^e salt water wash't part of it away," April 10, 1719.* Miss Williams made her will on the same day that her mother's deed to her was made. She devised all her estate to her mother, among other property being mentioned "my homestead where my mother & I Dwell Together." She died a month later; and thus the title returned to the mother. Mrs. Williams died in 1729, when the house was gone.

WILL OF JENKIN DAVIS.

The will of Jenkin Davis of Lynn was proved in the court at Ipswich March 25, 1662. The following is copied from the original instrument one file in the probate office at Salem.

The tenth of the tenth m^o on thousand fix hundred fixtie and one

In the name of god amen I Jenkin Daus being weak in body yet of pfit memory doe make this my laft will and Testament wherein I doe first commit my soul into the hands of my mercyfull fauour and redeemer, and my body vnto Criftian buriall.

for the portion of goods that god hath bine plesed to giue vnto me I do giue || them || vnto Mary my wife, and, to be att her dispose except my Joyners tooles which I do bestow vppon my son John when he has wrought with and for his mother till my debts be paid

I doe likewise make my wife my sole executres both to receaue what is due to me from any: and likewise to pay my debts our of that portion of goods I leaue vnto her: and ffarther it is my will that the goods that my wife leaues at her deace fhalbe diuided into three parts, two parts to my son John: and the other part

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 89, leaf 149.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 161, leaf 38.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 197.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 34, leaf 279.

to my daughter marcy my Joyners tooles my will is that they shall not be in the devidable goods between my son John and my daughter mary but I giue them vnto him, (the form[er] Condison being pformed) ouer and aboue his two parts: the ouer-feeres of this my will is=

signed in the pents

of vs :

ffrances Ingoles
Nathaniell Harford
George Dauies
ffrancis Burrill

WILL OF DANIEL RINGE.

The will of Daniel Ringe of Ipswich was proved in the court there March 25, 1662. The following is a copy of the original instrument on file in the probate office at Salem.

The last will and Testament of Daniell Ringe of Ipsw^{ch} this 3^d day of ffebruary 1661.

In the name of God Amen

I Daniell Ringe being of pfect memory and understanding do dispose of that outward estate that God hath giuen mee in manner as followeth

In the first place I comit my soule to Allmighty God and my body to decent buryall

I giue unto Mary my beloued wife one third part of my ffarme now in the hands of Daniell Davison during the terme of her naturall life, and after her decease to be deuided amongst my three Sonnes the Eldest to haue a double share therof

I giue and bequeath unto my three Sonnes Daniell Roger and Isaack my farme aboues^d to bee deuided amongst them the Eldest to haue a double part therof the two youngest to be equall, and they to take possession therof at the age of one and twenty my wiues third part being referued for her during her life and then her thirds part to bee deuided according to y^r proportion abouesayd.

I giue and bequeath unto my three daughters Mary Sufanna and Sarah Thirty pounds to each of them and they to haue

possefsio therof at y^e age of fixteen or at the time of their marriage

I leaue my house and lands now in y^e possefsio of Thomas wayt unto my Wife to emproue till my youngest two Daughters shall bee of age that if they desire it they may haue the same for their portions allowing the ouerplus of their portions to my other Daughter as part of her portion or if they Desire it not, to bee left to y^e Executo^{rs} to dispose of for y^e discharge of my Daughters portions.

My mind and will is that if my Eldest Son shall dye without children that his portion shall be left to the two yonger Brothers the Elder of them two to haue a double share therof, puided that he allow to each of his Sisters fife pounds, and if both the Eldest by childlese the youngest to inherit their portions allowing to each of my Daughters ten pounds, or if the youngest leaue no children the two Eldest to inherit hir portion the Eldest hauing a double share and if the two youngest haue no children the Eldest to inherit their portions paying to Each of my Daughters ten pounds.


If my wife marryeth my mind is her husband shall giue sufficient security for what estate he is possefsed of by my wife, for the discharge of my childrens portions

The remainder of my Estate I leaue to my wife to Dispose of at her decease Equally amongst all my children

My mind is that if my wife marryeth my children shall haue liberty if they desire it to bee disposed of to good seruices as they shall think meet to whom they are betrufted Which to Confirme I haue herunto set my hand this third of february one thousand, fix hundred fixty and one

I Constitute and appoint my louing friends Deacon William Goodhue and Daniell Houey sen^r of Ips^{wh} And my wife Executo^{rs} and Executrix of this my Last will and Testam^t and Rich^d Hubbard and John Dane sen^r ouerseers

In y^e p^rfence of
Robert Kinfman Junier
Richard Jacob

The mark
of
Daniel  Ringe

WILL OF THOMAS DICKINSON.

The will of Thomas Dickinson of Rowley was proved in the court at Ipswich April 27, 1662. The following is copied from the original instrument on file in the probate office at Salem.

I Thomas Dickinſon of The Towne of Rowley in The County of eſex being weake of Body but of perfect vnderſtanding And memmory doe make And ordaine This my laſt will and Teſtament

In primis my will is That my welbeloued wife Jennett Dickinſon ſhalbe my Solle excecutwiſe for To pay all my debts and to pay my children Thoſe portions That I by will doe Giue vnto Them; And alſo To demand and Recouer all debts that are or may be due vnto me by bills bonds or otherwiſe and To doe any Thing belonging To ſuch an excecutwiſe

Item I will and Giue vnto This my welbeloued wife halfe of ||my|| Dwelling houſe halfe of my barne halfe of my orchard and halfe of my ſwampe below my orchard and all my land aboue The barne about Twellue Acres be it more or leſe And Three Acres of meadow one acre of it in batchelor meadow and Two Acres in the northeaſt feild as alſo one acre more of ſalt marſh in the marſh feild bounded by deacon Jewets marſh on the weſt and by marſh of John pickards on the north and alſo i doe Giue vnto hir Two Gates on the Towne common al this I doe Giue hir dureing hir naturall life

Item I will And Giue vnto my ſon James dickinſon The other halfe of my houſeing barne orchard and ſwampe below the orchard and all other my lands meadowes and Commons that belonge vnto me with in The Towne of Rowley (except my village land and Two Acres of meadow in The great meadow be it more or leſe)

Item I doe Giue vnto my ſon James dickinſon foure ſcore Acres of land more or leſs being my deuiffion of land in that land Commonly called merrimack land buting againiſt merrimacke Riuer with the priueledges belonging vnto the faid four-

ſcore acres of land and likewiſe I doe Giue vnto my ſon James my houſeing barne orchard and ſwampe and lands aboue the barne and meadow and commons That I haue giuen vnto my welbeloued wife for her naturall life to be his vnto his proper uſe and behouſe after his mothers deceaſe

Item I doe further Giue vnto my ſon James my cart and plough and furnetur belonging There To alſo I giue vnto him my loumes and furnetur belonging There To

Item out of The Reſt of my eſtate That is in my village land and Two Acres of meadow in the Great meadow that was before excepted and in my ſtock moueables bills bonds or any other eſtat that is or may be due vnto me out of This Remaneing part of my eſtat I will and Giue vnto my foure daughters each of Them one hundred pounds and my will is that that fifty pounds That I haue giuen vnto my daughter Sarah alredy ſhalbe accounted as part of that which I doe now giue And if any of my children die before they attaine to the age of Twenty one yeares or day of marriage Then There portions to be devided equally among the reſt and if my Son James depart This life haueing noe child Then the one halfe of thoſe lands I giue him to Returne to be equally devided among The Reſt of my daughters or Theire heires The other halfe I giue vnto his wife if then liueing to be for hir uſe dureing hir nattural life and then to returne after hir deceaſe to be equally devided among my other daughters or there children if ther be any then liueing

Item I will and Giue (the Three hundred and fifty pounds being paid out of this eſtat that I here apoint for the payment of my daughters portions) all the Remaneing part of that eſtat vnto my welbeloued wife To be vnto hir owne proper uſe and To deſpoſe of as ſhe ſhall Thinke meete; And my will is that my wife ſhall haue hir liberty to chuſe which halfe of my dwelling houſe ſhe will for to liue in dureing hir life;

And I appoint John pickard and Samu-
uell Brocklebanke To be ouerffseers of
This my laft will and Testament which I
Confirme with my owne hand this eighth
of march one Thouffand Six hundred and
sixty one or sixty two

wittnes Thomas Dickanfon
Samuuell Brocklebanke
John trumble

JOHN BEAN'S FIRST WIFE.

BY HENRY WINTHROP HARDON.

It has been assumed on the faith of a family tradition which first found its way into print in Lancaster's History of Gilman-ton, published in 1845, and was repeated successively in Runnell's Sanbornton, in the Bangor Historical Magazine, volume I, page 159, and in the annual publications of the John Bean Association, that John Bean, the freeman of Exeter, 1677, came from Scotland about 1660, that his first wife died on the way to America, and that he married, for his second wife, an Irish girl who had been a fellow passenger, of whom nothing further was known except that her name was Margaret. The record at Salem of the birth, June 8, 1655, of a daughter Mary was accordingly assumed to be that of a child born before his arrival in this country. This tradition will have to be revised in part at least if not abandoned altogether in view of further records which have recently come to light.

In the Essex Antiquarian, volume II, page 148, is the note of a deed, dated April 18, 1654, conveying land at Exeter to Nicholas Lisson, to which deed "John Baine" was a witness. There is scarcely room for doubt that this witness was John Bean, the freeman of Exeter, 1677.

In 39 N. H. Deeds, 226, is the record of a deed, dated Nov. 14, 1748, made by "Holdridge Kelly of Stratham in the Province of New Hampshire & Hannah my wife heretofore Hannah Whittaker, daughter of Abraham Whitaker late of Haverhill, deceased & Hannah his wife who was daughter of John Bean late of Exeter * * * deceased," conveying, by

quit-claim, a third part of a forty-acre tract granted by the Town of Exeter to Nicholas Lisson, "our s'd grandmother Hannah Bean being one of the daughters of ye sd Nicholas Listen."

In 43 N. H. Deeds, 271, is the record of another deed, dated February 12, 1749, made by "Houldridge Kelly of Stratham * * and Hannah my wife heretofore Hannah Whittaker, great grand daughter of Nicholas Lisson formerly of Exeter * * deceased," conveying, by quit-claim, all their right, title and interest in three hundred acres "granted to our sd great grandfather Nicholas Lisson deceased" by the town of Exeter in 1675 and laid out in 1712 "at the request of Nicholas Gordon & Alexander Magoon since deceased."

Nicholas Lisson, according to Pope, was at Salem in 1637, a proprietor at Marblehead. He is named as creditor in the inventory of George Pollard of Marblehead 30:4:1646 (5 Essex Antiquarian, 172). He had a grant of twenty acres on the little fresh river at Exeter before May 11, 1654 (1 *ibid.* 178). In April, 1654, he purchased a house and lot on the water-side at Exeter by a deed to which "John Baine" was a witness (2 *ibid.* 148). In 1656, he bought half the new saw-mill at Exeter falls (*ibid.* 148). In 1659, he owned a quarter of the new mills, John Gilman a quarter, John Cutt, Edward Hilton, John Warren, Thomas King, et al., a half (3 *ibid.* 141). In 1661, he conveyed to Henry Magoon, "my son-in-law," for life, remainder to his son John, lands in Exeter (*ibid.* 43). April 15, 1670, "Nicholas Lisen of Exeter, planter," for three hundred pounds conveyed one-quarter of six hundred and forty acres on Lamprel river (8 *ibid.* 38). Notes of other transactions, none of later date, may be found in 3 *ibid.* 43, 6 *ibid.* 172, 7 *ibid.* 32, 138-9.

The inference to be derived from the deed in 39 N. H. Deeds, above quoted, is that Nicholas Lisson had three daughters and no sons. His daughter Hannah married John Bean, another daughter

married Henry Magoon, and the third daughter perhaps married a Gordon.

The daughter Hannah Lisson, who married John Bean was unknown to Mr. Drummond, the historian of the John Bean family. Their daughter Hannah is not mentioned by him in the list of John Bean's children. There is however a gap in his list between the birth of Mary, the first child, June 8, 1655, and John, the next, 1661. If further search should not disclose the record of the birth of Hannah² (John¹) Bean it may well be assumed that she was born a little later than her husband, Abraham² Whitaker, jr., son of Abraham¹ Whitaker and Elizabeth² (William¹) Symonds of Haverhill. He was born February 29, 1656 (4 Essex Antiquarian, 142). Hannah² Bean was thus born probably about 1657 or 1658, and was perhaps the second child of her parents.

It is thus clear that John Bean was at Exeter as early as April 18, 1654, when he witnessed the deed to Nicholas Lisson, that he married, probably about that time, Hannah, the daughter of Nicholas Lisson, and that by her he had a daughter Hannah born probably about 1657 or 1658 and probably other children.

NOTES.

Dr. Samuel Blanchard was a merchant, yeoman and esquire, and lived in Wenham. He married Miss Elizabeth Gardner of Wenham (published April 21, 1781), and died there, of typhus fever, May 4, 1813, aged fifty-seven. She survived him, and died, his widow, in Wenham, June 24, 1816, aged fifty-seven. Children: Henry, baptized in First church in Salem July 28, 1782; lived in Salem, merchant, in 1813; Francis, baptized in First church in Salem Feb. 1, 1784; esquire; lived in Wenham; died there June 27, 1813, aged twenty-nine, leaving a minor daughter Eliza Cabot Blanchard; Lucy, unmarried in 1822. —*Records.*

Daniel Blanchard published to Mary Blanchard, both of Salem, Feb. 26, 1783.

Benjamin Blanchard married Margaret Brown Dec. 4, 1791. Children: Margaret, born Aug. 18, 1795; Elizabeth, born Sept. 3, 1797; Benjamin, born July 19, 1799; Priscilla, born Sept. 7, 1803; Joanna, born Jan. 13, 1806; William Brown, born May 23, 1808.

William Bland married Anna Freeman, both of Salem, negroes, Nov. 9, 1793.

—*Salem town records.*

Rebekah Blancher married Benj^a Nichols Oct. 12, 1786.

Lucy Blanchard of Danvers married Nathan Putnam, jr., Oct. 27, 1793.

Lucy Blanchard of Danvers married Walter Smith of Lynnfield March 7, 1799.

—*Danvers town records.*

Ebenezer Blanchard married Mary Ramsdell May 9, 1753; and their son John was born Oct. 25, 1753.—*Lynn town records.*

Jotham Blanchard married Elizabeth Treadwell Nov. 10, 1766.—*Middleton church records.*

Jeremiah Blanchard married Susanna Pearson, both of Newbury, Dec. 13, 1784; children: Polly, born Feb. 14, 1786; Dolly, born Jan. 12, 1789; Jeremiah, born Dec. 16, 1790; Lois, born March 2, 1793; Rebecca, born Feb. 15, 1796; Fanny, born April 14, 1798.—*Newbury and Newburyport town records.*

David Blanchard of Bradford, yeoman, and wife Anna sell estate of William Ilsley of Newbury, deceased, in 1792.—*Registry of deeds.*

John Blanchard died of the small pox July 24, 1678.

Jane Blane married Nathaniel French Nov. 1, 1750.

—*Newbury town records.*

Rachel Blanchard married Nathaniel Forster Jan. 10, 1782.

Mrs. Abigail Blayne published to Rev. John White Aug. 26, 1727.

John Blanchfill married Mrs. Sarah Clark Jan. 8, 1795.

—*Gloucester town records.*

GOD'S PIONEERS.

BY PHILIP E. HOWARD.

They tread the sounding shores of time,—
 Not theirs to doubt or fail or wonder.
 They speak in tones that ring sublime
 Above the long seas' endless thunder.

The lowering world of lust and brawn
 They startle from its dullard dreaming;
 They sing the coming of the dawn,
 And fling their banners to its gleaming.

O loving hearts, the stranger land
 Too slowly answers your proclaiming!
 But courage! All shall not withstand
 God's pioneers, the world reclaiming.

IPSWICH COURT RECORDS AND FILES.

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Court, 29 : 1 : 1653.

Trial jury : Mr. Jonathan Wade, Robert Daye, Thomas Scott, Daniell Warner, Thomas Bishop, William Storye, John Sanders, Jo : Bartlet, Will : Ilsly, Will : Hobson, James Barker and Tho : Abbot.

Will : Hobson and Tho : Abbot of Rowley took oath of fidelity.

Robert Long sworn constable for Newbury ; and Daniell Killum for Wenam.

Capt. Gerish sworn commissioner to end small causes for Newbury.

Made free : of Rowley, Mr. Samuell Philips, of Andover, Rich : Barker.

Christopher Collings v. Enoche Coldam. Slander, for saying that said Collings' wife was a witch and calling her witch. Judgment for defendant.

Francis Johnson v. Capt. Will: Hathorne. Breach of a bond. John Hudson was connected with the matter.

[Bill of lading, printed form : Shipped by Mr. Thomas Lake in the good ship called Unitie of New England, Augustrain Walker, master, now riding at anchor in Boston harbor, bound for London, thirty-eight moose hides. Dated, Boston, July 24, 1652.

Edmond Clarke deposed that he heard William Ewings say that some of Charlestown men told him that they had up some boards at the Lore neck and laid them ashore, and he might get them if

he would. Sworn before William Stevens, Robert Tucker and Robert Elwell, commissioners of Gloucester, 29 ; 1 : 1652.
 —Files.]

Humphrey Brodstreet v. Stephen Kent. For taking away, using and abusing and not returning a boar, and for suspicion of taking away other swine.

Isaack Couzens v. Lt. Edmond Greenlief. For non-delivery of a colt. Withdrawn. [Stephen Grenlef, aged twenty-three years, deposed : I was present when there were words passed between my father and Isac Cosens about a colt Cosens would buy, and said Cosens proposed to shake hands and make bargain, but my father refused to trade until he saw the colt.—Files.]

Rich : Shattswell v. Thomas Skinner. For testifying before Mr. Hibbens. Withdrawn.

[William Howard deposed that Robt. Storkwether said in my hearing about three weeks ago that he took a company of cattle of said Storkwether off the common, brought them to town and put as many as he could into the pound, etc.

Sarah, wife of Wm. Vinson, deposed that Mrs. Holgrave asked her how she liked Mr. Perkins now. Mrs. Vinson answered, "Liked him well." Mrs. Holgrave then said : "He was fitter to bee a Ladies Chambermad then a Preacher ; & if ye Church had knowne as much as fhee, they would not have Called him to office." Sworn before William Stevens, Christopher Aveye and Robert Tucker, commissioners of Gloucester, 30 : 9 : 1652.

Bond : Joseph Medcalfe and Edward Browne to Robert Lord of Ipswich, marshall, Sept. —, 1652, to appear at court upon complaint of Mr. Georg.

Will Paine affirmed that Mr. Grene delivered five cattle to Mr. Mendal, etc., June 21, 1652, endorsed "Barbadoes."

Capt Timo Pray is ordered by Jn^o Gifford to pay to Henry Tucke three pounds. Bill assigned to Joseph Armitage. Witness: Henry Tucker.

— — — deposed that Joseph Laughton whipped the child to make it quiet,

etc. The child lay on straw, having but a piece of sail cloth in the cradle to lie upon, etc. Sworn before Samuel Symonds 26 : 4 : 1652.

Joseph Fowlar warned at court to answer his presentment for speeches to constable. Witness: Theophilus —, etc.

Settling matter of Thomas Wheeler.

Thomas Tiler deposed that being at goodman Robinson's house, goodwife Day said that Francis Swayne was bound to save her and her husband harmless in this business. Sworn before Thomas Wiggin 8 : 2 mo : 1652

Inventory of goods of William Averill of Ipswich. Amount, £62; real, £20; personal, £42. House, land, etc. Taken by Reginald Foster and Andrews Hodgs.

Will of William Averill of Ipswich, proved by both witnesses March 29, 1653. This will has been printed in *The Antiquarian*, volume V, page 30.

—*Files.*]

William Whittred v. Thomas Rolinson. Debt. Judgment for defendant. [Henry Kingsbury deposed that some time since when he was at goodman Kimboll's, goodman Whitturage was there. Said Kingsbury was asked to cast up the bill for some work about the house of goodman Rolloson's wherein goodman Whitturage then lived, "I think the bill was £2, 16s., 8d." Sworn to in Ipswich court 28 : 7 : 1652.—*Files.*]

Robert Lord, attorney to John Cogswell, jr. v. Joseph Armentage. Book account.

Mr. William Payne & Company v. Mr. William Norton. Book account.

Mr. Henry Webb, administrator of Robert ffilbricke v. Henry Walker. Debt.

Joseph Armentage acknowledged judgment in favor of John Geddney of Salem.

Nicolas Gardner, by his attorney Mr. William Bartholmew, acknowledged judgment into John Gednye of Salem. [Nicholas Gardner (his T mark) of Salem, fisherman, appointed Wm. Bartholmew of Ipswich as his attorney to acknowledge judgment to John Gedney of Salem.

Dated 24 : 1 : 165-. Witnesses: Sam: Winsley and Samuel Archard.—*Files.*]

Beniamyn Hillyard, fisherman, by his attorney William Bartholmew, acknowledged judgment to John Gednye of Salem. [Benjamin Hillyard (Hillyer—*signature*) of Salem, fisherman, appointed Wm. Bartholmew of Ipswich to acknowledge judgment to John Gedney of Salem. Dated 24 : 1 : 1653. Witnesses: Sam: Winsley and Samuel Archard.—*Files.*]

John ffullar v. Jo: Browne. For work. Non-suited.

[Inventory of Thomas Wathing's things. All wearing apparel. Amount, £2, 15s. Taken by Zeblen Hill and Stephen Glover, both of Gloucester. Tools appraised by goodman Felten of Salem Towne.—*Files.*]

Christopher Collings v. Richard Whitney. Not prosecuted. Defendant allowed costs.

Jo: Hathorne v. George Keazer. Two actions. Not prosecuted.

Thomas Macey appointed administrator of the estate of Willm Crimp.

Inventory of estate of William Ivory of Lyn, deceased, filed. Amount, £135, 9s., 10d. Also, a writing filed by Ann Ivory, relict of said William Ivory, as his last will. Declared invalid, for want of an executor, etc. Administration granted to her. Deceased's son Thomas Ivory was ordered to have twenty pounds of the estate when he is twenty-one years old, and Lois and Sarah, two of the daughters, ten pounds apiece when they are eighteen or married. Ruth Baly, a married daughter, to have forty shillings. Remainder of the estate to go to the widow.

Constable of Haverhill, Thomas Davis, according to the governor's warrant, brought in Stephen Kent, Mathias Button, Dutchman, and John Mackcalamy, Scotchman.

Ruth Halfield, presented for excess in apparel, at last court, being under her mother's government, and Rich: Coye affirming that her mother is worth two hundred pounds, is discharged.

George Palmer, presented for wearing silver lace, fined ten shillings.

Samuell Brocklebank, presented for wearing silver lace, discharged in consideration of his employment, etc.

Mr. Sewall, for several disturbances, being bound to good behavior; bond forfeited.

Mr. Henry Sewall acknowledged himself bound to good behavior in the sum of twenty pounds.

William Douglas, upon his wife's presented, fined ten shillings.

William Stickney of Rowley sworn clerk of the market for Rowley.

Henry Archer presented. To pay costs.

Richard Coye to answer presentment of his wife.

Tho: Scott allowed witness fees.

Daniell Pearce, constable of Newbery, to be paid ten shillings, and the constable of Andover, ten shillings, on the country's account.

The court allowed to the house four shillings, to Mr. Broadstreet, where he lay, one shilling, and to Capt. Hathorne, one shilling.

Court, 27: 7: 1653.

Judges: Mr. Samuell Symonds, Major-general Denison and Mr. William Hubard.

Jury for trials: Moses Pengry, Rich^r Jacob, Tho: Borman, Andr: Hodges, John Procter, Tho: Dickason, Tho: Leauer, John Smith, John Palmer, Abra. Tappin, Antho: Mose and James Jackman.

Grand jury: Mr. William Payne, Lt. Sam: Apleton, Mr. Willm Bartholmew, Joseph Medcalfe, Edward Browne, Daniell Houye, Richard Swan, Hugh Smith, John Trumble, James Barker, Frances Plumer, Richard Thurly, Henry Lunt and Nicolas Holt.

Mr. John Gifford, agent of the Iron Works v. Mr. John Beax and Company. Account. Extensive findings on records. Damages, £1,363, 14 s., 5 d. [The Iron Works at Hammersmith and Braintree to Mr. John Becx and Company, debtor, Bill. Balance of account delivered to Henry Webb, to Thomas Wiggin, to carting gravel to mend the flume, to carting crooks for ye furnace wheels, work about

ye furnace beam, making ye chimney, work at ye slittin mill, account of Francis Perrye, his team and son fetching stuff for ye furnace wheels and work with goodman Jenckes in ye slittin mill, cutting ye anvil block, making a bridge for carting mine, falling a tree for ye hammer beam, sawing shamme posts for ye furnace, to Rob^t Meeme, wages, to Samuel Harte, use of his tools one year and for teaching Jn^o Clarcke his trade, to Nicholas Potter, making oven and two hearths at ye Scott, to Edward Richards and his man, labor, to John Gould, goodman Poole, Geo: Davis and Adam Hauckes, their share in getting home ye furnace and hammer beam, to Tho: Heltonn, making three fans, to goodman Whetman, falling trees, to Jn^o Clarke, one year's diet of Fran: Perrye (Sept. 21, 1652—Sept. 21, 1653), to John Adams, five months diet of Fran: Perrye, ending Sept. 29, to Roger Tiler, twenty weeks diet by John Toish ending Sept. 20, by Joseph James 20 weeks diet ending Sept. 20, to Allester Maduggle, thirty-three weeks diet from Feb. 7 to Sept. 29, and to diet of Archbill Anderson from April 18 to Sept. 29, to Daniell Salmon for diet of George Darling forty weeks from Dec. 20 to Sept. 26, and nineteen weeks diet of Jn^o Purdieye, to account of Rich: Greene for six weeks diet of Charles Phillipps ending July 5, to provisions delivered ye Scotts June 26 to Sept. 24, one wheelbarrow for ye use of Thomas Celtonn, collier, to account of Thomas Loocke, work of himself and his man, to account of Jn^o Tarbox, clapboards about Wm. Tingle's house, to Wm. Robinson, fencing Blood's lot, to account of John Turner, sr., work, to account of Joseph Boovee his share for fencing Blood's lot, to account of Daniell Salmonn, forty-two and one-half weeks' work ending Sept. 29, 1653, to paid goodman Fuller, to account of Theophilos Bayly and John Lambarte their severall voyages with ye company's boat to Boston, Waymouth, Brantreye and Hingham, to account of Thomas Graves and

Marche Graves, of said voyages, to account of Joseph Armitage, to account of John Tourner, jr., cutting wood, to goodman Townsend, to Wm. Robinson, cutting wood, to account of Joseph Boueeye, cutting wood, Wm. Tingle, cutting wood, to account of Richard Poste and Charles Hoocke, digging bog mine, to account of Thomas Wiggins, digging rock mine at Nahant, to account of Wm. Robinson and Joseph Boueye, getting bog mine out of ye swamp, to Lt. Thomas Marshall, for finding a parcel of bog mine in ye woods, £1, 10 s., to Thomas Wiggins, carting ten load of mine from Reading, Francis Perry, carting mine, Edward Backer, carting twenty-six loads of mine from Reading, to Jn^o Gould, carting, to Francis Perry, carting one hundred loads, to Thomas Marshall, carting eighty-three loads, to Samuell Bennitt, carting one hundred and seventy-nine loads, to Joseph Armitage, carting sixty-seven loads, to Wm. Tingle, coaling, to Rich: Greene, coaling, to Thomas Loocke, coaling, to Tho: Heltonn, coaling, to John Francis, coaling, to Henry Stick, coaling, to Henry Tucker, coaling, to Thomas Wiggins, carting coals from John Francis and Henry Stick, to Allenn Breede, carting from Hen Tuck, to Samuell Bennitt, carting from Henry Stick, Henry Tucker, Rich: Greene, Jn^o Francis and Thomas Loocke, to John Giffard, carting from Wm. Tingle and Tho: Loocke, to Daniell Salmon, carting from Rich: Greene, Tingle, Jn^o Francis and Thomas Loocke. Mr. Wm. Browne of Salem owing by Mr. William Aubrey.

John Giffard states that the other men employed about the affairs of the works at Hammersmith and Brantrey with whom he has not ye account. As agent of the undertakers of the Iron Works in New England he deposed in Ipswich court 27 : 7 : 1653.

Writ: Mr. John Gifford v. Mr. John Becx & Co., undertakers of the Iron Works of Linn and Braintry, dated 13 : 7 : 1653. Served by John ffuller, constable of Linn, by attachment of all the

Scots and English servants, the sliting mill, the mine dug and undug, the wood ground by Samuell Benit, wood on Walker's plain, wood granted by Linn, land and house of Mr. John Gifford, six oxen, Joseph Jinks, *tertes*, his mill, mine in goodman Brown his lot, the *frame* at Samuell Benit's, land bought of Mr. Knolls, the company's arms, carts and wheels, land of Joseph Jinks, jr., etc.

Writ: Mr. John Gifford, agent for the undertakers of ye Iron Works v. Mr. John Becx, Mr. Henry Webb and Mr. Joshua Foote & company, dated 16 : 7 : 1653. Served by John ffuller, constable of Linn, by attachment of the forge, furnace, coals, mine, dwelling house of Mr. John Gifford, Scots and English servants, etc.

Edward Richards deposed that he and others looked to Mr. John Gefard for their pay. Sworn in Ipswich court, 27 : 7 : 1653.

Daniell Salmon deposed that he was employed by Mr. John Geffard, agent of the Iron Works. Sworn in Ipswich court 27 : 7 : 1653.

Tho: Clarke wrote to Capt. Bridges (dated at Boston 22 : 7 : 1653) about the accounts. Mr. Daueson mentioned.

Inventory of stock and tools at ye forge at Hammersmith taken Dec. 20, 1650, when Mr. Gifford came hither. Amount, £4,302, 12s., 2d.

—*Files.*]

Joseph Juete, attorney to Richard Wright v. Thomas Scott, jr., Robert Beacham and Richard Betts. Bond.

Mr. William Payne, assignee of James Oliver and Capt. John Leueret v. Thomas Macy, administrator of the estate of William Crimp. Debt.

Mr. William Payne v. Edward Gillman, sr., and Edward Gillman, jr. Covenant. [Writ in this case, dated Sept. 21, 1653; by the court, John Whipple. Served by Robert Lord, marshall of Ipswich. Boards sawn by the old mill at Exeter.—*Files.*]

[Writ: Edward Gyllman v. Natt: Boulter, dated 27 : 2 : 1649, Salisbury court.

Grounds of defendant's appeal from judgment, 4 mo : 12 : 1653, in John Samborne v. Robert Lord. I came to his brother's house 17 : 6 : 1653.

—*Files.*]

John Anaball v. Edward Gillman, jr. For withholding pipe staves. [Bond of Edward Gillman, jr., and John Gillman to answer John Anable at next court of Ipswich.—*Files.*]

[Nov. 18, 1650. Edward Gilman, jr., of Exeter acknowledged indebtedness to William Payne and Company of Ipswich. Debt of Nath Boulter, Thomas Chase, John Craunch, goodm Petite, Robert Sewers, goodm Cornise, goodman Leeson, William ffurber and Joseph Merry of Hampton mentioned. Witness: William Bartholmew.

Thomas Chase acknowledged indebtedness to Edward Gillman for building a vessel, May 3, 1651. Witness: Edward Colcord.

Reasons of appeal by Edward Gillman in suit brought against him by Mr. William Payne and Company.

Receipt of Jn^o Legat, Aug. 15, 1651, received of Nathaniel Boulter, and use of Mr. William Payne, staves delivered to John Hart.

John Paine's letter to Mr. Gillman about receipt of staves for my father's use, received of good: Liston.

Edward Hilton's receipt of boards of Edward Gillman, Sept. 1, 1651.

Letter from Benj^a Gerrish, dated March 30, 1685, saying that Thomas Brown of Lin came to see him about a deed brought into Salem court in June, 1684. Signed "your loving kinsman." No address.

Humphery Willson deposed that a boat came into Exeter for boards Mr. William Pane was to have of Mr. Gillman, etc. Sworn 26 : 4 : 1653, before Will Estow and Thomas Condanw, commissioners of Hampton.

John Waront and Humphrey Willson deposed that about a year and a half ago Mr. William Payn and Edward Gillman were at said Willson's at Exeter, about an execution of Nathanl Boulter and a

bill of Thomas Chase. Sworn 26 : 4 : 1653, before Will Estow and Thomas Coultmun.

William Moer and Joseph Wineta deposed that about two years ago they carted down to Lamperell river pipe staves for Edward Gillman. Sworn 26 : 4 : 1653, before Will. Estow and Thomas Coultman, commissioners of Hampton.

Nicolas Leson and Anthony Day deposed that about two years and three quarters ago Mr. William Payne employed us to make use of ye flat-bottomed boat of Edward Gillman down the river, and Mr. Payn got Thomas Biges (also Biggs). Sworn 26 : 7 : 16—, before Tho Wiggin.

William Taylour deposed that Mr. Payne's order to him was willing that Exeter should have boards under fifteen inches broad, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court 27 : 7 : 1653.

James Wall of Exeter deposed about the old saw mill. Sworn in Ipswich court 27 : 7 : 1653.

Thomas Turner deposed that after the flat-bottomed boat of Edward Gillman was made over to Mr. Willyam Paine, Thomas Biges and Nicolas Leson took it and brought down Mr. Paine some boards and left it at Oyster River point all the winter, and that she was much beaten with the wind and frost and damaged; and that when I was in the bay at Boston the next summer, etc., goodman Sinderland (also, Senderland) tendered me fifteen or eighteen pounds for the boat. Sworn 23 : 4 : 1653, before George Smythe.

Bills: Brian Pendleton, 1652, James Wells, Humferi Willson, etc.

Bill of Moses Pengry, Mr. Pendlton, Capt. Wood, Mr. Hilton, James Wall and Nicho: Lesson.

Goods Mr. Payne received of Ed: Gillman, jr., by Thomas Chase, Mr. Davison, Mr. Pendleton, Captain Woodswayne, Mr. Hilton and Tho: Cave.

Letter of Robert Payne and John Anable to goodman Gillman, to receive pipe staves of Henry Robye, dated at Ipswich 28 : 4 : 1648. Receipt endorsed on ack.

John Annable of Ipswich, tailor, acknowledged that he owed Mr. John Ward of Haverhill fourteen pounds to be paid to Robert Payne of Ipswich, March 28, 1651. Witnesses: Henry Palmer and Thomas Davis (his D mark).

Robert Payne testified that about six months after John Anniball's order was sent to goodman Gillman for the pipe ataves, Gillman came to my house, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court 27 : 7 : 1653.

Henry Rooby testified that about two years ago Arthur *Kine* came to Exeter, and Mr. Hilton came with an order in Mr. Willyam Paine's name to receive pipe staves at Exeter, and desired me to show him John Annable's stavcs, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court 27 : 7 : 1653.

Will : Paine testified as to Robert Paine, etc.

Edward Gillman, sr., Henry Roby and John Redmon deposed in Ipswich court, 28 : 7 : 1653.

—*Files.*]

Rich : Kent v. Robert Adams. Appear from commissioners of Newbury Way said Kent promised not to use for fourteen days and to accept of a new way, etc. [Copy of Newbury town records about laying out a highway from the island of Richard Kent over Robert Adams' marsh next Dole's into the common upland; and the town granted said Adams land adjoining that of John Hull. Signed by Henry Short, John Merrill and Thomas Hale, jr. Copy attested by Anthony Somerby.

Richard Browne and Mr. Woodman testified that Richard Kent, jr., complained to Henry Short, Thomas Hale and said Woodman that, coming home from Rowley mill, goodman Adams molested him in his way that was laid out by his house, etc., that he knocked down the bars in two places and went through. Sworn 24 : 7 : 1653.

Robert Adams v. Richard Kent, jr. For breaking down his orchard fence. Judgment for plaintiff.

—*Files.*]

Edward Richards v. Mr. John Giffor, agent for the Iron Works. Debt.

Jerymy Belchar v. Estate of Rob^t Beacham. Debt. [Writ : Jerymy Belcher v. Robert Beachaan, dated July 1, 1653; by the court, Jo : Whipple. Served by Robert Lord, marshall of Ipswich, by attachment of defendant's house and orchard.—*Files.*]

William Vinsent v. Edmond Marshall. Defamation. Defendant to make acknowledgement in the meeting houses in Salem, Ipswich and Gloucester within fourteen days. [Writ : William Vincen v. Edmon Marshall, for defaming his wife, saying she was a witch, etc., dated Sept. 4, 1653; by the court, John Whipple. Served by Clement Coledom, deputy of Robert Lord, marshall, by attachment of house and land of defendant.—*Files.*]

Willim Evans v. Edmond Marshall. Defamation. Verdict as in the preceding case. [Writ : William Evens v. Edmond Marshall, for defaming his wife, saying that she was a witch, etc., dated Sept. 4, 1653; by the court, John Whipple. Served by attachment of house and lot of defendant by Clement Coledom, deputy of Robert Lord, marshall.—*Files.*]

Ossmond Dutch v. Edmond Marshall. Defamation. Same verdict as in the preceding two cases. [Writ, same as preceding two writs above.—*Files.*]

[Daniell Broadley witnessed that goodman Marshall said at my house that mistress Pirkins, goody Evens, goody Duch and goody Vinsan were under suspicion of being witches, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court 27 : 7 : 1653.—*Files.*]

Cornelius Waldo v. William Pillsbery, [Writ, dated 5 : 5 : 1653; by the court John Whipple. Served by Robert Lord, marshall of Ipswich.

William Cogswell deposed that coming from general training at Boston last year about a mile this side of Lin town my brother Waldo and William Pilsbery of Newbury overtook me. They were talking about swapping their horses. We came to Wenham pond and they concluded their bargain, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court 27 : 7 : 1653.

Ann Winchest : deposed that my mistress Waldo asked William Pilsberry

whether he did not warrant the mare to be with foal, and he said he did, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court 27 : 7 : 1653.

—*Files.*]

Rich : Kent v. Willm Moody Review. [Bill of Rich : Kent in case against William Modye.—*Files.*]

Mr. Willm Payne v. Benjamin Gillam. Non-performance of an award made by Major Sedgwick, Mr. Richard Russell and Mr. Nicolas Davison, for himself and John Turner. Referred to Salem court. [Bond of Benjamin Gillam and sureties, Marke *Handes* of Boston, yeoman, and Tristram Coffin, sr., of Newbury, to Alexander Bukeley, constable of Portsmouth, to answer Mr. William Paine at Ipswich court, for non-performance of above award. Witness: Brian Pendleton.—*Files.*]

Mr. William Perkins v. Robert Tucker and Christopher Auery, in behalf of Gloucester. For sum due for his labors in the ministry. Withdrawn.

[Writ : Mr. William Pirkins v. Christopher Avery (of Gloster?), dated Sept. 15, 1653. Served by Robert Lord, marshall of Ipswich, by attachment of house and land of Robert Tucker.

Bond of Christopher Avery and Richard Beford (his R mark) to Robert Lord, marshall, that said Avery appear at Ipswich court to answer complaint of Mr. William Perkins, 17 : 7 : 1653.

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John Hathorne v. Edward Richards. Debts. [Writ, dated Sept. 12, 1653; by the court, Edward Burchum. Served by John ffuller, constable of Lin.—*Files.*]

Tho : Wheelar v. Joseph Armentage. Bond. Appealed. [Writ : Thomas Wheelar v. Joseph Armatage (also Armytage). For non-performance of an award made by Mr. George Corwine 26 : 12 : 1652; dated Sept. 20, 1653; by the court, Edward Burchum. Served by John ffuller, constable of Lin.

John Hathorne deposed that, speaking with Joseph Armitage in my house at Lynn, I heard him express a dislike of Mr. Curwine's award, before he removed

to the place where he now is. Sworn in Ipswich court 27 : 7 : 1653. Edward Richard testified that he heard about the case. Sworn as above.

—*Files.*]

Mr. William Payne v. Henry Way. [Writ: Mr. William Paine v. Henry Waye, dated Sept. 21, 1653; by the court, John Whipple. Served by Edward Mitchell, sr., marshall of Boston.—*Files.*]

Richard Coy, answering his wife's presentment, discharged.

Hugh Marsh his wife discharged of her presentment, he being worth above two hundred pounds.

Wife of Nicolas Noice, presented for wearing a silk hood, discharged, her husband being worth two hundred pounds.

Tristram Coffin his wife presented for selling beer for three pence a quart. Proved by testimony of Samuel Moore that six bushels of mault were put into the hogshed. Discharged.

Wife of John Hutchings presented for wearing a silk hood, discharged upon testimony of her being brought up above the ordinary rank.

Wife of Rich : Knight presented for wearing a silk hood, discharged, her husband being worth above two hundred pounds. [Letter from Edward Rawson to ———, that Richard ———, a friend of mine in Newbury, an honest, godly man, is presented for his wife's wearing a silk hood, etc. I know he is worth more than three hundred pounds. Newbury, Aug. 19, 1653.—*Files.*]

John Swett's wife fined ten shillings for wearing a silk hood.

Wife of William Chandlour fined ten shillings for wearing a silk hood.

Wife of John Whipple presented for wearing a silk hood, discharged, her husband being worth two hundred pounds.

Rich : Brabrook presented for wearing a silk scarf. Not proved.

Antho : Potter presented for his wife wearing a silk hood. Discharged, being worth two hundred pounds.

Thomas Harris, Thomas Wayte and Edward Browne, upon proof of their

wives' education and bringing up, discharged of their presentments.

William Trotter and wife fined and to be whipped for defiling themselves before the marriage bed.

[Writ: Samuel Taylor v. Joseph Jewet, dated 6 : 3 mo : 1653 ; by the court, Francis Parrat. Served by Robert Lord, marshall of Ipswich.

Bond of James Bayly to Robert Lord of Ipswich, marshall, that Joseph Jewett prosecute his replevin suit. Witness: Henry Kingsbury.

Writ: William Bartrum (of Lin?) v. Margerette Fossett, dated 27 : 5 : 1653 ; by the court, Edward Burchum. Served by attachment of the frame of a house, etc., by John fuller, constable of Line.

Writ: Mr. Robert Paine v. Edward Coleborne, dated 3 : 7 mo : 1653 ; by the court, Francis Parrat.

Writ: John Hathoren v. Niklis Pinyon, dated Sept. 3, 1653 ; by the court, Edward Burchum. Served by John fuller, constable of Line.

Writ: Mr. William Hubbert, sr., of Ipswich v. Robert Stockweather, dated 3 : 7 mo : 1653 ; by the court, Francis Parrat.

Writ: Mr. Robert Payne v. Robert Starkweather, dated 3 : 7 mo : 1653 ; by the court, Francis Parrat.

Writ: Nicklis Pinyon v. John Hathoren, for striking plaintiff's wife, dated Sept. 12, 1653 ; by the court, Edward Burchum. Served by John fuller, constable of Lin.

Presentments of grand jury to Ipswich court 7 mo : 1653 :

Henry Bachteler of Ipswich and his wife for frequent abstinence from public meeting on the Lord's day ; and she for unseemly behavior in the meetings to the disquiet and grief of many. Witnesses: Ensign Howlett and Joseph Medcalfe.

John Smith of Rowley for rescuing cattle from John Pearson of Rowley as he was driving them to the pound. Witnesses: Richard Layton and Elizabeth Jackson.

Mr. Henry Sewell of Rowle for misdemeanors in the public meetings. Witnesses: Thomas Dickinson, Hugh Smith, John

Mighill, Nehemiah Abott, Lt. Remington and Ezekiell Northen. Also, for striking William Asey on the face in the open street. Witnesses: Thomas Tenny and John Asey.

Joseph Mosse for being drunk and profaning the Sabbath. Witnesses: Twiford West and his wife.

Morris Somes of Gloster, for stealing corn or meal out of the mill. Witnesses: William Evanes and Clement Coldham.

Christopher Avery of Gloster, for many years living from his wife, she being in England. Witnesses: Robert Brooks of Gloster and his wife. Also, for speaking against the person and ministry of Mr. Wm. Perkins, their teacher, in town meeting. Witnesses: William Evans, Richard Beford, William Vincent and Edward Mils.

Robert Tucker of Gloster, for speaking against Mr. Wm. Perkins, their teacher, and discouraging men from contributing to his maintenance. Witnesses: Clement Coldham, John Pearce and William Evans.

Robert Dutch of Gloster, for speaking against Mr. Wm. Perkins in town meeting. Witnesses: Clement Coldham and John Pearce.

John Roe of Gloster, for affronting Mr. Wm. Perkins in the time of his preaching of the word in public. Witnesses: Jeffery Parson and Grace Dutch.

Signed by Will. Paine for the rest.

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Christopher Avery, for not living with his wife, fined twenty pounds or to go to her at the first opportunity. Upon his presentment for reproachful speeches to make acknowledgment and pay witnesses.

Robert Dutch, for reproachful speeches to make acknowledgement and pay witnesses.

Robert Tucker, presented for scandalous speeches against Mr. Perkins, discharged.

William Everton, summoned by John Hardmon, not entered.

Andrew Foster of Andover, in respect of age and other infirmity, released from ordinary training.

Daniel Houey released from ordinary training paying five shillings a year to the company.

Margret Pittis brought in inventory of the estate of her husband John Pittis. Amount, £ 88, 17s., 2d. She was appointed administratrix of his estate, and ordered to pay to the five children, being all daughters, five pounds each at the age of eighteen. She is to bring up the children.

Deposition of Thomas Smith that he stood by the lot-layers, goodman Gage and Sargent Jacob, when they measured out Mr. Tuttle's house lot, and at that time they measured out a rod broad of ground to be left common to dig a well in before they measured goodman Coolyes lot, so that the common ground lieth between Mr. Tuttle's and goodman Cooly. Sworn in Ipswich court 25 : 1 : 1651.

Deposition of William Whittred that, being at town meeting about twelve years since, the town granted said rod of land from the street down to the swamp convenient for the norwest end of the town for to fetch water. Sworn in Ipswich court 25 : 1 : 1651.

Deposition of John Gage, that being a lot-layer, laid out a watering place for the town's use about eleven years since between the house lots of Mr. Tuttle and goodman Cowly the full length of their lots. Sworn March 27, 1651, before Jo: Endicott, deputy-governor, and Samuel Symonds.

Indenture, dated April 28, 1653, between Robert Powell, singleman, and John Cogswell, the younger, of Ipswich, yeoman, Powell is to serve Cogswell six years. Witnesses: Ch^r —, notary public, and Ja^o Needler, his sec^r

The following letter was brought into court by Robert Powell:—

"Godman P[o]well your son it seemes being willing to goe into new England hath spoken with my Kinsman m^r John coggswell of Ipswich in new england now with me about his goeing thither as a servant to him for Six yeares my couzzen being to pay for the pasage to giue him meat, drinke, & cloths in a fitting way & ten pounds in money after the expiration of

his 6 yeares : & I will Ingage to you for my kinsman well vffinge of your son and that he shall not sell him to any man Else : Because I am vnknown to you you may enquire of m^r Randall who I am & he will fertifie you foe I rest

"your frend vnknowne

"Samuell Thomsonn

"Tanton april 19 1653.

[Endorsement on back:]

"The ~~20~~ marke of Robert Poells ffather & he haue my good will."

Henry Sewall, jr., of Newbury, gent., appointed his friend Henry Shorte of Newbury, yeoman, his attorney, to recover, etc., from Samuel Poore, John Chater and John Wright, Oct. 4, 1650. Witnesses: Anthony Somerby and Nathaniel Wyer.

Stephen Dumer, sr., of Bishopstoake, county of Southampton, yeoman, appoints his friend Henry Short of Newbury, yeoman, his attorney, to recover from Stephen Kent of Newbury, yeoman, etc., April 18, 1650. Witnesses: William Swisley, Hener Sewall, jr., and Will: Norton.

Deposition of Thomas Hale, sr., that Newbury granted by way of exchange three acres of land to John Pike upon the neck behind the great swamp to be laid out by the selectmen and Richard Knight. Sworn March 26, 1656, before Daniell Denison and Symon Bradstreet.

Sept. 18, 1655, John Pike says that he is informed that some of his neighbors are displeased with the straightness of the passage in the way by his house because his fence takes in some of the path. He now gives liberty to any one to come through his ground if they will hang two gates. Agreed to by Daniel Peirce, John Bishop, John Cheney, John Bartlet and William Ielsly, selectmen of Newbury.

Edward Carlton of Rowley appoints Humphrey Reyner and Joseph Juitt of Rowley his attorneys to sell houses, lands, chattels, etc., Aug. 9, 1650. Witnesses: William Cuthboard and Joshua Booth.

Mr. John Cogswell acknowledged judgment to William Wylde before Mr. Samuell

Symonds and Major-general Denison June 20, 1656.

Deed of Abraham Whittaker of Haverhill to John Godfry of Andover, binding over a yoke of steers said Whittaker bought of said Godfry, March 10, 1657. It is also signed by William Symons (his mark). Witnesses: Richard Littlehale and Mary Littlehale. The steers were delivered to John Godfry March 11, 1657. Witnesses: Richard Littlehale and Robert Clements.

Deposition of William Vincent, aged about forty-seven, that the wife of John Goyt, sr., said that there was coming unto her husband from Robert Dutch of Gloucester twenty or twenty-one pounds for the house and land which were sold in Gloucester, and she intended to make Mr. Prise of Salem her attorney, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court March 30, 1658.

Deposition of Grace, wife of Ossmound Dutch of Gloucester, aged forty-two, that John Goyt, sometime of Gloucester, sold to Robert Dutch, now of Ipswich, his dwelling house and land said John Goyt sometime possessed in Gloucester, and that said John Goyt, when going away in his skiff, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court March 30, 1658.

Bond of Joseph Jewett of Rowley to John Hull of Newbury, to pay five pounds, which is the portion of Jerimy Goodridge at twenty-one years of age, and five pounds more to said Jerimy as a gift one year after his youngest brother's portion is due; and unto Joseph Goodridge ten pounds at twenty-one as above, from his father-in-law John Hull; and to Benjamin Goodridge, at twenty-one, three cows, two steers and five pounds in money. Dated April 1, 1658. Witnesses: Robert Lord, Thomas Lord and Thomas Wood. Acknowledged in Ipswich court March 30, 1658.

27 : 7 : 1653.

Henry Sewall's bond of good behavior forfeited.

Will of Mr. John Cogswell, jr., proved in court. Inventory received. Mr. John Cogswell and William Cogswell, executors. (The original will of John Cogswell, badly worn and mutilated, is on file in the pro-

bate office at Salem; and a copy of it is printed in *The Antiquarian*, volume V, page 40.)

Theophilus Wilson appointed to keep the prison.

[Venire for four trial-jury men from Rowley 22 : 7 : 1653. Return, Thomas Dickinson, Thomas Leaver, John Smith and John Palmer. Signed by John Pickard, constable.

Summons to wife of Edward Browne, wife of Thomas Harris, wife of Thomas Wayte, wife of Anthony Potter, wife of Richard Brabooke, wife of John Whipple, jr., and Frances, the maid of John Andrews, jr., to answer their presentments at Ipswich Court; and as witnesses, Sergeant French, Symond Thomson, Georg Giddings, Thomas Treddwell, William Adames, sr., and Will ffellowes. Also, to send seven able men of Ipswich to serve on trial jury. Dated 26 : 6 : 1653. Served by Theophilus Wilson, constable. Jurymen: Tho : Dickason, Tho : Leaver, Jo : Smith, Jo : Palmer, Abr. Tappin, Antho : Mose and James Jackman.

Deed of Theophilus Shatswell, in Norfolk county, husbandman, conveyed to William Marchent of Ipswich, husbandman, his dwelling house in which said William now lives, and land in Ipswich near the north end of the town, bounded by the house and land of Moses Pengry toward the northwest, the street southwest, the house and land of Thomas Smith toward the southeast, and planting ground on the hill toward the "southeast" (northeast?); also, six acres of land in the common field on the north side of the river, having the common fence toward the south, Moses Pengry his land toward the east, the highway toward the north and land of Robert Lord west; also, three acres of planting ground within the same fence, having the land of Robert Lord toward the southwest and norwest, land of Haniell Bosworth toward the noreast and a swamp toward the southeast. Dated March 29, 1653. Not signed.

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OLD NORFOLK COUNTY RECORDS.

Continued from volume IX, page 141.

Lt. Phillip Challis of Amsbery, yeoman, for £30 (and £30 secured to John Weed of Amsbery), conveyed to Edward Goue of Hampton, planter, my fourth of ye old sawmill so called now standing on Pawwaws river near unto ye corn mill in Salisbury, etc., Jan. 17, 1671. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and the mark m s of Mary Weed. Ack. Jan. 17, 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Isaac Colby of Haverhill and wife Martha, for £20, conveyed to Richard Bartlett of Nubery 35 acres of land town of Amsbery granted to me, bounded by grantee (formerly Henry Blasdale's grant, highway, land held by Jn^o Weed and a pond, Nov. 28, 1670. Wit: Anthony Somerby and Abiell Somerby. Ack. 26: 11: 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

John Dickison (his † mark) of Salisbury, planter, for 6 acres of upland near my present house, conveyed to Henry Brown of Salisbury, shoemaker, 6 acres of upland (being part of my division of 500 acres), bounded by comon land, highway leading to ye mill, 2: 11 mo: 1671. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and William Bradbury. Ack. Jan. 25, 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Thomas Whittier of Haverhill, husbandman, for £82, 10s., conveyed to Sam^{ll} Pearson of Rowley 10 acres of upland with ye house, orchard, etc., in Haverhill, bounded by Richard Singletarie, Daniel Hendrick, highway by ye great river of Merrimack; also, one and one-half acres of meadow in Haverhill, called Soure meadow, bounded by Richard Singletary, meadow in the possession of Jn^o Page, sr., and Ephraim Davis; also, two commonages in all undivided land in Haverhill, Feb. 11, 1670. Wit: Samuel Pore and mark N of Nath^{ll} Smith. Ack. by grantor, his wife Ruth (her O mark) releasing dower, Feb. 11, 1670, before Nath^{ll} Saltonstall, commissioner.

John Ilsly of Salisbury, barber, for certain work done for me and my wife

Sarah, conveyed to William Ilsly ye younger of Nuberie, planter, 6 cow commonages I bought of Joseph Parker and Robert Ring; also 8 acres of meadow I bought of them in ye cow common in 2 divisions, one between Joseph Moys and Richard Wells, and ye other between John Clifford and John Eyer; also, my 4-acre planting lot, bounded by W^m Allin, Rodger Eastman, highway and boggie meadow; and also my house lots, bounded by Richard Goodale, ye street and Mr. Tho: Bradbury Nov. 22, 1671. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Jabes Bradbury. Ack. Feb. 13, 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Richard Goodale, sr. (his Λ mark), of Salisbury, husbandman, conveyed to John Ilsly of Salisbury, barber, 2 acres of marsh in Mr. Hall's farm in Salisbury, belonging to the first division of ye higledee pigledee lots of salt marsh granted by Salisbury, April 1, 1663. Wit: Tho: Bradbury, sr., and Cornelious Conner. Ack. Apr. 17, 1663.

Francis Jennis (his mark) of Hampton, baker, for £52, etc., mortgaged to Benjamin Church of Duxbury, dwelling house, barn and house lot of 5 acres in Hampton; also, a 4-acre planting lot, adjoining the house lot, bounded by Sam^{ll} Dalton, W^m Marston and ye meeting house green towards ye south: also 4-acre island of marsh; also, one share of ye great common; and, also, one share of ye cow's common, 27: 12: 1671. Wit: Nath^{ll} Batcheller and Sam^{ll} Dalton. Ack. 27: 12: 1671, before Sam^{ll} Dalton, commissioner.

John Eastman of Salisbury, planter, for £7, 10s., conveyed to Jn^o Ilsly of Salisbury, barber, my two divisions in Mr. Hall's farm in Salisbury,—one formerly belonging to Robert ffitt, containing half an acre and seventeen rods, and ye other one acre and sixty-six rods, between lots of Edward ffrench and Antony Stanian; also, 2 small divisions of upland from ye remnant laid out after ye first general division of the farm, adjoining ye country highway now in being, 27: 12: 1671. Wit: Isaac Morrill and John Stevens.

Ack. Feb. 27, 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

William Brown of Salisbury, weaver, for £8, conveyed to Jn^o Easman of Salisbury, laborer, 1½ acres of fresh meadow at ye head of a place called y^e boggie meadow in Salisbury, bounded by — Carr, Robert ffitt, deceased, a little creek and Nath^l Brown of Salisbury, planter, 27: 12: 1671. Wit: John Stevens and Isaac Morrill. Ack. Feb. 27, 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

George Goldwyer (his O mark) of Salisbury, yeoman, and wife Martha, for £4, conveyed to Abraham Merrill of Nubery, husbandman, my 3-acre higle-dee-pigledee lot of salt marsh lying in a place comonly called y^e barebery meadows in Salisbury, bounded by William Allen, Joseph ffletcher, ye great creek and Jn^o Cole, 27: 12: 1670. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Henry Brown. Ack. 27: 12: 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

William Brown of Salisbury, weaver, for 22s., 6d., conveyed to Nath^l Brown of Salisbury, planter, my boggie meadow in Salisbury, bounded by George Carr, Robert ffitts (now in the possession of grantee), a little creek at ye head of y^e boggie meadows so called, 27: 12: 1671. Wit: Jn^o Stevens and Jn^o Easman. Ack. 27: 12: 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

William Bradbury of Salisbury, intending to marry Mrs. Rebecka Maverick, widow of Sam^l_{son} Maverick, late of Boston, deceased, do renounce all claim to estate of said Samuel Maverick, etc., March 5, 1671-2. Wit: Jn^o Severans and Jn^o Bradbury. Ack. before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Mr. William Hooke of Salisbury, gent., wife Elizabeth, for £68, mortgaged to Tristram Coffyn of Nuberie 44 acres of marsh and meadow in grantee's possession in my farm in Salisbury, granted to my father William Hooke, deceased, by Salisbury, bounded by Rings creek, Doues cove, Hall's neck, cornfield, a great creek called Kimball's creek and Merrimack river, March 6, 1671. Wit: Nath^l Clarke

and Sarah Helle. Ack. March 6, 1671-2, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Nath^l Weare of Hampton, yeoman, for 18 acres of salt marsh, conveyed to John Clifford of Hampton, butcher, 8 acres of salt marsh in Hampton I bought of my father Richard Swaine, bounded by Robet Tuck, late of Hampton, Eliakim Wardall (now in ye hands of John Robison), Anthony Stanion and William Swaine; also, 11 acres of salt marsh in Hampton, bounded by ye Falls river, Phillip Lewis, Mary Wall, Mr. Hussie's marsh and ye main river, Feb. 28, 1670. Wit: Samuel Dalton and Nath^l Batchelder. Ack. 26: 12: 1671, before Sam^l Dalton, commissioner.

Jockem Jansen, formerly of Amsterdam, Holland, mariner, and by succession of Henry Cornelious Hooke, formerly master of ye ship comonly called y^e Santa Maria about 80 tons, and master now of ye said pinke or ship, for £169, conveyed to Job Clements of Dover, tanner, and Dr. Henry Greenland of Kitterie near ye river in Piscatequa, said vessel now riding at anchor near ye great island in said river, Dec. 13, 1671. Wit: John Hobes, Sam^l Wintworth, Mary Wintworth and Georg Norton. Ack. at Portsmouth Dec. 15, 1671, before Elias Stileman, commissioner.

Whereas the ship Santa Maria was held by Hampton court to pay the Dutchmen their wages, Abraham Drake, marshall, levies on it in favor of Mr. Job Clement, sr., and Mr. Henry Greenland for money received of them, Dec. 6, 1671. Wit: Sam^l Dalton, William Cotten (his N mark) and John Bennitt. Ack. 6: 10 mo: 1671, before Sam^l Dalton, commissioner.

Thomas Bradbury of Salisbury, planter, for love, conveyed to his son William Bradbury of Salisbury "my dwelling house lately erected," etc., standing on ye house lot I bought of John Gill of Salisbury, planter, and orchard, etc., bounded by the street, Isaac Buswell, land I bought of Isaac Collby, ye ferry highway, John Bayly, Richard Bartlet, Phillip Challis and Mr. Hodges' meadow; also,

meadow bounded by John Severans to Hodges ditch so called; my half of fresh and salt marsh which I and John Stevens sr., bought of Henry Ambross; also, ye sold marsh lots I bought of Georg Martyn, near brushie island; also, ye marsh lot I bought of Onesephorus Page lying in ye range of Mr. Hooke's farm so called; also 4 cows commons; also, 120-acre lot at ye beach hill, adjoining land of Joseph ffletcher, and bounded by a fresh water river or brook; also, my division of swamp land towards ye ferry adjoining land of Sam^{ll} ffelloes, Rodger Easman, John Severans, Isaac Buswell, Richard Goodale and Richard Hubbard; also, $\frac{2}{3}$ of my pasture towards ye ferry; all being conveyed to said William Bradbury and M^s Rebecca Maverick after marriage with him, and entailed to the heirs of their bodies, March 11, 1671-2. Wit: Jane True and Mary Weed (her mark m w). Ack. March 11, 1671-2, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Abraham Whiticker of Haverhill, carpenter, for satisfaction of two executions, conveyed to Mr. Job Clements of Dover my third division of meadow I bought of my father-in-law William Simons, except $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres I sold to John White, deceased, bounded by brook, an oak near a falls, etc., Sept. 2, 1671. Wit: James Pecker, Andrew Grele and Daniell Ela. Ack. Oct. 3, 1671, before Nath: Saltonstall, commissioner. Elizabeth, wife of the grantor, released her dower Dec. 25, 1671, before Nath: Saltonstall, commissioner.

Bond of Robert Jones (his I mark) of Amesbury, yeoman, to Tho: Woodbridg of Nuberie, merchant. Penalty, £102, 8s. Secured by land in Amsbery, viz: 16 acres at Whitcher's hill, bounded by highway leading to ye Lions mouth and highway leading to Thomas Hayns; also, 8 acres at Whitcher's hill near ye Lions mouth; also, 10 acres bounded by Pow-waus river leading to ye mill; also, my two divisions of land called ye ox pasture, Nov. 27, 1671. Conditioned to pay 25,600 feet of white pine boards at ye

usual lading place in Lampreel river. Wit: Richard Dole, Richard Currier and Joseph Hills.

John Gillman (signed by mark) of Exeter, for a horse, conveyed to Robert Wadleigh of Lampeel river 30 acres of land given to me by Exeter, lying on both sides of ye highway which goeth from Passcascoc bridge to Lampeel river landing place Oct. 1, 1668. Wit: Thomas Mounsell and James Godfrey (his j mark). Ack. 14: 8: 1668 before Sam^{ll} Dalton, commissioner.

Cornelious Conner, aged about 35 years, deposed that about 12 years ago I hired the message of John Rolfe of Salisbury, now deceased, except a piece of land upon ye neck towards ye hoghouse enclosed in Lt. Robert Pike's pasture, which Rolfe told me he had sold to Pike. Sworn in Salisbury court 9: 2 mo: 1672. Jn^o Cole also swore to the truth of the above statement.

Andrew Grele, sr., aged 52 years, deposed that he was appointed by Salisbury to gather pay from Mr. Sam^{ll} Hall for his farm which he bought of the town, strained for it from William Brown, who procured Maj. Robert Pike to take him off and pay; there then remained ye rate of Josiah Cobham, Widow Willix, Phillip Griffin and Jn^o Woodin, which nobody appeared to pay, and we desired Robert Pike to pay them and the lands to be his, and he did so; and it was satisfied to old Isaac Buswell. Sworn in court at Salisbury 9: 2 mo: 1672.

Isaac Cole of Exeter, millwright, for £20, 10s., conveyed to Abraham Pirkins, sr., of Hampton, 4 acres of land in Hampton, bounded by a common way, Anthony Tayler and Herron Levitt, formerly of John Cass of Hampton, and sold by him to Christopher Palmer, who sold it to me, Nov. 22, 1671. Wit: Elizabeth Ayer and Sam^{ll} Dalton, jr. Ack. 23: 9: 1671, before Sam^{ll} Dalton, commissioner.

Mr. Henry Sewall of Nubery, gent., and wife Jane Sewall (her IS mark), for £70, conveyed to Steven Greenleaf and Nath^{ll}

Clarke, both of Newbery, 20 acres of marsh and meadow in Salisbury, formerly bought of Mr. Willi: Worcester, late of Salisbury, deceased, bounded by Robert Ring, Jn^o Eaton, Edward French, Mr. Tho: Bradbury, Jn^o Stevens and Richard Goodale, April 1, 1670. Wit: Anthony Somerby and Daniel Merrill. Ack. in court at Salisbury 9: 2 mo: 1672.

Will of Jn^o Garland, sr. (his U mark), aged about 50 years, of Hampton, dated Nov. 15, 1671. To my wife Elizabeth; to my son John Garland my house, barn and land, and the meadow I bought of Phillip Lewis, and salt marsh in little ox common which was Thomas Chase's, and a mare colt I gave him, cattle, etc.; to my sons Jacob and Peter Garland (both minors) one-half of land I bought of Mr. Seaborn Cotton that is in ye woods, etc., and land at the hog-pen plain. Wife Elizabeth and son John Garland, executors. Wit: Robert Page (his A mark) and Henry Dow. Proved in court at Salisbury 9: 2 mo: 1672, by both witnesses.

Daniell Ladd, sr. (his T mark), of Haverhill, husbandman, for £57, conveyed to Jn^o Johnson of Haverhill, blacksmith, 4 acres, formerly ye house lot of John Robinson in Haverhill, bounded by grantee and ye great river of Merrimack, and ye westward end of the house, excepting the roof plates and boards of the barn and the east end of the house, and a small nursery of trees in the garden, and about 20 apple and one plum tree in the orchard, July 17, 1669. Wit: Nath^l Saltonstall and William Sterlin. Ack. by grantor, his wife Ann releasing dower, July 20, 1669, before Nath^l Saltonstall, commissioner.

Robert Ring of Salisbury, planter, for £23, mortgaged to Richard Dole of Newbery, marchent, 8 acres of salt and fresh marsh in Salisbury at a place called ye points, bounded by Mr. Wm. Worcester (now in the possession of Steven Greenleaf and Nath^l Clarke), Thomas Bradbury (formerly of Maj. Robert Pike), Jn^o Gill (formerly Mr. Winsley's), Sam^l

ffelloes and ye great neck, April 11, 1672. Wit: Georg: Brown and Jon Page, jr. Ack. in court at Salisbury 9: 2 mo: 1672.

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BLANEY NOTES.

Benjamin Blaney of Marblehead, tanner, 1791.—*Registry of deeds.*

Benjamin Blaney married Mary (Mercy—*publishment*) Marston April 17, 1791.

Elizabeth Blaney of Lynn married Amos Evans Jan. 20, 1778, at Lynn.

Lois Blaney married Peter Newhall Dec. 30, 1773.

Mary Blaney married Thomas Follett July 11, 1779.

Mary Blaney married Nathaniel Reynolds Jan. 13, 1782.

Mary Blaney married Thomas Fuller Sept. 15, 1799.

Bethiah, daughter of Jedediah and Juba Blaney, baptized June 11, 1775, aged seven years.

David, son of David Blaney, baptized in 1779.

—*Marblehead records.*

Hannah Blaney married Samuel Daland, both of Salem, July 2, 1744.

Sarah Blaney married James Hooper, jr., both of Salem, April 10, 1744.

Elizabeth Blaney published to William Dow, both of Salem, Aug. 20, 1748.

—*Salem town records.*

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

455. Wanted, given name of — Cram, married Mary Wheelwright of Portsmouth, N. H., daughter of Jeremiah. His will, Jan. 24, 1768.

456. Wanted, given name of — Cram, married Elizabeth Pulsifer of Brentwood, N. H., daughter of Jonathan. His will, July 12, 1766. JOHN G. CRAM.

105 Charles St., Boston, Mass.

457. Ancestry, Rev. James Allen, of Salisbury, who married Elizabeth Cotton. *Newburyport.* L. B. C.

458. Wanted, ancestry of Aaron Colman, who died in Boston Oct. 11, 1810, aged twenty-five years. A. C. *Belmont.*

459. MUNSEY. Ten dollars reward for the parentage of William Munsey, first found in Kittery, Maine, in 1686; he moved to Dover, N. H., about 1695; he was found drowned in the Piscataqua river on June 10, 1698; he had wife Margaret, daughter Margaret, sons William, jr., and John. WILLIAM L. PALMER.

22 *Sacramento Place, Cambridge, Mass., March 7, 1906.*

ANSWERS.

326. Ebenezer Webster, the father of Nancy Webster, was son of Ebenezer Webster of Haverhill, husbandman, whose will, dated May 25, 1773, was proved June 2, 1783. He mentions his wife Mehitable, sons Ebenezer, Jonathan, Moses, Isaac and Stephen Webster, and daughters Lydia, wife of Joshua Hale, and Mary, wife of Richard Hale. Mehitable, the mother, was daughter of Jonathan Kimball of Bradford, yeoman. Ebenezer Webster, the father, was born in Haverhill Sept. 20, 1711, being son of Stephen Webster and his wife, formerly widow Mary (Goodwin) Cook. Stephen Webster was a yeoman and lived in Haverhill, where he died March 9, 1748-9, leaving a will, dated March 4, 1745-6. In the will he mentions his wife Mary, sons Samuel, John, William, Ebenezer and Stephen Webster, and daughter Mary Ayer. Stephen Webster's father was also named Stephen Webster.—*Ed.*

416. See above answer to query 326.

444. Samuel Stacey was son of Samuel Stacey of Ipswich, clothier, who died before May 31, 1742, when administration was granted upon his estate. His wife Margaret survived him, and died before April 24, 1764. He had children, Wil-

liam Stacey, Philemon Stacey, John Stacey, Sarah Knowlton and Samuel Stacy. The son Samuel Stacey was published to Hannah Ayers in Ipswich June 21, 1746; lived there, a clothier, in 1759; and was of Hopkinton in 1764.—*Ed.*

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

THE LIFE AND SERVICES OF BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, &c. Newburyport, Mass., 1905. This is a new pamphlet issued by the Towle Mfg. Company, silversmiths, of Newburyport, of 53 large octavo pages, filled with cuts and text relating to Franklin. The publishers will send it to any address for fifteen cents. The book is beautifully gotten up, and is interesting and valuable as a historical work. There are forty-four engravings.

LIFE OF REV. JEREMIAH SHEPARD, Third Minister of Lynn, 1680-1720. *By John J. Mangan, A. M., M. D.* Lynn, Mass., 1905. This is a well-written pamphlet of sixty-one beautifully printed pages. Doctor Mangan's taste is shown throughout this specimen of his skill. Exceedingly valuable are such contributions to our history; especially is this monograph to be esteemed as it is of the youngest son of Thomas Shepard of Cambridge. It is privately printed.

WHALLEY AND GOFFE IN NEW ENGLAND, 1660-1680. An Enquiry into the Origin of the Angel of Hadley Legend. *By George Sheldon.* Springfield, Mass., 1905. This is a reprint of the introduction to the new edition of Judd's History of Hadley, and is contained in a pamphlet of thirty-four octavo pages. It has for a frontispiece a fine portrait of Sylvester Judd, the author of the History of Hadley; and it is issued by H. R. Hunting & Co., Springfield, Mass.

GOVERNOR WILLIAM BRADFORD'S LETTER BOOK. Boston, 1906. This fragment of the letter book of Governor Bradford, rescued by Mr. Clarke, was first printed in the Collections of the Massachusetts Historical Society, in 1794 (volume III., pages 27-76). The Massachusetts Society

of Mayflower Descendants have now issued it in a pamphlet of 62 octavo pages. The letters are interesting and exceedingly valuable historically. The price is \$1.00. Address George E. Bowman, 53 Mt. Vernon Street, Boston, Mass.

THE DOANE FAMILY. Boston, 1902. This volume gives the descendants of Dea. John Doane of Plymouth and Dr. John Done of Maryland, with notes upon English families of the name. The work was compiled by Alfred A. Doane of Boston. It contains 533 octavo pages; and is well printed and indexed. It is illustrated by views of homesteads, coats-of-arms, the Done monument, portraits, etc. The portraits number forty-four.

The work appears to be complete, and much biographical and historical matter, besides the genealogies, is given.

The price, bound in cloth, is \$6.00.

VITAL RECORDS OF THE TOWN OF HALIFAX, MASSACHUSETTS, to the end of the year 1849. Boston, 1905. These vital records have been published by the Massachusetts Society of Mayflower Descendants, the copying having been done under the direction of George Ernest Bowman. This volume contains 211 octavo pages; and the records are reproduced in full just as they appear upon the town books. The index is complete as to christian and surnames of persons and names of places.

The price is \$2.00, bound in cloth; and orders may be sent to George Ernest Bowman, Editor, 53 Mt. Vernon Street, Boston, Mass.

AMERICAN HISTORICAL MAGAZINE. New York, January, 1906. This is number one of volume one of a new historical magazine. This number contains 93 octavo pages, and has a frontispiece consisting of a portrait of James Alexander of New Jersey.

The magazine is published by the Publishing Society of New York, 41 Lafayette Place, New York City.

It is to appear bi-monthly, at the price of fifty cents each number, or three dollars per year. The editor states that it

"will be published as a high class periodical, devoted to aspects of American history, to biography and to genealogy."

This number contains articles on the Board of Proprietors of East New Jersey; the Morris family of Morrisania; the fur trade in the early development of the Northwest; early New England exploration of our North Pacific coast; the Columbia river; the discoverers of Lake Superior; and the charter and constitution of Connecticut.

COLONEL ALEXANDER K. MCCLURE'S RECOLLECTIONS OF HALF A CENTURY. Salem, Mass., 1902. Colonel McClure's book contains 502 octavo pages, and is neatly bound in cloth. He is the author of various works, as "Lincoln and Men of War Times," "Our Presidents and How We Make Them," "Three Thousand Miles Through the Rocky Mountains," "The South," and "To the Pacific and Mexico." His works show the versatility of his pen, and his wide knowledge of men and things.

The volume is well indexed and contains several engravings, the frontispiece being a portrait of the author.

Colonel McClure treats of such subjects as the matchless progress of the last half century in the world, Lincoln and Davis, the first battles of the civil war, editors Gales and Blair, Pacific railway, sale of Chihuahua, Fillmore, Pierce, Buchanan, Johnson, Grant, Hayes, Garfield, Arthur, Cleveland, Harrison and McKinley, Sam Houston, Louisiana lottery, orator Thomas Corwin and Kossuth, the negro, Gen. Robert E. Lee, Thomas H. Benton, Western railways and Rocky coaches, Henry Wilson, McClellan, Sheridan, Jackson and Sherman, royal visitors, Alexander H. Stephens, Sumner, Boutwell and Chase, the new south, Robert S. Ingersoll, etc.

Colonel McClure's descriptions are vivid, and leave lasting impressions upon the memory. Not only is the book interesting but it has a peculiar value as history, which is presented only in this personal form.

The price is \$3.00.

THE DIARY OF WILLIAM BENTLEY, D. D., Pastor of the East Church, Salem, Massachusetts. Volume I., April, 1784—December, 1792. Salem, 1905. The Essex Institute has begun the publication of the important and interesting journal of this remarkable man.

This volume includes over eight years time, being the first eight years that he lived in Salem. There are 456 octavo pages including the index to subjects, persons and places. There is also an introductory sketch of Doctor Bentley comprising 42 pages.

The frontispiece is a half-tone portrait of the journalist; and there are nineteen other engravings of houses and things and portraits of persons associated with him.

Doctor Bentley became eminent as a person of varied attainments in philosophy and literature, having extended his researches to foreign libraries and particularly to oriental sources. He read with facility over twenty different languages, and wrote and spoke in most of the principal languages of Europe. The credentials of the first Tunisian Ambassador was sent from Washington to be translated by him, and his correspondence reveals the closest relations with Jefferson and Adams. For nearly twenty years he edited the *Salem Register*, and he was also the author of numerous historical, theological and masonic publications. His attainments, ardent patriotism, originality, and independence of character, mental activity, and social spirit, made him altogether marked and interesting. At his death he was a fellow of the Academy of Arts and Sciences, a councilor of the American Antiquarian society, and a member of numerous literary and scientific societies in Europe and America.

This Diary presents an intimate picture of social, political, and religious life in the locality in which he lived and particularly in Salem, from 1784 to 1819. No similar diary covering this period is known to exist. It excels in richness of detail and in acuteness of observation, and may be compared with the diaries of a Pepys and

a Sewall merged into one, but having a detail and a gossippy flavor quite its own.

The price of this volume, bound in cloth, is \$3.50. Address The Essex Institute, Salem, Mass.

HISTORY OF NEWBURYPORT, MASS., 1764-1905. By John J. Currier. Newburyport, 1906. This is Mr. Currier's third large volume on the history of Old Newbury. It is published in a form similar to his earlier works, and the superior features of type and engravings that characterized those are manifest in this.

This book covers the history of Newburyport from the date of its incorporation to the present time. In the History of Newbury he brought the history of this portion of the old town down to the time it was incorporated as a separate town, and left further allusion to it for this volume.

The chapters include the history of churches and pastors, schools and school masters, streets and landing places, ferries, bridges, turnpikes, postal service, taverns, stage coaches, railroads, street car service, ship-yards, ship-owners, ship builders, books and newspapers, libraries, Revolutionary War, privateers in the Revolution, the embargo and war of 1812, the Mexican, Civil and Spanish wars, distinguished visitors, memorial services, celebrations and political gatherings, and the general history of the town. There are also given lists of collectors of the port, representatives to the general court, town clerks, city clerks, and town and city treasurers.

There are one hundred and twenty-eight engravings, most of them full-page. There are many beautiful fine half tones. The illustrations consist of maps, signs, advertisements, portraits, title-pages, lighthouses, landscapes, powder house, jail, dwelling houses, town house, court house, statues, meeting houses, almshouses, clocks, factories, wharves, sail-loft, old chaise, market house, city hall, Anna Jaques hospital, Young Men's Christian Association building, the jetties, tablets, autographs and other handwriting, school-houses, bridges, taverns, railroad depots,

ships, launch of vessel, ship-building, newspaper headings, public library building, etc. The frontispiece is a fine half-tone full-page portrait of the author.

The index comprises seventy-four double column pages of small type; and is probably the most complete one ever made.

Those who are familiar with Mr. Currier's History of Newbury know the manner in which he treats general local history. This volume is prepared in the same manner, copies of records being given as far as possible, that the reader may get his information at first hand. Constant pursuit after the best authorities, careful investigation, the exercise of excellent judgment and antiquarian tastes combine to make the work of Mr. Currier valuable and accurate.

This volume contains 766 octavo pages. The price, bound in cloth, is \$5.00; and in half morocco, \$6.00. It is published by the author, John J. Currier, Newburyport, Mass.

A HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES AND ITS PEOPLE from their earliest records to the present time. *By Elroy McKendree Avery.* Cleveland, O., 1904. Volume two of this great work is at hand; and the same beautiful workmanship that characterized the mechanical production of the first volume is continued in this. There are 458 pages in this volume. Many of the maps are colored as in the first volume, and the frontispiece is a colored reproduction of the Vandyke portrait of Gov. John Winthrop in the state house in Boston. The illustrations are so numerous that it would be inconvenient to enumerate them. Over two hundred and fifty are given in the descriptive list. Maps are freely given, as well as portraits, title-pages of early books, scenery, flags, autographs, forts, monuments, medals, ancient drawings, letters, fac simile copies of records, seals, silver service in Jamestown church, coats-of-arms, charters, windmills, houses, tablets, copies of historic paintings, swords, spinning wheels, ancient furniture, costumes, deeds,

churches, stocks, pillory, statues, monuments, currency, etc.

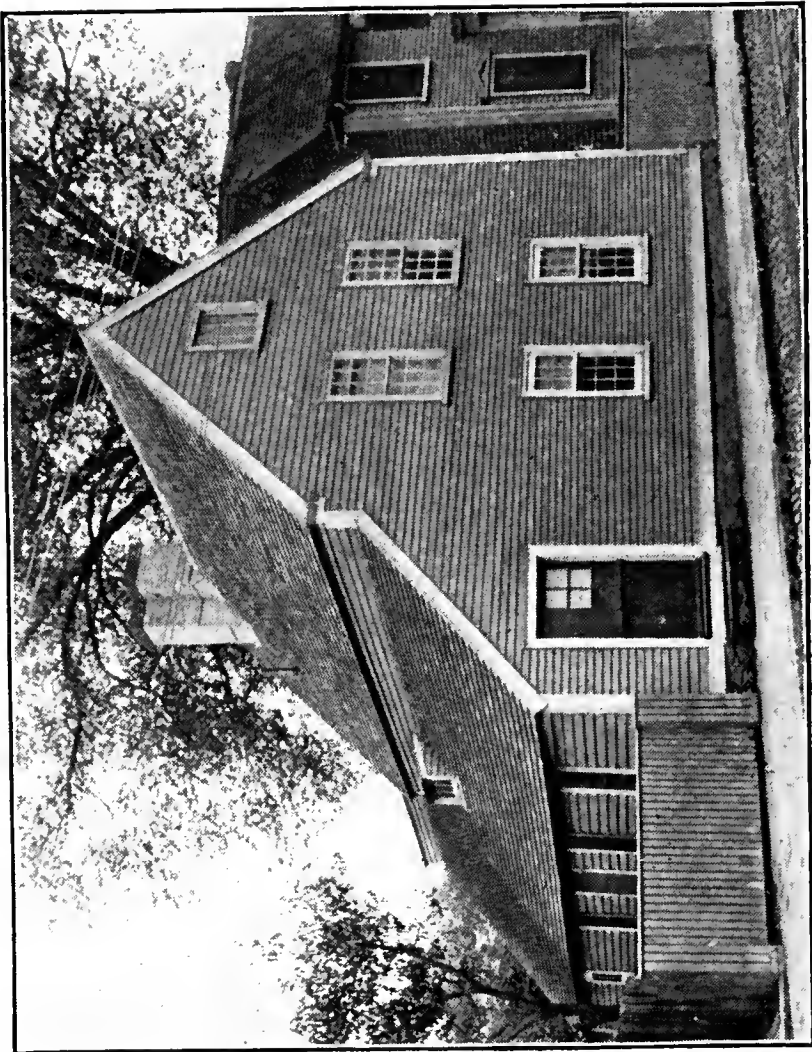
The period covered by this volume is from 1600 to 1660, and includes the settlement of New York, Virginia, Massachusetts, Maryland, Connecticut and Rhode Island. It also treats of Champlain and New France, the evolution of a colonial system, the growth of separatism in England, the Pilgrims, the council for New England, Roger Williams, Anne Hutchinson, Pequot war, annexation and confederation, the Puritan and the heretic, list of Mayflower passengers, colonial governors, and, as in the first volume, a bibliographical appendix, giving authorities for the facts of history comprised in this.

The volume is carefully and interestingly written, and is accurate in its statements. A good history of the United States is needed for popular reading, and Doctor Avery's work is certainly timely and adequate to meet the want. The history of this country is so extensive and complex that an exhaustive work upon it for the use of the scholar cannot be expected for many long years to come. Before that can be accomplished, State histories have got to be fully prepared, and local histories as well as sketches of numerous subjects, customs, persons and things must be published in the greatest detail.

Doctor Avery's work is developing into a history of greater detail and fullness than was planned. The growth of material for it has so increased that he finds that instead of twelve volumes it must be issued in fifteen, including the index volume. All those who subscribed for the set of twelve volumes will receive the last three without extra charge; and those who now subscribe for the fifteen will also receive free any subsequent volumes that may be issued.

The price in cloth per volume is \$6.25 net; in half levant, \$12.50; and in full levant, \$17.50. The publishers are the Burrows Brothers Company, Cleveland, Ohio.

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BOYNTON GENEALOGY.

THE name of BOYNTON is variously spelled in early Essex county records, as *Bointon, Boyington, Boyinton, Boynton*.

— BOYNTON¹ probably never came to America.

Children:—

2—I. WILLIAM², b. about 1606. *See below (2)*.

3—II. JOHN², b. about 1614. *See below (3)*.

2

WILLIAM BOYNTON² was made a freeman in 1640, and lived in Rowley from that time until 1685, when he removed to Ipswich and lived with his son Caleb Boynton, having divided his large estate among his children by deed. He was a tailor by trade, and also one of the planters of the town of Rowley in every sense. He was the first schoolmaster in the town, and held several offices in the settlement. He married Elizabeth Jackson before 1640; and died in Ipswich Dec. 8, 1686, about eighty years of age. She survived him, and removed to her daughter, Mary Eastman's, in Salisbury, where she died the next year (1687), his widow.

Children, born in Rowley:—

4—I. JOHN³, b. 19: 10: 1640; buried March 26, 1665.

5—II. ELIZABETH³, b. 11: 10 mo: 1642; m. John Simons Nov. 9, 1664; and lived in Bradford, where she d. May 1, 1677.

6—III. ZACHARIAH³, b. 11: 8 mo: 1644; buried Aug. 4, 1660, in Rowley.

7—IV. JOSHUA³, b. 10: 6 mo: 1646. *See below (7)*.

8—V. MARY³, b. 23: 5: 1648; m. John Eastman of Salisbury, planter, 5: 9 mo: 1670.

9—VI. CALEB³, b. 7: 2 mo: 1650. *See below (9)*.

10—VII. SARAH³, b. 1: 10 mo: 1652; buried 28: 6: 1654.

3

JOHN BOYNTON², born about 1614, was a tailor by trade, and lived in Rowley. He married Ellinor Pell of Boston about 1644; and died in Rowley, being buried Feb. 18, 1670-1. His estate was valued at £233, 13s. He devised his estate to his son John, who had helped him since he was of age. Mrs. Boynton survived him, and married, secondly, Dea. Maximilian Jewett of Rowley Aug. 30, 1671.

Children, born in Rowley:—

11—I. JOSEPH³, b. in 1645. *See below (11)*.

12—II. JOHN³, b. 17: 7: 1647. *See below (12)*.

13—III. CALEB³, b. about 1649. *See below (13)*.

14—IV. MERCY³, b. 5: 10 mo: 1651; m., first, Josiah Clarke of Ipswich Dec. 14, 1670; second, Dea. Joseph Goodhue of Ipswich July 4, 1692; he d. Sept. 2, 1697; and she m., third, Serg. John Hovey of Topsfield (pub. Nov. 30, 1712); Mr. Hovey d. in 1718; and she d. in Rowley Dec. 22, 1730.

15—V. HANNAH³, b. 26: 1: 1654; m. Nathaniel Warner of Ipswich Nov. 24, 1673; and d. in 1694.

16—VI. SARAH³, b. 19: 2: 1658; living in 1670.

17—VII. SAMUEL³, b. about 1660. *See below (17)*.

7

JOSHUA BOYNTON³, born in Rowley 10: 6 mo: 1646. Mr. Boynton was a Narraganset soldier under Major Appleton. He was a farmer; and lived in Newbury until about 1727, when he removed to Haverhill, where he afterward lived. He married, first, Hannah Barnet April 9, 1678; and she died in Newbury Jan. 12, 1722-3. He married, second, widow Mary Syles of Rowley Nov. 29 (Dec. 2), 1725; and she died July 28, 1727. He married, third, Mary, widow of his cousin John

Boynton (12) of Haverhill Oct. 30, 1727; and died in 1736, very aged.

Children, born in Newbury:—

- 18—I. JOSHUA⁴, b. May 4, 1679. *See below* (18).
- 19—II. ZACHARIAH⁴, lived in Coventry, Conn.; yeoman; m. Sarah Wicomb Nov. 15, 1715; and was living in 1735.
- 20—III. JOHN⁴, b. July 15, 1683. *See below* (20).
- 21—IV. HANNAH⁴, m., first, John Dresser, jr., of Rowley April 2, 1724; and, second, Thomas Johnson after 1736.
- 22—V. WILLIAM⁴, b. May 26, 1690. *See below* (22).

9

CALEB BOYNTON³, born in Rowley 7 : 2 mo : 1650. He was a farmer, and lived in Ipswich after 1680. He married Mary Moores of Newbury June 24, 1672; and she was his wife in 1694. He was living in 1696; and probably removed from town that year.

Children:—

- 23—I. WILLIAM⁴, b. July 24, 1673, in Newbury.
- 24—II. ANN⁴, b. Jan. 30, 1678, in Ipswich.
- 25—III. HEPZIBAH⁴, b. Nov. 13, 1681, in Ipswich; m. Judah Colman June 12, 1711.
- 26—IV. CALEB⁴, b. Nov. 24, 1685, in Ipswich.
- 27—V. MARY⁴, b. Jan. 21, 1692, in Ipswich.

II

CAPT. JOSEPH BOYNTON³, born in Rowley in 1645. He lived in Rowley. He married, first, Miss Sarah Swan of Rowley May 13, 1669; and she was his wife in 1715. He married, second, Elizabeth Wood March 11, 1719-20; and died in Rowley Dec. 16, 1730, at the age of eighty-five.

Children, born in Rowley:—

- 28—I. JOSEPH⁴, b. March 23, 1669-70. *See below* (28).
- 29—II. SARAH⁴, b. Jan. 11, 1671-2; m. Samuel Tenney of Bradford Dec. 18, 1690; and she d. April 3, 1709, aged thirty-seven.
- 30—III. ANN⁴, b. Aug. 14, 1673; probably d. before 1713.
- 31—IV. RICHARD⁴, b. Nov. 11, 1675. *See below* (31).
- 32—V. JOHN⁴, b. April 9, 1678. *See below* (32).
- 33—VI. JONATHAN⁴, b. Feb. 25, 1679; d. young.
- 34—VII. BENONI⁴, b. Feb. 25, 1681-2. *See below* (34).

35—VIII. JONATHAN⁴, b. Aug. 19, 1684. *See below* (35).

36—IX. HILKIAH⁴, b. Nov. 19, 1687. *See below* (36).

37—X. DANIEL⁴, b. Sept. 26, 1689; d. Oct. 8, 1689 (1690?).

12

SERG. JOHN BOYNTON³, born in Rowley 17 : 7 : 1647. He was a husbandman and weaver, and lived in Rowley until 1680, when he removed to Bradford, where he afterward lived, being an elder of the church. He married, first, Miss Hannah Keies March 8, 1675, in Rowley. She died in Bradford April 11, 1717, at the age of sixty-one. He married, second, Mary, widow of Simon Wainwright of Haverhill, Feb. 19, 1718-9; and died in Bradford Dec. 22, 1719, at the age of seventy-two, having devised his homestead to his son Zechariah. His wife Mary survived him, and married, secondly, his cousin Joshua Boynton (7) of Newbury Oct. 30, 1727.

Children:—

- 38—I. ICHABOD⁴, b. April 19, 1677, in Rowley. *See below* (38).
- 39—II. JANE⁴, b. Aug. 9, 1678, in Rowley.
- 40—III. HANNAH⁴, b. Feb. 7, 1682, in Bradford; m. Joseph Barnes of Bradford Dec. 8, 1712; and was living in 1719.
- 41—IV. ZECHARIAH⁴, b. Feb. 16, 1688-9, in Bradford. *See below* (41).

13

SERG. CALEB BOYNTON³, born in Rowley about 1649. He lived in Rowley; and was "a worthy man" (*church records*). He married Hannah Harriman May 26, 1674; and died Sept. 13, 1708. She died, in Rowley, his widow, Feb. 19, 1725-6.

Children, born in Rowley:—

- 42—I. HANNAH⁴, b. Sept. 5, 1675; probably d. before 1706.
- 43—II. MARGARET⁴, b. Sept. 23, 1677; m. John Chaplin of Rowley April 9, 1701; she d., "suddenly, distracted for many years," in Rowley, April 22, 1735; and he d. Jan. 24, 1767, aged ninety-two.
- 44—III. RUTH⁴, b. Jan. 2, 1681-2; m. Juda Clarke of Rowley Feb. 1, 1714-5; and removed to Lexington.
- 45—IV. JEREMIAH⁴, b. Jan. 8, 1685-6; d. June 1, 1709, in Rowley.

- 46—V. EBENEZER⁴, b. May 17, 1688. *See below (46)*.
 47—VI. —⁴, d., an infant, March 25, 1697.

17

SAMUEL BOYNTON³, born in Rowley about 1660. He was a wheelwright, and lived in Rowley. He married Hannah Switcher Feb. 17, 1686; and she died March 13, 1717-8. He then removed to Groton.

Children, born in Rowley:—

- 48—I. SAMUEL⁴, b. Nov. 23, 1687; buried March 8, 1687-8.
 49—II. SAMUEL⁴, b. Feb. 24, 1688-9; d. May 15, 1689.
 50—III. ELLEN⁴, b. March 15, 1689-90; m. Daniel Pierce Dec. 9, 1719; and lived in Groton.
 51—IV. DANIEL⁴, b. May 26, 1692; lived in Groton; husbandman; m. Jemima Brown March 1, 1721.
 52—V. SAMUEL⁴, b. Sept. 19, 1694; "froze to death" Dec. 31, 1711, in Rowley.
 53—VI. ELEAZER⁴, b. Nov. 15, 1696; of Groton in 1722.
 54—VII. ISAAC⁴, b. April 11, 1699; lived in Charlestown; m. Elizabeth —.
 55—VIII. STEPHEN⁴, b. July 14, 1701; yeoman; living in Groton in 1728.
 56—IX. ABRAHAM⁴, b. Nov. 15, 1703; d. May —, 1706.
 57—X. ABRAHAM⁴ (twin), bapt. Nov. 24, 1706; d. Dec. 1, 1706.
 58—XI. MOSES⁴ (twin), bapt. Nov. 24, 1706; d. Dec. 7, 1706.
 59—XII. HANNAH⁴, b. Dec. 5, 1707.
 60—XIII. ABRAHAM⁴, bapt. Oct. 30, 1709.
 61—XIV. SARAH⁴, bapt. July 11, 1713.

18

JOSHUA BOYNTON⁴, born in Newbury May 4, 1679. He was a housewright, and lived in Byfield parish, Newbury. He married Mary Dole of Newbury (published April 30, 1708); and died Oct. 29, 1770, at the age of ninety-one. The inventory of his estate amounted to £727, 6s., 9d. She survived him, and died, his widow, Dec. 26, 1777, at the age of ninety.

Children, born in Newbury:—

- 62—I. SARAH⁵, b. April 23, 1708; d. May 14, 1714.
 63—II. JEREMIAH⁵, b. Oct. 14, 1709. *See below (63)*.
 64—III. JEMIMA⁵ (twin), b. March 26, 1711; d. April 2, 1711.

- 65—IV. MARY⁵ (twin), b. March 26, 1711; d. April 2, 1711.
 66—V. DAVID⁵, b. Dec. 15, 1712. *See below (66)*.
 67—VI. MOSES⁵, b. April 18, 1714. *See below (67)*.
 68—VII. JOSHUA⁵, bapt. Jan. 20, 1716-7; lived in Hollis, N. H.; m. Martha Stickney of Rowley April 14, 1743; and d. in Hollis Feb. 7, 1763.
 69—VIII. MARY⁵, b. April 25, 1719; m. Jonathan Leighton of Rowley, yeoman, April 25, 1739; and lived in Newcastle, Lincoln county, Me., in 1771.
 70—IX. APPHIA⁵, bapt. Nov. 12, 1721.
 71—X. HANNAH⁵, b. Feb. 7, 1725; m. Matthew Lunt of Newbury, seaman, before 1784.
 72—XI. ENOCH⁵, b. Nov. 28, 1727. *See below (72)*.

20

JOHN BOYNTON⁴, born in Newbury July 15, 1683. He was a cooper and yeoman, and lived in Newbury. He married Jemima Woster of Bradford (published Nov. 27, 1717); and they removed to Dunstable in 1744.

Children, born in Newbury:—

- 73—I. FRANCIS⁵, b. Dec. 26, 1718; d. Dec. 26, 1735.
 74—II. SARAH⁵, b. July 7, 1720; d. Dec. 20, 1735.*
 75—III. HANNAH⁵, b. June 17, 1722.
 76—IV. JEMIMA⁵, b. Feb. 15, 1724; d. Feb. 11, 1735-6.
 77—V. WILLIAM⁵, b. April 25, 1726; d. Dec. 21, 1735.*
 78—VI. JOHN⁵, b. July 30, 1729; d. Dec. 21, 1735.*
 79—VII. MARY⁵, bapt. Dec. 6, 1730; d. Dec. 20, 1735.*
 80—VIII. SAMUEL⁵, d. Jan. 4, 1735-6.
 81—IX. DAVID⁵, bapt. June 8, 1735; d. Dec. 26, 1735.

22

WILLIAM BOYNTON⁴, born in Newbury May 26, 1690, was a yeoman, and lived in Byfield parish, Newbury, until 1719, when he settled in Salisbury. He married Miss Joanna Stephens of Salisbury Nov. —, 1713; and they were living in Salisbury in 1728. They probably removed to Kingston, N. H.

Children:—

*These four children were buried in one grave. They lost eight children by the throat distemper.

- 82—I. DOROTHY⁵, b. Dec. 12, 1715, in Newbury.
 83—II. HANNAH⁵, b. Sept. 26, 1717, in Newbury; m. Obadiah French (pub. in Salisbury Nov. 1, 1737).
 84—III. WILLIAM⁵, b. July 5, 1719, in Salisbury.
 85—IV. RICHARD⁵, b. May 28, 1721, in Salisbury.
 86—V. JOSHUA⁵, b. Aug. 16, 1723, in Salisbury; d. in Canterbury, N. H., Oct. —, 1814, aged ninety-one.
 87—VI. JOHN⁵, b. Aug. 21, 1724, in Salisbury.
 88—VII. MARTHA⁵, b. Sept. 2, 1725, in Salisbury; d. Sept. 13, 1726.
 89—VIII. BETTE⁵, b. March 6, 1727-8, in Salisbury.
 90—IX. MARTHA⁵, bapt. March 16, 1728-9.

28

DEA. JOSEPH BOYNTON⁴, born in Rowley March 23, 1669-70. He was a yeoman and wheelwright, and lived in Rowley, where he was a deacon. He married Bridget Harris of Rowley Jan. 30, 1692-3; and died in Rowley Nov. 25, 1755, at the age of eighty-five. His estate was valued at £47, 6s., 8d., his only real estate appraised being land in Cock's Hall in York county. His wife Bridget survived him; and died, his widow, in Rowley, Oct. 14, 1757, at the age of eighty-four.

Children, born in Rowley:—

- 91—I. SARAH⁵, b. Dec. 3, 1693; d. Dec. 23, 1693.
 92—II. NATHANIEL⁵, b. Dec. 11, 1694; lived in Groton, Littleton, and Westford.
 93—III. BRIDGET⁵, b. Oct. 5, 1697; d. Nov. 6, 1697.
 94—IV. JOSEPH⁵, b. Nov. 20, 1698; d. Dec. 25, 1738, in Rowley.
 95—V. BENJAMIN⁵, b. Dec. 22, 1700. *See below (95).*
 96—VI. BRIDGET⁵, b. Jan. 29, 1702; m. Jonathan Bayley of Lancaster March 28, 1734; and d. before 1752.
 97—VII. ABIAL⁵ (son), b. May 15, 1705; living in 1752.
 98—VIII. EPHRAIM⁵, b. July 16, 1707. *See below (98).*
 99—IX. ZACCHEUS⁵, b. April 3, 1710; living in 1752; his father devised land in Cock's Hall, York county, to him.
 100—X. EDNER⁵, b. Sept. 26, 1712; m. Samuel Brown of Ipswich April 9, 1734; and was living in 1752.
 101—XI. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Nov. 2, 1714; d. June 11, 1736.

31

SERG. RICHARD BOYNTON⁴, born in Rowley Nov. 11, 1675. He was a yeoman, and lived in the west parish of Rowley (now Georgetown), on the northeastern slope of Baldpate hill.* He married Sarah Dresser of Rowley Dec. 24, 1701; and died Dec. 25, 1732, aged fifty-seven. She survived him, and died in Rowley, his widow, Aug. 26, 1759, aged eighty-one.

Children, born in Rowley:—

- 102—I. DAVID⁶, b. Oct. 8, 1702. *See below (102).*
 103—II. NATHAN⁶, b. Sept. 27, 1704. *See below (103).*
 104—III. RICHARD⁶, b. Sept. 26, 1706. *See below (104).*
 105—IV. SARAH⁶, b. May 5, 1708; m. Jonathan Chaplin of Rowley Sept. 2, 1730; and she d. there March 19, 1784, aged seventy-five.
 106—V. MARTHA⁶, b. April 2, 1710; m. Joseph Bailey of Newbury March 15, 1732-3.
 107—VI. NATHANIEL⁶, b. Aug. 18, 1712. *See below (107).*

32

JOHN BOYNTON⁴, born in Rowley April 9, 1678. He was a weaver, and lived in Rowley. He married Bethia Platts April 17, 1707; and died Oct. 8, 1717. His estate was appraised at £524, 15s. His wife survived him; and married, secondly, John Northend Dec. 1, 1720, in Rowley.

Children, born in Rowley:—

- 108—I. DOROTHY⁵, b. May 13, 1708; m. Samuel Dresser, jr., of Ipswich April 26, 1732; and d. Aug. 22, 1761; he d. Feb. —, 1798, in Rowley.
 109—II. MARY⁵, b. Dec. 20, 1709; m. Lt. Samuel Northend of Rowley Dec. 3, 1730.
 110—III. BETHIAH⁵, b. Feb. 5, 1711-2; m. Jacob Jewett of Rowley Feb. 2, 1741-2; and she d. Sept. 14, 1780, aged sixty-eight.
 111—IV. JOHN⁵, b. May 26, 1714; d. Oct. 19, 1714.
 112—V. HANNAH⁵, b. Feb. 29, 1715-6; m. Jonathan Smith of Rowley May 17, 1744.
 113—VI. JOHN⁵, b. Dec. 22, 1718, posthumous; d. April 18, 1719.

*A cut of his house as it now appears is printed in *The Antiquarian*, volume II, page 108.

34

BENONI BOYNTON⁴, born in Rowley Feb. 25, 1681-2. He was a yeoman, and lived in Rowley until 1716, when he removed to Groton, where he was living in 1720. He afterward lived in Lunenburg. He married Ann Mighill of Rowley April 4, 1707, and she was his wife in 1720.

Children, born in Rowley :—

- 114—I. SARAH⁵, d. April 5, 1707.
- 115—II. SARAH⁵, b. June 17, 1708; m. Samuel Davis Feb. 27, 1727.
- 116—III. STEPHEN⁵, b. April 7, 1710; yeoman; lived in Lunenburg; m., first, Sarah Johnson; she d. March 15, 1751-2; m., second, Elizabeth Lovejoy; m., third, Sarah Stiles; and d. in 1800.
- 117—IV. ANN⁵, b. Nov. 21, 1713; d. in Rowley, of consumption and dropsy, July 4, 1737.
- 118—V. BENONI⁵; lived in Lunenburg and Winchendon.

35

JONATHAN BOYNTON⁴, born in Rowley Aug. 19, 1684. He was a yeoman, and lived in the West parish of Rowley (now the town of Georgetown). He married Margaret Harriman June 6, 1711; and died March 16, 1740, at the age of fifty-five. She survived him, and married, secondly, Daniel Gage of Bradford May 12, 1742.

Children, born in Rowley :—

- 119—I. MARGARET⁵, b. April 5, 1712; m. Philip Fowler of Amesbury Oct. 12, 1731; and d. before 1740.
- 120—II. SARAH⁵, b. Dec. 10, 1713; m. Joseph Hutchins of Bradford Nov. 11, 1736; and they were living in Tewksbury in 1740.
- 121—III. ELIZABETH⁵, b. May 21, 1715; m. Joseph Bayley of Bradford Jan. 1, 1735-6; and they were living there in 1740.
- 122—IV. JONATHAN⁵, b. March 16, 1716-7. *See below (122).*
- 123—V. BENJAMIN⁵, bapt. April 12, 1719.
- 124—VI. ELEANOR⁵, bapt. April 12, 1719.
- 125—VII. MARY⁵, b. Aug. 21, 1720; m. James Stewart of Rowley Jan. 11, 1741-2.
- 126—VIII. JOHN⁵, b. May 22, 1723. *See below (126).*
- 127—IX. ANNE⁵, b. Oct. 29, 1726; m. Daniel Warner June 12, 1744, in Bradford.

36

HILKIAH BOYNTON⁴, born in Rowley Nov. 19, 1687. He was a joiner by trade, and lived in Rowley until about 1726, when he removed to Winchendon, and subsequently to Rindge, N. H. He married Miss Priscilla Jewett of Rowley Feb. 2, 1708-9; and she was his wife in 1720.

Children, born in Rowley :—

- 128—I. JANE⁵, b. Nov. 19, 1709; d. Nov. 21, 1722.
- 129—II. JOHANNAH⁵, b. April 17, 1712; m. John Grant of Lunenburg.
- 130—III. HILKIAH⁵, d. April 28, 1714.
- 131—IV. PRISCILLA⁵, b. April 11, 1714.
- 132—V. JOSEPH⁵, h. Dec. 4, 1717; d. Feb. 8, 1717-8.
- 133—VI. SARAH⁵, b. Jan. 1, 1718-9; m. Aaron Woods April 1, 1739.
- 134—VII. RUTH⁵, d. July —, 1721.
- 135—VIII. HILKIAH⁵, d. Aug. 24, 1725.
- 136—IX. MEHITABLE⁵, d. Sept. 15, 1725, in Rowley.

38

ICHABOD BOYNTON⁴, born in Rowley April 19, 1677, was reared in Bradford, whence his father removed in 1680. He was a yeoman, and lived in Bradford. He married Elizabeth Hazeltine of Bradford Feb. 18, 1705-6; and died in 1748, administration upon his estate being granted May 9, 1748. His estate was appraised at £398, 10s. His wife survived him, and died in the spring of 1758, her will, dated April 1, 1758, being proved May 8, 1758.

Children, born in Bradford :—

- 137—I. SARAH⁵, b. Nov. 24, 1706; d. May 24, 1712.
- 138—II. ABIGAIL⁵, b. Sept. 9, 1708; m. Ebenezer Middleton of Bradford, yeoman, Sept. 13, 1739; and both were living in 1758.
- 139—III. LYDIA⁵, b. Aug. 22, 1721; m. Samuel Shepherd of Haverhill, innholder, April 8, 1734; and she d. in Haverhill May 26, 1749.
- 140—IV. JOHN⁵, b. Aug. 30, 1713. *See below (140).*
- 141—V. RACHEL⁵, b. April 27, 1716; m. Ens. Samuel Johnson of Rowley Jan. 29, 1739-40; and both were living in 1758.
- 142—VI. ANDREW⁵, b. Jan. 10, 1718-9; lived in Bradford, laborer, 1741; and was living in 1758.

- 143—VII. ELIZABETH⁵, b. June 30, 1721; d., unmarried, in Bradford, Sept. 12, 1746.

41

ZECHARIAH BOYNTON⁴, born in Bradford Feb. 16, 1688-9. He lived in Bradford, his father having devised his homestead to him. He married Mary Boynton Feb. 19, 1718-9. They were living in Bradford in 1731; and he died in Bradford before 1755. He was living at "No. 4" in 1746.

Children, born in Bradford:—

- 144—I. JOHN⁵, b. Dec. 26, 1719; lived in Nottingham and Hollis, N. H.
 145—II. JAMES⁵, b. Oct. 2, 1721; d. Aug. 23, 1723.
 146—III. JANE⁵, b. Oct. 18, 1723; m. William Brown of Rowley June 17, 1747.
 147—IV. MARY⁵, b. Feb. 24, 1725; m. Moses Smith of Hollis, N. H., Jan. 29, 1756.
 148—V. JEREMIAH⁵, b. July 19, 1728; d. Oct. 6, 1747, in Bradford.
 149—VI. THOMAS⁵, b. Aug. 9, 1731; m. Abigail Elliott of Hollis Feb. 24, 1763.

46

EBENEZER BOYNTON⁴, born in Rowley May 17, 1688. He was a blacksmith, and lived in Byfield parish in Rowley until April, 1726, when he removed to Weston. He afterward lived in Waltham. He married Sarah Wheeler May 25, 1711, in Newbury; and she died in Weston Feb. —, 1727-8.

Children:—

- 150—I. JEREMIAH⁵, b. Dec. 27, 1711, in Rowley; lived in Waltham and Mendon; husbandman; m. Patience Sanderson Aug. 1, 1736.
 151—II. HANNAH⁵, b. Aug. 4, 1713, in Rowley.
 152—III. JERUSHA⁵, b. July 6, 1715, in Rowley.
 153—IV. — (son)⁵, bapt. July 17, 1720, in Byfield.
 154—V. MERCY⁵, b. June 15, 1722, in Rowley.
 155—VI. CALEB⁵, b. May 18, 1724, in Rowley.
 156—VII. SARAH⁵, b. June 26, 1726, in Weston.

63

JEREMIAH BOYNTON⁵, born in Newbury Oct. 14, 1709. He was a millwright and yeoman, and lived in Newbury. He married Zeruiah — before 1761; and died in 1775, his will, dated March 2, 1775, being proved April 3, 1775. His wife survived him.

Children:—

- 157—I. APPHIA⁶; m. — Brown before 1775.
 158—II. HANNAH⁶; m. — Ladd; and d. before 1775.
 159—III. SAMUEL⁶; m. Apphia Duty of Newbury May 14, 1766; and was living in 1775.
 160—IV. LYDIA⁶; m. Abraham Thorla May 20, 1763, in Newbury, and was living in 1775.
 161—V. JOSHUA⁶, b. March 1, 1761, in Newbury; and was living in 1775.
 162—VI. JEREMIAH⁶, b. Jan. 6, 1763, in Newbury; and was living in 1775.

66

DAVID BOYNTON⁵, born in Newbury Dec. 15, 1712. He lived in his native town; and married Mary Stickney, a resident of Newbury, Sept. 19, 1738, in Bradford (where her name is recorded as "Sarah"). He died in Newbury, suddenly, of an apoplectic fit, Feb. 8, 1757. She survived him, and married, secondly, Moses Hardy of Bradford Dec. 3, 1760. She married, third, — Butterfield; and died in Andover, at the house of her son Thomas Boynton.

Children, born in Newbury:—

- 163—I. SARAH⁶, b. March 21, 1739; m. — Morse.
 164—II. DAVID⁶, b. Feb. 21, 1741.
 165—III. SAMUEL⁶, b. Feb. 5, 1743. *See below (165).*
 166—IV. AMOS⁶, b. Feb. 2, 1745; m., first, Polly Libby; and, second, Lucy Loring; and settled in Machias, Me., in 1766.
 167—V. THOMAS⁶, b. Nov. 29, 1747. *See below (167).*
 168—VI. MARY⁶, b. March 27, 1750; m. Nathan Lovejoy (pub. April 8, 1773).
 169—VII. MOSES⁶, b. Nov. 1, 1751. *See below (169).*
 170—VIII. JONATHAN⁶, b. Aug. 16, 1753. *See below (170).*

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MOSES BOYNTON⁵, born in Newbury April 18, 1714. He was a yeoman, and lived in Byfield parish in Newbury until 1746, when he removed to Coventry, Conn., where he was living in 1771. He married, first, Abigail Goodridge of Newbury May 13, 1742; and, second, Meribah Chesemore of Newbury Sept. 24, 1744.

Child, born in Newbury :—

- 171—I. PHEBE⁶, b. April 15, 1743; d. in Newburyport, unmarried, July 9, 1796.

72

ENOCH BOYNTON⁵, born in Newbury Nov. 28, 1727. He was a yeoman and fisherman, and lived in Gloucester, 1755-1775; in Newbury, 1776-1792; and in Gloucester the remainder of his life. He married Rachel Foster, and she was probably of Rowley, and his wife in 1784. He died in 1805; his will, dated March 31, 1802, being proved Dec. 2, 1805.

Children, born in Gloucester :—

- 172—I. ENOCH⁶, b. Jan. 17, 1748. *See below* (172).
 173—II. ELIJAH⁶, b. April 22, 1749. *See below* (173).
 174—III. MARY⁶, b. Aug. 16, 1751; m. Nathaniel Robbins of Ipswich (pub. Dec. 16, 1769); and she was living in 1802.
 175—IV. SUSANNA⁶, b. April 25, 1753; m. John Elliot before 1802; and was living in 1802.
 176—V. SARAH⁶, b. Dec. 10, 1755; m. Moses Call, jr., of Boscawen, N. H., Oct. 26, 1779; and was living in Boscawen in 1807.
 177—VI. HANNAH⁶, b. Sept. 3, 1757; m. Jacob Lurvey of Newburyport, seaman, Feb. 26, 1782; and was living in 1802.

95

BENJAMIN BOYNTON⁵, born in Rowley Dec. 22, 1700. He was a tailor, and lived in Gloucester. He married, first, Miss Martha Row of Gloucester Nov. 29, 1723; and she was his wife in 1752. He married, second, Rebecca Goodrich Dec. 12, 1756; and they were living in Gloucester in 1761.

Children, born in Gloucester :—

- 168—I. BENJAMIN⁶, b. Feb. 9, 1725. *See below* (178).
 179—II. MARTHA⁶, b. Oct. 25, 1726.
 180—III. JOSEPH⁶, b. Sept. 23, 1728. *See below* (180).
 181—IV. JOHN⁶, b. Aug. 11, 1731; "Mary" d. Jan. 15, 1737, "in her sixth year."
 182—V. STEPHEN⁶, b. Sept. 30, 1732; d. Jan. 26, 1737, aged four.
 183—VI. BRIDGET⁶, b. Jan. 14, 1735; d. Jan. 12, 1737, aged nearly two.

- 184—VII. WILLIAM⁶, b. March 8, 1737. *See below* (184).

- 185—VIII. MARY⁶, b. Aug. 27, 1739.

98

EPHRAIM BOYNTON⁵, born in Rowley July 16, 1707. He was a yeoman, and lived in Rowley. He married Sarah Stewart of Rowley May 2, 1732; and they were living there in 1758.

Children, born in Rowley :—

- 186—I. ELIZABETH⁶, b. Aug. 26, 1733; m. James Payson of Rowley Dec. 7, 1756.
 187—II. EPHRAIM⁶, b. March 9, 1734-5; m. Abigail Emery of Newbury Feb. 19, 1756; and d. in Sullivan, N. H., in 1826, aged ninety-one.
 188—III. JOHN⁶, b. Sept. 8, 1736; lived in Weathersfield, Vt.; colonel; m. Phebe —; he d. March 21, 1825, aged eighty-eight; and she d. Sept. 27, 1827, aged seventy-six.
 189—IV. JOSEPH⁶, b. June 24, 1738.
 190—V. SARAH⁶, b. June 26, 1740.

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DAVID BOYNTON⁵, born in Rowley Oct. 8, 1702. He was a laborer, and settled in Bradford in 1730. He married Love Hutchins (published Oct. 23, 1725); and died in the East parish of Bradford, now Groveland, May 12, 1734. The inventory of his estate amounted to £196, 4s. She survived him, and made a charge against the estate for "lying in," but charged for bringing up only two young children. She married, second, Bartholomew Pearson of Newbury May 25, 1737.

Children :—

- 191—I. OLIVER⁶, b. Aug. 16, 1726, in Rowley; d. young.
 192—II. JANE⁶, b. Dec. 20, 1728, in Rowley; d. in East parish of Bradford June 2, 1736.
 193—III. OLIVER⁶, b. Aug. 31, 1731, in Bradford.

103

LT. NATHAN BOYNTON⁵, born in Rowley Sept. 27, 1704. He was a yeoman, and lived in the West parish of Rowley. He married Hannah Todd of Rowley Aug. 10, 1738; and died there April 25, 1766, aged sixty-one. The inventory of his estate amounted to £456, 10s. She survived him, and died, his widow, in Rowley, April 16, 1801.

Children, born in Rowley:—

- 194—I. JAMES⁶, b. Aug. 5, 1739. *See below* (194).
 195—II. MARY⁶, b. April 18, 1744; lived in Rowley; tailor; she d., unmarried, in 1818, having a son, Asa Bailey, then belonging to "Society," N. H.
 196—III. RICHARD⁶, b. Oct. 8, 1746; d. May 19, 1766, aged nineteen.
 197—IV. MOSES⁶, b. Nov. 22, 1752. *See below* (197).

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RICHARD BOYNTON⁵, born in Rowley Sept. 26, 1706. He was a yeoman, and lived in the West parish of Rowley until 1741, when he removed to Tewksbury. He married Jerusha Hutchins of Bradford Sept. 2, 1730.

Children, born in Rowley:—

- 198—I. ELIZABETH⁶, b. April 18, 1731; m. Nathaniel Tenney of Rowley Oct. 1, 1747.
 199—II. RICHARD⁶, b. May 22, 1733; d. in Rowley Aug. 7, 1736, aged three.
 200—III. SARAH⁶, bapt. July 30, 1738; d. Aug. 4, 1738.
 201—IV. SARAH⁶, b. Aug. 10, 1739.

107

NATHANIEL BOYNTON⁵, born in Rowley Aug. 18, 1712. He was a yeoman, and lived in the West parish of Rowley. He married Mary Stewart of Rowley March 8, 1736-7; and they were living in Rowley in 1760. He was shipwrecked, and died May 13, 1762, near Annisquam, Cape Ann.

Children, born in Rowley:—

- 202—I. MARY⁶, bapt. Feb. 19, 1737-8; d. March 13, 1737-8.
 203—II. EUNICE⁶, b. March 16, 1738-9; m. Eliphalet Tenney of Rowley March 15, 1757.
 204—III. DAVID³, b. April 19, 1741; d. Oct. 22, 1745.
 205—IV. THOMAS⁶, bapt. Aug. 21, 1743; d. Oct. 24, 1745.
 206—V. DAVID⁶, b. Jan. 18, 1745-6; m. Polly Wheeler; tanner; and lived in Townsend.
 207—VI. MARY⁶, b. Feb. 8, 1747-8; m. Samuel Kezer, jr., of Rowley May 7, 1766.
 208—VII. NATHANIEL⁶, b. July 27, 1750. *See below* (208).
 209—VIII. THOMAS⁶, b. Sept. 2, 1752; lived in Warren, N. H.; m. Elizabeth Kezer of Rowley Dec. 10, 1776.
 210—IX. RICHARD⁶, b. May 17, 1755.

211—X. LOIS⁶, b. Sept. —, 1757.

212—XI. ASA⁶, b. March 4, 1760; m. Mary Edmunds of Lynn April 10, 1781; and they lived in Lynn in 1799.

213—XII. STEPHEN⁶, b. June 2, 1762, in Byfield, posthumous; d. in Rowley Feb. 13, 1780.

122

JONATHAN BOYNTON⁵, born in Rowley March 16, 1716-7. He was a husbandman, and lived in the West parish of Rowley. He married Elizabeth Wood of Bradford June 5, 1739; and they were living in Rowley in 1754, and in Lunenburg in 1758.

Children, born in Rowley:—

- 214—I. ELIZABETH⁶, bapt. March 8, 1740-1; d. young.
 215—II. MERIBAH⁶, b. Oct. 8, 1742; d. in Rowley, unmarried, March 20, 1818, aged seventy-five.
 216—III. ELIZABETH⁶, b. March 1, 1742-3.
 217—IV. MARY⁶, b. Oct. 8, 1744.
 218—V. JONATHAN⁶, b. Feb. 11, 1745-6.
 219—VI. ELLINOR⁶, b. Feb. 4, 1747-8.
 220—VII. JOSEPH⁶, b. Aug. 16, 1749.
 221—VIII. ANN⁶, b. Nov. 8, 1751.
 222—IX. SOLOMON⁶, b. May 14, 1754.
 223—X. SARAH⁶, b. Oct. 19, 1756.

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JOHN BOYNTON⁵, born in Rowley May 22, 1723. He was a joiner, and lived in the West parish of Rowley. He married Martha Atwood of Rowley March 30, 1742; and they were living in Rowley in 1752.

Children, born in Rowley:—

- 224—I. OLIVER⁶, b. July 9, 1743; m. Sarah Fletcher; and lived in Alna, Me.
 225—II. ELIZABETH⁶, b. Jan. 26, 1744-5; m. Hollis Hutchins.
 226—III. JOHN⁶, b. March 21, 1746-7; m. Hepzibah Fletcher; and settled in Alna, Me.

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JOHN BOYNTON⁵, born in Bradford Aug. 30, 1713. He was a blacksmith, and lived in Haverhill until 1759, when he removed to "Narraganset No. 1," now Buxton, Me. He married Mary Hancock Oct. 16, 1739; and he died in the army, in a barn used as a barracks, in 1777.

Children, born in Haverhill:—

- 227—I. SARAH⁶, b. Nov. 12, 1740.

- 228—II. HANNAH⁶, b. June 18, 1742; m. Samuel Hazeltine Feb. 18, 1768; he d. in 1776; and she m., secondly, Capt. John Lane Sept. 21, 1777.
- 229—III. WILLIAM⁶, b. Dec. 5, 1744; lived in "Narraganset No. 1," now Buxton, Me.; m. Mary McLucas Oct. 2, 1766.
- 230—IV. DANIEL⁶, b. March 25, 1747; lived in Narraganset; and m. Hannah Babb July 11, 1793.
- 231—V. JOHN⁶, b. June 20, 1749; lived in Narraganset; m., first, Hannah Elwell July 18, 1771; and, second, Hannah Mason March 25, 1801.
- 232—VI. ISAAC⁶, b. Oct. 3, 1752; d. Sept. 26, 1753.
- 233—VII. ISAAC⁶, b. June 14, 1756; drowned; probably unmarried.
- 234—VIII. MOLLY⁶, b. June 5, 1758; never married.

165

SAMUEL BOYNTON⁶, born in Newbury Feb. 5, 1743. He was a tailor, and lived in the East parish in Bradford, now Groveland. He married Miss Ruth Hardy Oct. 24, 1765; and died in the East parish in Bradford May 20, 1806. She survived him, and died, his widow, Oct. 13, 1819.

Children, born in Bradford:—

- 235—I. —⁷, d. Nov. 17, 1766.
- 236—II. SALLY⁷, b. June 13, 1768; m. Thomas Knight of Newbury March 27, 1791; and lived in the East parish of Bradford.
- 237—III. HANNAH⁷, b. Feb. 12, 1771; m. James Chaney of Bradford Sept. 9, 1788; and went out West.
- 238—IV. MARY⁷, b. April 13, 1773; m. Sylvanus Hardy of Bradford; and d., in Groveland, his widow, Dec. 22, 1860, aged eighty-seven.
- 239—V. JOHN⁷, b. Oct. 28, 1776; m. his cousin Abigail Boynton Feb. 21, 1800; and settled in Sharon, Vt.
- 240—VI. ELIPHALET⁷, b. Nov. 27, 1779; m. Susanna Nichols of Haverhill; was of the Mormons at Nauvoo, Ill.; she d. in Haverhill, his widow, Sept. 10, 1867, aged eighty-six. They were parents of Dr. John Farnum Boynton of Syracuse, N. Y.

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SERG. THOMAS BOYNTON⁶, born in Newbury Nov. 29, 1747. He was a house joiner, and lived in Andover. He married Miss Hannah Ames June 16, 1772; and she died in Andover Dec. 20, 1831. He

died there Nov. 10, 1833, aged eighty-five.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 241—I. HANNAH⁷, b. March 11, 1773; m. John S. Crosby April 19, 1793; and d. June 13, 1817.
- 242—II. THOMAS⁷, b. Jan. 7, 1775; m. Rebecca Bailey (pub. Aug. 12, 1799); lived in Andover; yeoman.
- 243—III. AMOS⁷, b. Oct. 27, 1776; lived in Lowell; m. Clarissa Richardson of Dracut; d. Jan. —, 1849; and she m., secondly, ——— Law of Lowell.
- 244—IV. MARY⁷, b. Aug. 1, 1778; m., first, Isaac Carlton of Pelham, N. H., May 26, 1801; he d. in 1816; and she m., second, Simeon Pearl of Boxford.
- 245—V. BENJAMIN⁷, b. July 24, 1780; housewright; lived in Andover; m. Belinda Pearsons of Lynnfield (pub. March 7, 1817); and d. Sept. 11, 1854.
- 246—VI. SARAH⁷, b. Jan. 30, 1782; d. in 1846.
- 247—VII. DAVID⁷, b. Jan. 4, 1784; painter; lived in Andover; m. his cousin Elizabeth Ames April 29, 1800; d. March 25, 1826; she d., his widow, in Haverhill, April 27, 1867, aged seventy-eight.
- 248—VIII. SAMUEL⁷, b. Nov. 8, 1785; d. Aug. 2, 1787, aged one year.
- 249—IX. ELIZABETH⁷, b. Jan. 18, 1789; m. John Moor Bailey of Andover Dec. 5, 1811.
- 250—X. SAMUEL⁷, b. July 8, 1791; d. Jan. 11, 1792.
- 251—XI. HEPHZIBAH⁷, b. Nov. 18, 1792; m. James Chandler Sept. 22, 1814; and lived in Andover and Boston.

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MOSES BOYNTON⁶, born in Newbury Nov. 1, 1751. He was a shoemaker, and lived in Andover until 1784, when he removed to East Weare, N. H. He married Mary Osgood Dec. 25, 1777; and she died Dec. 31, 1825. He died Dec. 10, 1836.

Children:—

- 252—I. MARY⁷, b. April 27, 1778, in Andover; m. Abraham Fifield.
- 253—II. ELIZABETH⁷, b. Feb. 28, 1780, in Andover; m. Stephen Emerson.
- 254—III. MOSES⁷, b. Dec. 8, 1781, in Andover; m. Betsey Ayer of Bradford, N. H. and d. in Thornton, N. H.
- 255—IV. NATHAN⁷, b. May 16, 1783, in Andover; m. Nancy Worthen of Seabrook, N. H.; and lived in Campton, N. H.
- 256—V. THOMAS⁷, b. June 12, 1785, in Weare; m. Lydia Davis.

- 257—VI. JOHN⁷, b. Feb. 24, 1787, in Weare; lived in Lowell; carpenter; and d., unmarried, Feb. 23, 1868.
- 258—VII. DAVID⁷, b. July 17, 1789, in Weare; lived on the paternal farm in Weare; and m. Lydia Favor.
- 259—VIII. NATHANIEL⁷, b. Dec. 14, 1791, in Weare; lived in Weare in 1868; and m. Martha Barker Curtis.
- 260—IX. SAMUEL⁷, b. Feb. 19, 1794, in Weare; and d., unmarried.

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JONATHAN BOYNTON⁶, born in Newbury Aug. 16, 1753. He lived in Andover; and married Mary (Ballard), widow of John More, Dec. 13, 1781.

Children, born in Andover:—

- 261—I. MARY LUCY⁷.
- 262—II. JOHN MORE⁷.

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ENOCH BOYNTON⁶, born in Gloucester Jan. 17, 1748. He was a yeoman and fisherman, and lived in Gloucester until 1771, when he removed to Byfield parish, in Newbury, where he subsequently lived. He married Abigail Tarring of Manchester (published Jan. 23, 1771); and died before 1802.

Children, born in Newbury:—

- 263—I. ABIGAIL⁷, b. Nov. 16, 1771.
- 264—II. ENOCH⁷, b. in 1772; cordwainer; lived in Byfield parish in Newbury; m. Alice Adams of Newbury April 25, 1799; she d. in Newbury Dec. 11, 1811, aged forty-three; and he d. in Rowley, of influenza, Jan. 27, 1859, aged eighty-six.
- 265—III. ELIJAH⁷, b. May 10, 1774.
- 266—IV. RACHEL⁷, b. June 4, 1776; m. Joseph Adams of Newbury Dec. 14, 1807. She became insane, and was known as "Crazy Rachel."
- 267—V. METHUSALEH⁷, b. Nov. 17, 1777; mariner; lived in Newbury; m. Amelia Dodge of Newbury Aug. 17, 1806; he d. Nov. —, 1819; and she m., secondly, Joshua Mace of Newbury March 22, 1824.
- 268—VI. MARY⁷, b. Feb. 29, 1780; m. Richard Smith of Newbury Nov. 5, 1810.

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ELIJAH BOYNTON⁶, born in Gloucester April 22, 1749. He was a yeoman, and lived in Gloucester as late as 1782. He was called of Ipswich in 1775. He married Martha Lord of Ipswich (published Aug. 27, 1771).

Children, born in Ipswich:—

- 269—I. MARY⁷, bapt. May 9, 1773.
- 270—II. JOHN⁷, bapt. Jan. 22, 1775.

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BENJAMIN BOYNTON⁶, born in Gloucester Feb. 9, 1725. He was a fisherman, and lived in Gloucester. He married, first, Miss Abigail Millet July 11, 1744; and she was living in 1766.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 271—I. BENJAMIN⁷, b. March 21, 1745. *See below (271).*
- 272—II. JOHN WALLIS⁷, b. July 2, 1748.
- 273—III. ABIGAIL⁷, b. Aug. 2, 1754.

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JOSEPH BOYNTON⁶, born in Gloucester Sept. 23, 1828. He lived in Gloucester; and married, first, Mary Carlisle March 14, 1751. He was published to Mary Smith Feb. 17, 1760; but she died; and he married, second, Mary Stockbridge (published April 19, 1760).

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 274—I. SAMUEL STOCKBRIDGE⁷, b. Aug. 22, 1762.
- 275—II. ISAAC⁷, b. Sept. 14, 1764.
- 276—III. MOLLY⁷, b. June 18, 1776.
- 277—IV. HANNAH⁷, b. April 7, 1768.

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WILLIAM BOYNTON⁶, born in Gloucester March 8, 1737. He lived in Gloucester; and married Miss Ruth Grover Feb. 1, 1759. He was wrecked in a fishing schooner on Long beach (Nahant), Lynn, and drowned March 21, 1772. She survived him, and removed to Rowley, where she died, his widow, Nov. 11, 1814, aged eighty-six.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 278—I. RUTH⁷, bapt. in 1760; m. Bennett Haskins of Clement's Bay, Md., in 1786.
- 279—II. WILLIAM⁷, b. May 30, 1762; lived in Boston; m. Ruth Low July 16, 1800; and d. Aug. 23, 1819.
- 280—III. NEHEMIAH GROVER⁷, bapt. June 1, 1764; lost in privateer Tempest in 1780.
- 281—IV. EDMUND⁷, bapt. Oct. 13, 1765. *See below (281).*
- 282—V. ELEAZER⁷ (twin), bapt. Jan. 15, 1769; d. young.
- 283—VI. EBENEZER⁷ (twin), bapt. Jan. 15, 1769. *See below (283).*

284—VII. ELEAZER⁷, b. Sept. 9, 1770. *See below* (284).

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JAMES BOYNTON⁶, born in Rowley Aug. 5, 1739. He was a husbandman, and lived in the West parish of Boxford. He married Mary Wood of Boxford June 14, 1763; and was killed in the battle of Bunker hill June 17, 1775. She survived him, and was his widow, of Boxford, in 1791.

Children, born in Boxford:—

- 285—I. HULDAH⁷, b. Aug. 28, 1763; m. Amos Spofford, jr., of Boxford Feb. 22, 1792.
- 286—II. DAVID WOOD⁷, b. Aug. 28, 1765; d. young.
- 287—III. HANNAH⁷, bapt. July 10, 1768; m. Robert Richardson of Methuen Aug. 19, 1795.
- 288—IV. MOLLY⁷, bapt. Sept. 22, 1771; m. James Sargent, jr., of Methuen June 5, 1794.
- 289—V. DAVID⁷, b. Nov. 17, 1773. *See below* (289).

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MOSES BOYNTON⁶, born in Rowley Nov. 22, 1752. He was a housewright, and lived in the West parish of Rowley, now Georgetown. He married Lucy How of Ipswich (published Aug. 3, 1786); and died in Rowley, of palsy, Jan. 19, 1823, aged seventy. She survived him, and died in Georgetown, his widow, of influenza, Feb. 4, 1848, aged eighty-seven.

Children, born in Rowley:—

- 290—I. HANNAH⁷, b. Nov. 8, 1786; d. Feb. 17, 1789.
- 291—II. HANNAH⁷, b. Oct. 15, 1790; m. John Rea of Charlestown July 30, 1811.
- 292—III. JOHN⁷, b. Oct. 28, 1792; d. in Rowley, of consumption, March 31, 1824, aged thirty-one.
- 293—IV. LUCY⁷, b. Aug. 6, 1794; m. Joseph Wilson of Charlestown Nov. 6, 1814.
- 294—V. ELIZABETH HOW⁷, b. Sept. 18, 1796; m. Hiram Harriman of Rowley May 8, 1828; and d. before 1833.
- 295—VI. CAROLINE⁷, b. Sept. 7, 1802; d. in Rowley, of consumption, June 16, 1825, aged twenty-two.

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NATHANIEL BOYNTON⁶, born in Rowley July 27, 1750. He was a yeoman, and

lived in that part of Lynn which is now Saugus. He married Mary Vial April 6, 1779; and died April 11, 1821. She survived him.

Children, born in Lynn:—

- 296—I. SALLY⁷, b. Jan. 27, 1781.
- 297—II. POLLY⁷, b. Oct. 10, 1782.
- 298—III. NATHANIEL⁷, b. Oct. 10, 1785; d. Oct. 17, 1786.
- 299—IV. NATHANIEL⁷, b. April 9, 1787; d. before 1821.
- 300—V. LUCY⁷, b. Sept. 11, 1789.
- 301—VI. SAMUEL⁷, b. March 27, 1792; d. before 1821.
- 302—VII. ELLIS⁷, b. April 25, 1794; yeoman; lived in Saugus; m. Lucy —; he d. in 1824; and she m., secondly, Cornelius Felton.
- 303—VIII. ELIZABETH⁷, b. July 28, 1796.

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BENJAMIN BOYNTON⁷, born in Gloucester March 21, 1745. He lived in Gloucester; and married Lydia Brown Nov. 28, 1764.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 304—I. DORCAS⁸, b. May 26, 1767.
- 305—II. REBECCA⁸, bapt. Dec. 16, 1770.

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EDMUND BOYNTON⁷, baptized in Gloucester Oct. 13, 1765. He was a mariner, and lived near Parker River bridge, in Newbury. He married Mary Heard of Ipswich March 22, 1792; and was drowned in 1805. She survived him, and died, his widow, in Rowley, of "derangement," March 20, 1827.

Children, born in Newbury:—

- 306—I. MARY⁸, b. Aug. 27, 1793.
- 307—II. BENJAMIN HEARD⁸, b. Sept. 17, 1795; temperance lecturer; lived in Troy, N. Y., and Lynn, Mass.
- 308—III. EDMUND⁸, b. Jan. 4, 1798; shoemaker; lived in Georgetown; m. Elizabeth Creasey of Rowley Oct. 28, 1824; d. March 27, 1847, aged forty-nine; and she married, secondly, Greenleaf Hazen of Georgetown April 5, 1848.
- 309—IV. CLARISSA⁸, b. April 23, 1800; d. in Newbury Oct. 5, 1810, aged ten.
- 310—V. WILLIAM⁸, b. Dec. 19, 1802.

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EBENEZER BOYNTON⁷, baptized at Sandy Bay, Gloucester, Jan. 15, 1769. He was known as "Eben Boynton." He was

an innkeeper, and lived in Rowley. He married Jane Todd of Rowley in 1797 (published Oct. 19, 1796); and died May 15, 1838, aged sixty-eight. She survived him, and died in Rowley, of fever, his widow, April 20, 1853, aged seventy-nine.

Children, born in Rowley.

- 311—I. JANE⁸, b. in 1798; m. John Richards of Rowley Nov. 27, 1822.
- 312—II. EBEN⁸, b. Jan. 26, 1800; trader; lived in Rowley; m. Elizabeth Durgin of Rowley Oct. 17, 1819; d. Feb. 28, 1850, aged fifty; and she d. in Rowley, his widow, Feb. 14, 1872, aged seventy-four.
- 313—III. —⁸, d. Nov. 26, 1802.
- 314—IV. MARY⁸, d. in Rowley, of quinsy, Oct. 20, 1806, aged three.
- 315—V. DANIEL⁸, b. May 30, 1805; lived in Ipswich; m. Fanny Nourse of Ipswich (pub. April 23, 1831).
- 316—VI. HENRY⁸, b. Nov. 17, 1807; trader; lived in Rowley; m. Miss Elizabeth Chamberlin of Salem April 21, 1839.
- 317—VII. WILLIAM⁸, b. Feb. 1, 1810; m. Mary P. Dodge of Rowley Feb. 12, 1846; lived in Georgetown.
- 318—VIII. CHARLES⁸, b. Sept. 8, 1813; teamster, fruit dealer and horse trader; lived in Gloucester and Newbury; m., first, Sybil P. Hunt of Rowley Aug. 31, 1836; she d. in Georgetown Jan. 21, 1855, aged thirty-nine; m., second, Miss Jane T. Hilliard of Georgetown July 31, 1855.
- 319—IX. EZEKIEL SAUNDERS⁸, b. July —, 1815; trader; lived in Rowley; d., unmarried, of heart complaint, July 17, 1858, aged forty-three.
- 320—X. JOHN⁸, b. May 15, 1818; trader and shoe manufacturer; lived in Rowley; m., first, Hannah G. Whittridge of Lowell (pub. Oct. 19, 1844); she d. in Rowley Sept. 25, 1852; m., second, Mary A. Burbank of Rowley (pub. May 10, 1853).

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ELEAZER BOYNTON⁷, born in Gloucester Sept. 9, 1770. He was a fisherman, and lived at Sandy Bay, in Gloucester. He married Elizabeth Parsons Nov. 28, 1793.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 321—I. ELEAZER⁸, b. Feb. 27, 1797; trader; lived in Rockport; m. Sally Blatchford Dec. 13, 1821; she d. April 27, 1866; and he d. Aug. 13, 1871.
- 322—II. WILLIAM⁸, b. Oct. 9, 1801; grocer; lived in Georgetown; m. Eliza —; and d. in Georgetown March 14, 1873, aged seventy-one.

- 323—III. NEHEMIAH⁸, b. Dec. 2, 1804.
- 324—IV. ELIZABETH⁸, d. at the age of ten.
- 325—V. DAVID PARSONS⁸, b. May 31, 1809; lived in Rockport; trader; m. Betsey Tarr May 15, 1837; and d. in Rockport Oct. 3, 1877.

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DAVID BOYNTON⁷, born in Boxford Nov. 17, 1773. He was a yeoman, and lived in Methuen. He married Persis Wilson of Methuen July 4, 1797; and died there April 27, 1808, aged thirty-four.

Children, born in Methuen:—

- 326—I. DAVID WOOD⁸, b. Feb. 9, 1798.
- 327—II. JOHN WILSON⁸, b. Nov. 22, 1800.
- 328—III. JAMES⁸, b. Sept. 13, 1803.

NOTES.

Daniel Blaney lived in Salem, 1737-1760; mariner, fisherman; married Mary Kempton of Salem Nov. 3, 1737; and she was his widow, 1760, 1770; children, baptized at First church in Salem: 1. Bethiah, baptized Aug. 27, 1738; married Chantrell Collins of Salem July 15, 1759; 2. Catherine, baptized Oct. 12, 1740; married Jonathan Tarrant of Salem April 10, 1760.—*Records*.

Miss Anne Blaney published to Joseph McClaren, both of Newburyport, Aug. 31, 1769.—*Newburyport town records*.

Hannah Blaney married Mark Graves March 5, 1761, in Lynn.

Mary Blaney married Nathaniel Fuller Oct. 8, 1765, in Lynn.

—*County records*.

Capt. Jonathan Blasdell of Newburyport, mariner, who married Miss Rhamah Burnham of Manchester July 8, 1784, died before March 29, 1790, when administration upon his estate was granted to his widow Ruhamah Blasdell. There were probably no children. He was son of Enoch Blasdell of Sedgwick in Blue-Hill bay, Me., yeoman, and wife Mary, in 1790.—*Probate records and Registry of deeds*.

Hannah Blasdell of Salisbury married Timothy Currier Sept. 28, 1748.

Abigail Blasdell married Titus Wells Oct. 15, 1760.

Mrs. Mary Blasdell married James Perce Dec. 23, 1786.

Ephraim Blasdell married Dorothy Lowell April 24, 1794.

—*Amesbury town records.*

Samuel Blaisdell published to Ally Moore July 8, 1798.—*Topsfield town records*

Henry Blazedell married Phebe Peabody May 4, 1772.—*Middleton town records.*

Mary Blasdell married Shubel Walker Dec. 5, 1754.

John Blasdel married Susannah Mirick Sept. 25, 1757.

Hannah Blaisdel of Bradford married James Lesslie of Washington, N. H., Feb. —, 1780.

—*Bradford town records.*

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Benjamin Shaw of Hampton conveyed to Eliezer Elkins of Hampton 5 acres of salt marsh in Hampton, bounded by Jn^o Clifford, sr., Joseph Shaw, Tho: Marston and parties to this deed, April 30, 1663. Wit: Gershom Elkins and Mary Sleeper. Ack. 26: 7: 1665, before Sam^l Dalton, commissioner.

Isaac Colby of Salisbury, planter, conveyed to Mr. Tho: Bradbury, sr., of Salisbury 3 acres of upland and meadow in Salisbury I bought of Jn^o Clough of Salisbury, house carpenter, being a part of ye planting lot of Josiah Cobham, and meadow ($\frac{1}{2}$ of ye first division of meadow granted to said Cobham by Salisbury), bounded by Isaac Buswell, land formerly Mr. John Hodges' houselot, William Barnes, and a little creek, March 25, 1664. Wit: Sarah Blumfeild (her S mark) and Abigail Ambros (her x mark): Ack. 11: 2 mo: 1672, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Daniell Lad, jr. (his D mark), of Haverhill, planter, for £14, 5s., 1d., mortgaged to Theoder Atkinson, sr., of Boston, feltmaker, 10 acres of land in Haverhill, being almost a triangle, bounded by John Dow, Daniell Hendrick, jr., and com-

mon land, Oct. 15, 1669. Wit: William Adman and Joseph Bradbrooke. Ack. Oct. 15, 1669, before Edward Tyng, assistant. "Ita attest: p Robert Howard not: publ colonia præd rt:" Possession given to mortgagee by turf and twig April 19, 1672 in presence of George Person.

William Holdred (his X mark) of Exeter, laborer, for £8, conveyed to Henry Tuxbery of Amsbery, weaver, 13 acres of upland in Haverhill, bounded by highways (one leading to Hoult's rocks), etc., Nov. 7, 1671. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and Tho: Currier. Ack. April 9, 1672, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

John Cheny of Nubery, for £26, conveyed to Henry Tuxbery of Emsbery, 24 acres of land in Emsbery or Salisbury new town, that was formerly sold by Edward Cottle to my father Jn^o Cheny, deceased, bounded by Merrimack river, Haverhill highway, goody Peasly and common land of Haverhill, April 28, 1671. Wit: Anthony Somerby and Abiell Somerby. Ack. July 19, 1671, before Jn^o Leverett, dep.-gov. Mary Cheney, wife of the grantor, released dower July 19, 1671 (her X mark). Wit: Archelaus Woodman and Edward Woodman. She ack. July 19, 1671, before Jn^o Leveret, dep.-gov.

Rodger Eastman (his Γ mark) of Salisbury, house carpenter, and wife Sarah (her r mark), for love, conveyed to my dear son Thomas Eastman 16 acres of land in Haverhill, being our lot of a second division, formerly belonging to John Chenerie, and which we bought of William White of Haverhill, bounded by Jn^o Williams, sr., Abraham Whiticker, Merrie's creek and long hill. Wit: John Estman and Benjamin Eastman. Ack. April 12, 1672, before Robert Pike, commissioner.


Lt. Ralph Hall of Exiter mortgaged to Theoder Atkinson of Boston, felt maker, 190 acres in Dover at a place called St. Albons cove, bounded by Newechewamick river, a neck of land belonging to Capt. Waldern and ye proprietors of ffresh creek grant and ye common, mortgaged to Nicolas Lissen of Exiter by me,


and by him released to me, April 22, 1672. Wit: Jn^o Pike and Robert Pike. Ack. 22: 2: 1672, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Nicolas Lissen of New England, for £700, conveyed to Ralfe Hall of Dover half yt saw mill whereof John Gillman hath the other half, standing upon the falls of Exiter; also, 6 oxen, hay, tackling, wheels, etc., for logging, Oct. 6, 1663. Wit: Sam: Dudley and Humphrey Wilson. Wife Alice signs by mark to release dower and both ack. April 28, 1666, before Sam^{ll} Dalton, commissioner.

Nicolas Lissen of Exiter released to Lt. Ralph Hall 190 acres of upland, etc., which he mortgaged to him to secure payment for the abovesaid half of a saw mill, April 22, 1672. Wit: John Pike and Robert Pike, jr. Ack. 22: 2: 1672, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Receipt for the price of above named mill, March 29, 1672, signed by Nicolas Lissen. Ack. April 22, 1672, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Sam^{ll} ffoulsham (or ffulsham) (his ) of Exiter released to Lt. Ralph Hall of Exiter 5 acres of marsh in Hampton, formerly a part of Mr. Wheellright's farm, and part of the 16 acres said Hall bought of Tho: ffilbrick, 30: 9: 1670. Wit: Sam^{ll} Dalton and Hannah Dalton. Ack. 30: 9: 1670, before Sam^{ll} Dalton, commissioner.

Susana Whitrid (her ) of Emsbury, widow (formerly wife of Anthony Colby), for £10, conveyed to my son Isaac Colby of Haverhill, planter, 3 acres of fresh meadow in ye new town of Salisbury now called Emsberie at ye back river near to bare hill, lying on both sides of the river, April 11, 1671. Wit: Sam^{ll} Colby and Tho: Hayne. Ack. May 21, 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Sam^{ll} Colby of Haverhill, planter, and wife Elizabeth, for £25 and a 24-acre lot of upland in Amesbury, bounded by Merrimack river and Haverhill highway, formerly ye lot of Robert Jones, conveyed to Isaac Colby of Haverhill, planter, 1/2 of land in Haverhill I bought of Robert

Clements of Haverhill upon a plain near old Eyers carte way, May 6, 1669. Wit: John Colby and William Huchen. Ack. by both grantor and wife Dec. 25, 1671, before Nath^{ll} Saltonstall, commissioner.

Widow Susanna Colby (her X mark) of Salisbury, for £10 in board, conveyed to Isaac Colby of Salisbury, planter, 60 acres of upland in Salisbury near the Haverhill line, bounded by Wm. Sargent, Jarret Haddon and common land, Dec. 24, 1662. Wit: Sam^{ll} Colby and John Colby. Ack. 21: 3: 1671, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Robert Jones (his I mark) of Salisbury, planter, for £30, conveyed to Isaac Colby of Salisbury, planter, my 24-acre planting lot in Salisbury-newtown, being lot No. 23, bounded by Richard Currier, Wm. Barnes, Merrimack river and highway leading to Haverhill; also, a 2-acre meadow lot within the above, on both sides of ye back river yt runs into ye pond, bounded by Wm. Barnes, right of Tho: Macy, late of Salisbury, and Mr. E. Remington, Nov. 5, 1666. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and William Bradbury. Ack. 11: 2 mo: 1672, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Isaac Colby of Haverhill, carpenter, conveyed to Robert Jones of Amesbury, planter, 7 1/2 acres of land called the ox pasture, lot No. 14, bounded by the Paw-waus river, John Hoyt, sr., William Osgood and John Weed, May 7, 1669. Wit: Richard Currier and Samuell ffowler. Ack. 11: 2 mo: 1672, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Mr. Andrew Wiggin of Swamscott in ye river of Piscattaway, gent., conveyed to Samuel Levitt of Exiter in ye river aforesaid, planter, 1/2 of 62 acres of land I bought of Mr. Sam^{ll} Dudley in Exiter, bounded by Hampton highway, ye commons, Jn^o ffoulsham, sr., and grantee (which grantee lately bought of Richard Morgan), —, 1671-2. Wit: John Gillman and Robert Smart (his R mark). Ack. April 5, 1672, before Sam^{ll} Dalton, commissioner.

John Robinson of Exiter, planter, for £40, conveyed to Sam^{ll} Levitt of Exiter dwelling house, barn, and seven acres of land in Exiter, at Fort hill by ye falls, 2½ acres of it was granted for a house lot and 4½ acres, all bounded by a comon way yt lieth by y^e side of ye ffresh river, ye comon way y^t goeth to Hampton, and Sam^{ll} ffoulsham, June 24, 1667. Wife Elizabeth released dower; both sign by mark. Wit: Jonathan (his J r mark) Robinson. Ack. July 16, 1667, before Sam^{ll} Dalton, commissioner.

Rodger Eastman (his > mark) of Salisbury, house carpenter, and wife Sarah (her 3 mark), for love, conveyed to their son Nathaniel Eastman of Salisbury, cooper, dwelling house lately erected and 4 acres of land, bounded by ye highway, gutter, etc.; also, a 6-acre planting lot formerly of Richard Singletary, bounded by ye highway, ye boggie meadow lying between ye planting lots formerly Richard North's and Mr. John Hodges; also, one cow comon lot of salt marsh of six acres, bounded by marsh of Sam^{ll} Winsley, a little river, etc.; also, 7 acres of pasture land, adjoining said house lot, taking in half an acre of Boggie meadow, bounded by John Ilsly, etc.; also, after my decease, a 4-acre lot of salt marsh I bought of Mr. Willi: Hooke, being his first division of higledee pigledee lots, bounded by ye dead creek; grantee to pay to heirs of grantor, at his decease, £26, April 25, 1672. Wit: Tho: Bradbury, John Bradbury and Jabez Bradbury. Ack. April 25, 1672, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Stephen Kent of Haverhill and wife Elener (her V mark), for £50, conveyed to Robert fford of Haverhill my second division of upland, 90 acres, in Haverhill, bounded by ye little river commonly called ye Saw mill river, allowing two rods for a passage, land formerly held by Joseph Peasly, Tho: Davis, a great swamp, etc., May 1, 1669. Wit: Nath^{ll} Saltonstall and Mary Ward. Ack. May 1, 1669, before Nath^{ll} Saltonstall, commissioner.

Susanna Satchwell (her S mark) of Haverhill, spinster, widow and executrix of will of Theophilus Satchwell of Haverhill, deceased, in performance of an agreement between my said husband Stephen Kent of Haverhill in reference to said Kent's second division of meadow, conveyed to Steven Kent, sr., formerly of Haverhill, now of Woodbridg, N. J., near unto New York, a part of Beare meadow in Haverhill, bounded by Thomas Whittier, Robert Eyer, etc., March 17, 1670. Wit: George Brown and Edward Clarke. Ack. March 17, 1670-1, before Nath^{ll} Saltonstall, commissioner.

Ephraim Winsly of Salisbury, for £7, 10s., conveyed to Tho: Chase of Hampton, husbandman, 2 acres of salt marsh in Hall's farm, lot No. 7, an addition to the higledee pigledee lots of salt marsh, April 3, 1672. Wit: Henry Ambross and Cutting Noyes. Ack., and wife Mary released dower, May 30, 1672, before Rob: Pike, commissioner.

Ephraim Winsley of Salisbury, cordish winder, for £5, conveyed to Tho: Chase of Hampton, husbandman, 102 rods of marsh in Hall's farm in Salisbury, formerly belonging to my brother Sam^{ll} Winsly, with ye addition between Cayns brook and upland, butting on marsh of Nath^{ll} Wear's, March 15, 1671-2. Wit: Nath^{ll} Winsley and Cutting Noyse. Ack., and wife Mary released dower, May 30, 1672, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Henry Saywoerd of York, York county, acknowledges that, about 24 years ago, he sold to Tho: Chase of Hampton 3 acres of salt marsh in Hampton on ye north side of ye falls river, bounded by ye marsh granted to Richard Cole, Jn^o Marston and a great creek, and now conveys it, June 17, 1672. Wit: Robert Pike, jr., and Richard Smith. Ack. June 17, 1672, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Whereas there was a grant made by Hampton to Robert Page concerning ye building of a saw-mill upon Tayler's river in Hampton, with privilege of timber, Feb. 26, 1656; and whereas Mr. Robert Nanny of Boston, marchent, paid towards

building ye mill, Robert Page (his Δ mark) conveyed one-half of the mill to Mr. John Wheelwright and Mr. Sam^{ll} Wheelwright as feofees in trust for the children of said Nanny, June 25, 1672. Wit: Sam^{ll} Dalton and mark \ddagger of Benjamin Moulton. Possession given in presence of John ffuller and Jacob Garland (his \mathcal{S} mark). Ack. June 26, 1672, before Sam^{ll} Symonds.

Thomas Easman of Salisbury, for $\pounds 15$, conveyed to my brother Joseph Easman of Salisbury 4 acres of marsh I bought of Georg Goldwyer of Salisbury, yeoman, belonging to ye town right of Lewis Heulitt in Salisbury, in the cow common, being lot No. 16, bounded by ye creek coming from Hampton river's mouth and by upland, Feb. 18, 1671. Wit: Tho: Bradbury and John Hussey. Ack. 18: 12: 1671, before Robt: Pike, commissioner.

William Osgood of Salisbury, millwright, conveyed to Joseph Lankester of Amesberie, planter, 40 acres of land, bounded with ye county highway, Tho: Sargent, Merrimack river and William Buswell. Wit: Tho: Currier and Tho: Hayne. Ack., and wife Elizabeth released dower, April 2, 1672, before Robert Pike, commissioner.

Will of William Marston, sr. (his $\frac{1}{1}$ mark) of Hampton: To my eldest son Tho: Marston; to my son William Marston; my son Jn^o Marston; my daughter Prudence Cox; my wife Sabina, executrix. Dated June 25, 1672. Wit: Nath^{ll} Drake, Jane Drake, and mark $\frac{1}{1}$ of Jn^o Lock. Proved by Nath^{ll} Drake and Jn^o Lock in court at Hampton 8: 8: 1672.

Inventory of estate of Wm. Marston, sr., deceased, taken by Nath^{ll} Drake and Tho: Marston in 1672. Amount, $\pounds 73$, 10s.; real, $\pounds 8$; personal, $\pounds 65$, 10s. Also, houses, land and meadow, valued at $\pounds 50$, were appraised by Nath^{ll} Drake and Jn^o Lock (his $\frac{1}{1}$ mark). Total amount, $\pounds 123$, 10s. Debts owing, $\pounds 20$. Sworn to by Sabina Marston, executrix.

Willi: ffeild, sr., of Hampton, assignee of Wm. Marston of Hampton, late de-

ceased, conveyed to Sabina Marston, his widow, one share of cow common in Hampton; also, three acres of upland in Exeter near Ass brook; all of which I received as said assignee by execution of Mr. Richard Oliver sometime of Hampton, July 13, 1672. Wit: John Redman and Henry Dowe. Ack. in court at Hampton 8: 8: 1672.

Will of Samuell ffogge of Hampton, dated Jan. 9, 1671; proved 8: 8: 1672, in court at Hampton. Weak and infirm. To my wife Mary, for life, one-half of my salt marsh on this side of ye falls river towards ye town, formerly of Rodger Shaw, and part of ye five acres in ye little comon; one-half of eight acres of planting land in ye east field, the half towards Wm. Samborn's land, part of ye upland at ye south end of my house lot, the west end of my dwelling house, and if she remove therefrom it is to be let until my eldest son shall be twenty-one years old, and he is then to have it, also, two coves, ye white roane mare, and the household stuff she brought into the house with her or what bedding, etc., she hath elsewhere. To my eldest son Sam^{ll} ffogge two thirds of my lands and commonage, housing, barn, cattle, etc., my two tables, one bedstead, one great chair, three chests, one new green rug, suit of curtains and one fowling piece when he is twenty-one years old, but no power to dispose of the real estate until he is twenty-four years old. To my son Daniell ffogg one third of my lands at the decease of my wife, two new pewter platters, a pewter bason and $\pounds 15$ to be paid by my son Sam^{ll} when Daniel is twenty-one years old. To my daughter Mary ffogg one feather bed, bolster, pillow, two blankets (one of them red), two pair of sheets which were her mother's, one brass pan, three pewter platters, etc., and earthen dishes which were her mother's, to be delivered to her at the time of her marriage or at the age of twenty-one. The rest of my household stuff I give to the three children I had by my said wife. To my sons Seath and James ffogg $\pounds 6$

each when they are twenty-one. To my youngest daughter Hannah ffogg £6 to be paid by Sam^{ll} when she is married or at the age of twenty-one. My father-in-law Dea. Robert Page and my friends Willi: ffuller and Nath^{ll} Batcheller, executors. The sons are to be put to some good trades which they shall most desire, and be placed in such families as may be for their comfort and advantage, both for body and soul. My daughter Mary to be disposed of to ye tuition of my friends Wm. ffullar and his wife Frances, and if said Frances should die during the minority of Mary, I commit her tuition to my brother Benjamin Shaw and goodwife Batcheller. Wit: Wm. ffullar, Sam^{ll} Dalton and ffrances ffuller.

Inventory of the estate "of Sam^{ll} ffogge of Hampton late deceased upon y^e 15th day of Aprill: 1672," taken by Tho: Marston and Wm. Samborn May 3, 1672. Amount, £252, 19s.; real, £165; personal, £87, 19s.

To be continued.

WILL OF THOMAS LEE.

The will of Thomas Lee of Ipswich was proved in the Ipswich court April 17, 1662. The following copy is taken from the original instrument on file in the probate office at Salem.

The last Will and Testament of Thomas Lee of Ip^{fw}^{ch}

In the name of God amen

I Thomas Lee of Ip^{fw} being at this present time of perfect memory and understanding doe dispose of that outward estate that God hath giuen mee in manner as followeth:

In the first place I comit my foule to God and my body to decent buryall.

My mind and will is that Alice my beloved wife shall haue the sole disposing of my farme and the rest of my estate upon these Considerations that is to say. That my Grandson Richard Lee shall liue and abide with her untill he shall bee two and twenty yeares of age then my whole estate to be Deuided and Richard shall

haue an equall share with my wife only my wife shall haue the vse of my now Dwelling house during the terme of her life unlesse shee shall bee willing that they both may liue together but if my wife should marry my mind is that shee shall haue five pounds euery yeare out of my estate during the terme of her life, and the abouenamed Richard to haue my estate at y^e age of two and twenty. My mind allso is that if my wife f^hall continue a Widow and enjoy such a share of my estate as is aforefaid that after her decease my foresayd Granchild shall inherit all that estate shee shall leaue, Twenty pounds being excepted which I giue and bequeath to my Daughter Sufanna now in England or her children if any of them shall bee here to demand the same within y^e space of feauen yeares from this present time

My will is that Richard my Grandchild shall not haue liberty to Alien sell or bargain my farme or any part therof but that it bee referued entire to him and his heires.

If my wife shall not think meet that Rich^d my Grandchild should abide with her for the p^rsent shee shall haue liberty to dispose of him to some Good seruice till he shall come to bee at the age of two and twenty

In witnesse of this my Will and testament I haue herunto set my hand and seal this nineteenth of March one thousand six hundred sixty one

I constitute and appoint Allice my wife onely Executrix of this my last will and Testament

The mark T of
Thomas (SEAL) Lee

Subscribed and sealed

In the p^resence of
Richad Brabrook
James gregory.

NOTE.

A daughter of Henry Blashfield died Sept. —, 1760.—*R. Hale's (Beverly) death record.*

SALEM IN 1700. NO. 24.

BY SIDNEY PERLEY.

The map on the opposite page represents that part of Salem which is bounded by Essex and Orange streets, the harbor, and a line drawn parallel with Daniels street and about a hundred feet easterly of it running from Essex street to the harbor. It is based on actual surveys and title deeds, and is drawn on a scale of two hundred feet to an inch. It shows the location of all houses that were standing in 1700. The braces marked "a" show where Derby street runs.

Daniels street is a very old way. It was called a lane or highway in 1661; highway by the water side, 1669; a street or lane, 1672; ye highway or street, 1673; a lane or particular highway, 1679; ye highway, 1699; Ingersoll's lane, 1715; Daniels lane, 1742; and Daniels street in 1769. In some deeds, in 1864 and 1870, it was called Wharf street.

Essex street was an ancient way, and ran along the southern border of the common land. It was called "The common or highway next the penn so called" in 1669; ye street or highway next ye common in 1670; the street or highway next ye common upon ye same, 1675; ye high or main street, 1695; the main street, 1699; Salem main street, 1729; and Essex street in 1798. It was called Main street in 1818.

Orange street was laid out down as far as the dotted square shown on the map, and the dotted square added as a space to turn in, Aug. 1, 1671, by agreement of the adjoining owners, Paul Mansfield of Salem, fisherman, and Edward Bush of Salem, seaman.* It was made by taking a strip of land from the lot of Paul Mansfield on the eastern side eight feet and ten inches in breadth, and a strip seven feet wide from the eastern side of the homestead of Edward Bush, as far as the asterisk (*). From that point to the dotted square, an equal amount was taken from each lot. The record goes on to

say, that, at this point, they allow "Ten foote of Ground a piece y^t is Twenty foote Square befide y^e breadth of y^e Said Lane & Shooting away Eastward from it for roome for a Cart to turne in."* The remaining portion of the lane was laid down to the ancient highway soon afterward. This was called ye lane or highway in 1674; ye lane yt runs from ye salt water to ye main street, 1715; Manning's lane, 1722; a lane laid out for ye conveniency of Sarah Mansfield's house and land, 1748; a lane leading from the main street to the South river or harbor, 1788; and Orange street, 1812.

The ancient highway along the water's edge was provided for in the laying out of the town eight feet wide; and was used from that time. It was called the highway that leads along the banke in 1708; and a way in 1760. The laying out of Derby street, about 1767, caused its discontinuance except where it became a part of the new street, as at the foot of Orange street.

Derby street was laid out about 1767. It was at first called New street, and was known as Derby street as early as 1774.

Palfrey court was called Derby court in 1800, having been laid out about that date.

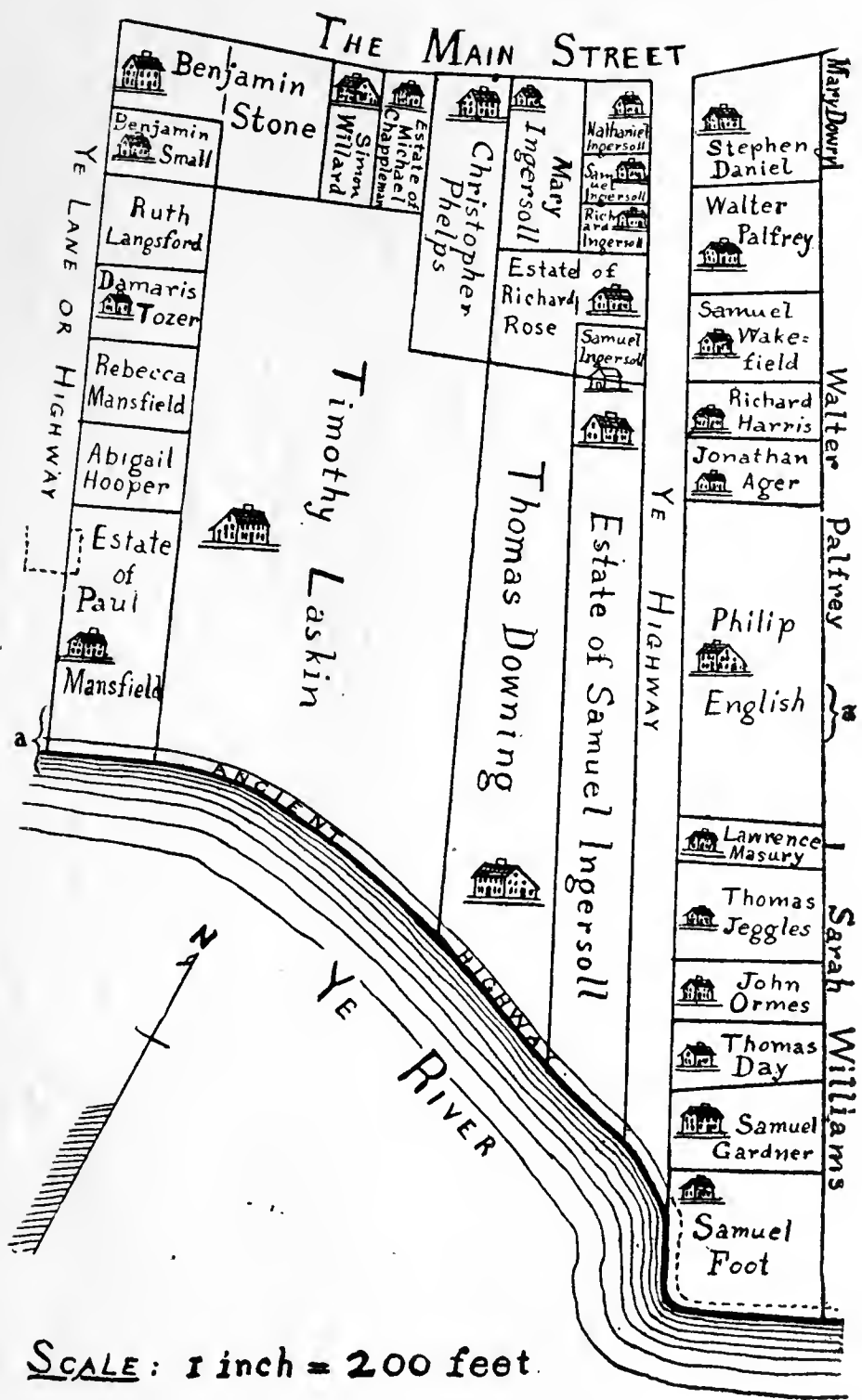
The harbor was called ye harbor or South river in 1671; the South harbor, 1683; ye river, 1688; the harbor or salt water, 1711; the South river, 1713; ye sea or salt water, 1715; ye harbor, 1722; ye sea, 1744; and Salem harbor in 1816.

In the sketches that follow, after 1700, titles and deeds referred to pertain to the houses and land under and adjoining and not always to the whole lot, the design being, after that date, to give the history of the houses then standing principally.

Stephen Daniel House. Joseph Grafton, jr., owned this lot in 1661. Stephen Daniel owned it as early as 1682; and died possessed of it Feb. 14, 1686-7, at the age of fifty-four. It descended to his son Stephen Daniel. The house was

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 25, leaf 125.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 25, leaf 125.



standing upon the lot as early as 1702, and was probably built by his father about 1667, although it might have been erected by the son about 1690. Mr. Daniel was a shipwright, and lived in this house, which, with the land under and adjoining, he conveyed to his daughter, widow Mary Silsby of Salem, March 16, 1748.* Here she lived during the remainder of her life; and the estate then descended to her only surviving child, Samuel Silsbee, of Salem, house-carpenter. He probably built the northern part of the house, as it now exists, at the time of his marriage, in 1756. He died Dec. 14, 1803, leaving three children, Samuel Silsbee of Salem, housewright, Deborah, wife of Daniel Sage of Salem, mariner, and Sarah, wife of David Patten. Mr. Patten died, and in 1808 Sarah married Haffield White Reed of Salem, mariner. The three heirs made a division of the homestead Aug. 18, 1818, the northern half of the house and land being released to Sarah,† and the southern half of the house and lot to Samuel.‡

Sarah Reed died possessed of her portion of the estate Sept. 2, 1860, a widow. Her house and the land being then valued at nine hundred and fifty dollars. The administrator of her estate conveyed her house and the land, for eight hundred and eighty-five dollars, to Elizabeth, wife of Joseph Hodges of Salem, Nov. 21, 1860.§ Mrs. Hodges died May 2, 1883; and under her will the northern part of the house and lot came to her children, Margaret C. Hanson, Sarah E. Hodges, and Gamaliel Hodges, and grandchildren, Clara H. Jelly, William M. Jelly and Marion H. Jelly, children of her deceased daughter, Elizabeth M. Jelly. In consideration of eleven hundred dollars, the estate was conveyed by these heirs to widow Sarah S. Russell Oct. 8, 1883,||

the interest of said Marion H. Jelly, a minor, being conveyed by her guardian in a separate deed.* Mrs. Russell died March 29, 1886, and this estate descended to her daughters, Rebecca S. Burger and Sarah R. Dexter, both of Salem.

Samuel Silsbee died possessed of the southern part of the house and lot June 7, 1822, having devised the estate in his will to his wife, Rebecca Silsbee. His part of the house was then occupied by Philip Manning and a Mr. Savary. Mrs. Silsbee owned it until her death, July 9, 1857, when it descended to numerous heirs, Nathaniel S. Hood, Martha P., wife of Stephen Whipple, all of Salem, Samuel S. Hood of Gloucester, Mary E. Peck, Lucy A. Peck, Margaret S. Peck, Harriet R., wife of Samuel T. Thompson, and Asa Hood, all of Medford, Julia A., wife of Samuel Leach, and Sarah R., wife of David Ranney, all of Charlestown, Thomas P. R. Hood and John S. Hood, both of South Reading, Mary, wife of Job Curtis of Woburn, Rebecca, wife of John Peck of Cincinnati, O., and Sarah S., wife of John W. Russell of Salem, carpenter. All the heirs, but the last-named, for seven hundred and twenty dollars, conveyed their interests in the house and lot to the latter husband, John W. Russell, Aug. 18, 1857.† He died May 10, 1875, having devised this estate to his wife, Sarah S. Russell, for her life, and then to his daughters, Rebecca S. Russell and Sarah E. Dexter, absolutely. It was then valued at twelve hundred dollars. The widow died in 1886, and the two daughters have since owned it together with the northern half of the house and lot.

This ancient house, as it now appears, is shown on the opposite page.

Walter Palfrey House. This lot was the property of Matthew Dove of Salem, planter, Oct. 24, 1661, when he conveyed it to Joseph Grafton, jr., of Salem, mariner.‡ Mr. Grafton owned it in 1687.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 93, leaf 54.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 219, leaf 57.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 219, leaf 60.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 615, leaf 273.

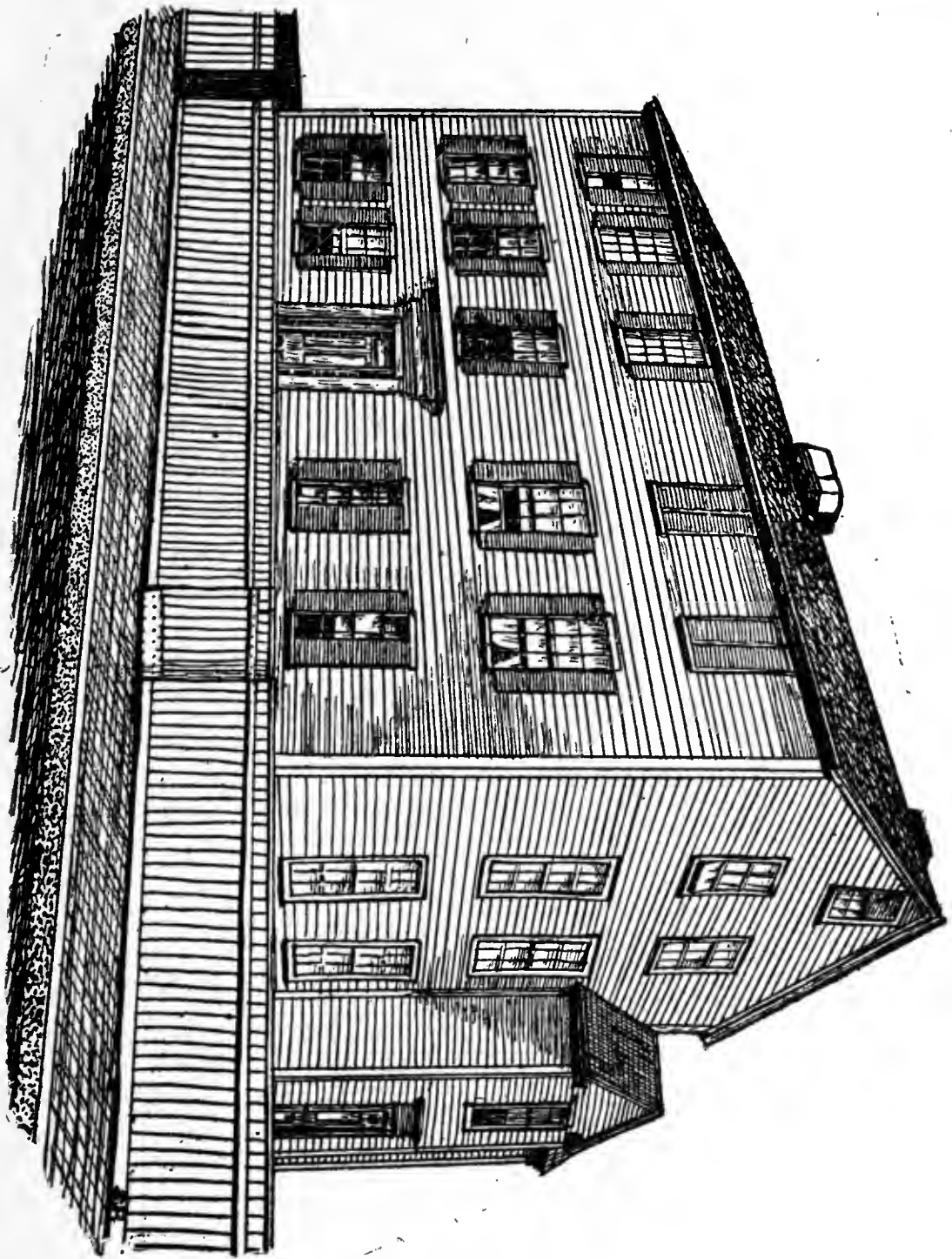
||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1117, leaf 224

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†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 558, leaf 40.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 62.

STEPHEN DANIEL HOUSE.



It belonged to Nathaniel Chatwell of Salem, mariner, Dec. 8, 1694, when, for fifty pounds, he conveyed the house and lot to Walter Palfrey of Salem, sailmaker.* Whether the house was built by Mr. Grafton or Mr. Chatwell is not known to the writer. Mr. Palfrey apparently added to the house, and died possessed of the estate in 1713, when the house, shop, barn and land were valued at one hundred and sixty pounds. Under Mr. Palfrey's will the property became owned by his sons Warwick and Thomas. The former released the house, barn and land to the latter, in two deeds, Sept. 18, 1714,† and Feb. 13, 1717-8.‡ In the house were mentioned the large room, bed room, ye kitchen, great chamber, old chamber, etc. Thomas Palfrey was a sailmaker, and died in 1720, possessed of the house and land, having devised the estate in his will to his wife, Elizabeth Palfrey. She died in 1721, having in her will devised the house and lot to her mother, widow Elizabeth Derby of Salem, a shopkeeper. Mrs. Derby, for one hundred and fifty pounds, conveyed the lot, house and sailmaker's shop to Thomas Dean of Salem, mariner, Jan. 7, 1726-7.§ Upon the lot at that time was a work shop of Warwick Palfrey. Captain Dean probably removed the house soon after.

Samuel Wakefield House. This house and lot belonged to Matthew Dove of Salem, planter, in 1661. For twenty-five pounds, he conveyed the estate to Samuel Wakefield of Boston, tailor, Nov. 26, 1687.|| Mr. Dove then lived in the house, and continued to live there as late as 1689.¶ Mr. Wakefield subsequently removed to Salem, and lived in this house. To his daughter, Anna Wakefield, of Salem, singlewoman, for love, he conveyed the western lower room in the house and part of the garden, for the

term of her life, March 26, 1728.* He died before Oct. 2, 1728, when administration was granted upon his estate. The house and lot, excepting what he had deeded to his daughter, was then appraised at one hundred and thirty pounds. For twenty-five pounds and eight shillings, the administrator of the estate of Mr. Wakefield conveyed the house and land, except the interest of his daughter (then Mrs. Anna (Wakefield) Brown), to Warwick Palfrey of Salem, sailmaker, Dec. 19, 1750;† and on the same day Robert Roundy of Beverly, weaver (who was the administrator of Mr. Wakefield's estate), conveyed to Mr. Palfrey the interest of said Anna.‡ At the time of the death of Mr. Palfrey in 1756, This house was occupied by Benjamin Bates, jr. In his will, Mr. Palfrey devised the house and lot to his wife for her life, and at her decease it became the estate of his young son Thomas Palfrey. The house, barn and land were then valued at two hundred and thirteen pounds, six shillings and eight pence. Thomas Palfrey took the house down Oct. 28, 1791. Under that date, Dr. William Bentley wrote: "Palfrey's House in Daniel's Lane taken down, very old, & infamous."‡

Richard Harris House. Matthew Dove of Salem, laborer, owned this lot as early as 1661. Mr. Richard Harris of Salem, mariner (probably son-in-law of Mr. Dove), had built a house upon it before April 7, 1680, when Mr. Dove conveyed the lot to him.§ Captain Harris removed to Boston, where he died in March, 1713-4, having devised, in his will, this house and lot to his daughter Susanna, in the following words: "Unto my Daughter Sufanna Harris my house and Land lying in the Town of Salem only my

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 10, leaf 177.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 32, leaf 115.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 33, leaf 118.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 46, leaf 54.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 12, leaf 141.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 9, leaf 8.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 51, leaf 53.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 95, leaf 214.

‡Journal of Dr. William Bentley, volume XIX, page 352.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 59.

Cousin Mary Welsh, her living in that part of it, wherein she now lives During her natural life, and if my Loving Wife shall judge it meet that the house should be Sold for the more and better maintenance of my Daughter Susanna then that it may be Sold, and the Effects thereof to be put out, that the Interest may be for the maintaining of my Daughter whom I leave to the Care of my Loving wife, in that She is a helpless Child, and during my wife's natural Life, my Wife to have the disposing of the Incomes of it, for the best advantage of my Child, and at the end of my Life my Daughter Susanna to enjoy the Incomes thereof during her natural Life, and if She decease without any Child the Incomes to be for my Daughter Hannah Palfrey and Elizabeth Dutch and their Children." The will, having but two witnesses, was disallowed as to the real estate. The property descended to the children. It seems that, notwithstanding she was a helpless child, she married a Mr. Row, and lived in Boston; apparently becoming a pauper. For twelve pounds and five shillings, paid to the overseers of the poor of Boston, under order of the general court of Dec. 19, 1739, they and she joined in a conveyance of the house and land to Samuel Smith of Salem, cordwainer, Nov. 4, 1742.* Mr. Smith died possessed of the estate before Aug. 7, 1769, when administration upon his estate was granted to his widow, Rebecca Smith. The estate was then described as "His Mansion House & about Eighteen Pole of Land under & adjoining," and appraised at one hundred and ten pounds. After the inventory of the estate was taken, Hannah Farrand, wife of James Farrand, mariner, and widow Hannah Collins, all of Boston, claimed two-thirds of the estate as heirs of Richard Harris. For fifty-eight pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence, they released the estate to Mrs. Smith, the widow

of Samuel Smith, Dec. 8, 1769.* Mrs. Smith, for forty pounds, conveyed the house and lot to her brother, John Lovett, 4th, of Beverly, mariner, Nov. 24, 1772;† and he reconveyed the estate to her Feb. 7, 1775.‡ Stephen Smith of Boston, cooper, grandson of Samuel Smith, deceased, conveyed one-fourth of the house and lot to Thomas Williams of Salem, mariner, Dec. 28, 1796.§ Mr. Williams released his interest in the estate to Walter Palfrey Jeffrey of Salem, mariner, Oct. 15, 1798;|| and the house was removed before 1806.

Jonathan Ager House. This lot was a part of the homestead of Richard Prince of Salem, tailor, before June 23, 1653, when he conveyed it to Arthur Kipping of Salem, fisherman.¶ Mr. Kippin conveyed this lot to Jonathan Ager of Salem, ship-carpenter, July 19, 1669.** Mr. Ager built a house upon the lot, and lived in it. For her dutiful carriage and behavior to him, and five pounds yearly, Mr. Ager conveyed the house and lot to his daughter Mary Ager April 28, 1709.†† She reconveyed the estate to her father Dec. 8, 1711;‡‡ and on the same day, in consideration of the grantee's marriage to the grantor's daughter Mary, he conveyed it to Elias Langsford of Salem, mariner, reserving the right to live in the house with them and the free use of the outhouse to build boats in for his lifetime.§§ Mr. Langsford removed to Boston, and, for forty pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Paul Mansfield of Salem, shoreman, Sept. 19, 1721.|||| Mr. Mansfield, for forty-five pounds, conveyed the estate to William Mansfield of Salem, mariner,

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 127, leaf 98.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 131, leaf 71.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 135, leaf 251.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 163, leaf 6.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 177, leaf 252.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 18.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 65.

††Essex Registry of Deeds, book 21, leaf 55.

‡‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 24, leaf 88.

§§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 24, leaf 91.

||||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 38, leaf 203.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 87, leaf 214.

Nov. 27, 1721.* Mr. Mansfield died in 1758; the house being described in the inventory of his estate, as "an old house," and valued, without the land, at six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence. The real estate was divided among the children April 6, 1773, the western half of the house being assigned to his daughter Susanna, wife of Gibson Clough, and the eastern half of the house and land to his son William Mansfield. The house was standing some years afterward.

Philip English House. This was the house and larger part of the homestead lot of half-an-acre of Richard Prince of Salem, tailor, before June 23, 1653, when he conveyed the entire homestead to Arthur Kipping of Salem, fisherman.† Martin Mezury of Salem, mariner, bought the estate Dec. 14, 1689; and, for forty-one pounds, conveyed it to Philip English of Salem, merchant, Dec. 18, 1699.‡ The house was standing in 1702, and was removed by Mr. English prior to his death, which occurred in 1735.

Lawrence Masury House. This lot was a portion of the homestead of Richard Prince of Salem, tailor, before June 23, 1653, when he conveyed it to Arthur Kippin of Salem, fisherman.† Mr. Kippin conveyed this lot to his daughter Mary and her husband Lawrence Masury of Salem May 20, 1673.§ Mr. Masury built a house upon the land and lived in it. He died about 1711, and his widow (?) Susannah married, secondly, John Wester of Salem, seaman. Mr. and Mrs. Wester, for thirty-two pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Daniel Rogers of Salem, mariner, Feb. 18, 1712-3.|| Mr. Rogers apparently took the old house down before 1724, when he died.

Thomas Jeggles House. This was the homestead of Thomas Jeggles at an early date. Ebenezer Giggles, spinster, Samuel

Foot, shoreman, Malachi Foot, shoreman, widow Elizabeth Felton, and Abigail Foot, spinster, all of Salem, and Mary Foot of Manchester, spinster, for five shillings, released their interest in the house and land to Isaac Foot of Salem, mariner, April 30, 1734.* Thomas Laskin of Salem, cooper, with consent of his wife Mary, for thirty-two pounds, mortgaged an undivided third part of the estate to Benjamin Pickman of Salem, merchant, being the easterly half of the house as far as the middle of the stock of chimneys, March 26, 1737.† Benjamin Pickman of Salem, esquire, for fifteen pounds, conveyed the same estate to John Magraw of Salem, mariner, March 29, 1771.‡ The house, of which these notes are but a part of its history, was gone before 1779.

John Ormes House. This house and lot belonged to John Ormes, sr., in 1661. He died before 1702, when his widow possessed the house and land. Subsequently, his daughter, widow Mary Dowry, owned the estate. The house was probably gone soon afterward.

Thomas Day House. This house and lot belonged to Thomas Day in 1661. He was deceased in 1702; and his grandson John Day of Salem, only surviving son of John Day, of Salem, mariner, deceased, for three pounds, conveyed the house and land to John Collier, sr., of Salem, baker, another grandson of Thomas Day, July 11, 1702.§ Widow Mary Colefax, formerly of Salem, now of Boston, for twenty shillings, released her interest in the house and land to Mr. Collier, then a mariner, Feb. 6, 1710-1.|| Mr. Collier, then of Marblehead, mariner, for ten pounds and ten shillings, conveyed this lot to widow Mary Poulden of Salem March 1, 1710-1, the house being gone.||

Samuel Gardner House. This house and land were owned by George Gardner

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 39, leaf 85.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 18.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 230.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 20.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 26, leaf 84.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 66, leaf 132.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 76, leaf 2.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 122, leaf 136.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 14, leaf 268.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 23, leaf 107.

in 1661. He died Aug. 20, 1679, possessed of the estate, and in his will he devised it to his son Capt. Samuel Gardner, who was then living in the house. The house and other buildings and land were valued at two hundred and seventy pounds. His "cousin" (probably son of his sister), John Buttolph, was living in the house March 4, 1701-2, when Captain Gardner conveyed the estate, for love, to his daughter Hannah and her husband, John Higginson, 3d, of Salem.* Mrs. Higginson died in 1713, and Mr. Higginson in 1718. The estate was then let to Bullock, and——appraised at one hundred and eighty pounds. In the division of his real estate, this house and lot, with the bake house, were assigned to his daughters, Elizabeth, wife of Rev. Benjamin Prescott of Salem, and Sarah Higginson, equally. For one hundred and ninety pounds, Mr. and Mrs. Prescott conveyed the house and lot to Richard Elvins of Salem, baker, April 10, 1721;† though Sarah Higginson did not release her interest in the estate to Mr. Prescott until June 9, 1725, when, for one hundred pounds, she conveyed the same to him.‡ For fifty pounds, Mr. Elvins conveyed the house and lot to Josiah Orne of Salem, mariner, Aug. 30, 1744.§ Mr. Orne conveyed the estate to John Carrel of Salem, fisherman, Nov. 8, 1748.¶ Mr. Orne subsequently brought a suit-at-law against Mr. Carrel, and this estate was assigned to Mr. Orne, in satisfaction of the judgment that he recovered against Mr. Carrel, Sept. 23, 1756.¶ Mr. Orne, for forty-six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence, conveyed the house and lot to John Webb of Salem, cordwainer, April 26, 1757; ** and Mr. Webb removed the house soon after, probably before 1764.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 14, leaf 267, book 15, leaf 70.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 38, leaf 211.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 44, leaf 192.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 85, leaf 253.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 90, leaf 275.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 103, leaf 118.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 112, leaf 182.

Samuel Foot House. This house was standing in 1661, and was with the land the property of Lt. George Gardner. His daughter Mary married Habakkuk Turner in 1670, and they lived in this house. Mr. Gardner died Aug. 20, 1679, having, in his will, devised this estate to his daughter Mary and her husband for their joint lives, and then to such of their children as Mr. Turner should give it after him. The house and lot were then appraised at ninety pounds. Mr. Turner died in 1685; and the estate was valued, in the inventory of his estate, at sixty pounds. Mrs. Turner survived him, and probably died before Oct. 13, 1698, when their only surviving child, Robert Turner, of Wethersfield, Conn., for forty pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Samuel Foot of Salem.* Mr. Foot died in 1741; and the house and lot descended to his heirs. The house was gone before 1799, when the heirs sold the land.

Nathaniel Ingersoll House. This lot was a part of the land conveyed by Timothy Laskin to Robert Gray of Salem before 29 : 7 : 1656, when Mr. Gray conveyed it to John Ingersoll of Salem.† Mr. Ingersoll's son Nathaniel built a house upon the lot, and died, possessed of the house, in 1683. The father died later, in the same year, leaving this lot to his son Nathaniel's widow for her life, and at her decease to her son Nathaniel. The house was valued at eighty pounds and the land at six pounds. Nathaniel's son Nathaniel died in 1704, and the latter's estate was inherited by his brother John Ingersoll of Lynn, husbandman, and his sister Elizabeth. The latter probably conveyed her interest in this part of the estate of her brother Nathaniel to her brother John Ingersoll before May 9, 1710, when the latter, for eleven pounds, conveyed his interest in the estate to Lawrence Knight of Salem, mariner.‡ Mr. Knight apparently removed the house

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 217.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 24.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 21, leaf 194.

and built a new one upon the lot before his death, which occurred in 1729.

Samuel Ingersoll House. This lot was a part of the land conveyed by Timothy Laskin to Robert Gray of Salem before 29: 7: 1656, when Mr. Gray conveyed it to John Ingersoll of Salem.* Mr. Ingersoll's son John built a house upon the lot about 1670; and the father died in 1683, having, in his will, devised the lot to his son John. John Ingersoll was a mariner, and lived here. He died in 1694, possessed of the house and lot, which were then valued at sixty pounds. The estate was divided in 1695, this house and lot becoming the property of John Ingersoll's son Samuel. Samuel Ingersoll owned the house in 1702; and the house was apparently gone soon after.

Richard Ingersoll House. This lot was a part of the land conveyed by Timothy Laskin to Robert Gray of Salem before 29: 7: 1656, when Mr. Gray conveyed it to John Ingersoll of Salem.* Mr. Ingersoll's son Richard built a house upon the lot about 1675; and died, possessed of the house, in 1683. The father died later, in the same year, having, in his will, devised the lot to the widow of his son Richard, for her life, and then to the latter's son Richard. Sarah, widow of Richard Ingersoll, married, secondly, Joseph Procter of Ipswich, yeoman, before Dec. 24, 1701, when she released her interest in the estate to her son Richard Ingersoll.† The last-named Richard Ingersoll died prior to July 1, 1708, when administration upon his estate was granted to his widow, Ruth Ingersoll. The next owners of this house and lot, of record, are widow Elizabeth Hinchy and William Burrows, frame maker, both of Boston, and John Burrows of Killinsgly, Conn., joiner, who, for thirty-four pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence, conveyed the estate to Jonathan Very of Salem, cordwainer, Nov. 6, 1751.‡ For forty

pounds, Mr. Very conveyed the house and lot to widow Elizabeth Valpy of Salem April 24, 1753;* and, for ten pounds, Mrs. Valpy conveyed the western half of the house and land to her son Abraham Valpy of Salem, fisherman, March 31, 1767.† The house stood end to the street, facing the south, the front door being in the middle. Abigail Very subsequently owned the eastern part of the house and lot, and William Cabot of Brooklyn, N. Y., merchant, Francis Cowell of Boston, and wife Hannah, and Susanna Lowell, spinster, for eighty pounds, conveyed the same westerly half of the "old dwelling house" to Abigail Very, singlewoman, Feb. 1, 1802.‡ The house was probably gone soon afterward.

Estate of Richard Rose House. That part of this lot lying easterly of the dashes was a part of the land conveyed by Timothy Laskin to Robert Gray of Salem before 29: 7: 1656, when Mr. Gray conveyed it to John Ingersoll of Salem.§ Mr. Ingersoll gave this lot, by deed, to his daughter Ruth and her husband Richard Rose Oct. 30, 1672.¶ Mr. Rose had already built a house upon the lot.

That part of this lot lying westerly of the dashes was owned by John Swasey before 15: 1: 1652, when he conveyed it to widow Dorothy King of Salem.¶ Mrs. King conveyed it to Thomas Johnson and Thomas Reignolds Oct. 21, 1653;** and Mr. Reignolds released his interest in it to Mr. Johnson Feb. 20, 1653-4.†† Mr. Johnson conveyed it to Adam Westgate 29: 6: 1654.‡‡ Mr. Westgate was of Salem, mariner, and conveyed the lot to Walter Mountjoy of Salem, fisherman, Jan. 26, 1675-6.‡‡ For twelve pounds, Mr. Mountjoy conveyed it to Richard Rose, who owned and lived on the other

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 24.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 14, leaf 218.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 96, leaf 273.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 98, leaf 141.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 121, leaf 76.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 171, leaf 70.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 24.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 163.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 17.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 20.

††Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 24.

‡‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 129.

part of the lot, being a mariner, April 20, 1678.*

Mr. Rose thus became the owner of the entire lot. He died in 1684, possessed of the house and lot, which were then valued at eighty pounds. He left four children, Richard, Ruth, John and Judith. The sons died before 1707, and Judith died between that date and 1715. The surviving child, Ruth, wife of William Hibbert, late of Salem, then of Portsmouth, N. H., clothier, conveyed the house and lot to Benjamin Walker of Boston, merchant, May 18, 1715.† Mr. Walker, for seventy pounds, conveyed the same estate to John Berry of Salem, mariner, Dec. 7, 1722.‡ Mr. Berry died in 1746, having removed the old house apparently.

Samuel Ingersoll Lot. This was a part of the land conveyed by Timothy Laskin to Robert Gray of Salem before 29: 7: 1656, when Mr. Gray conveyed it to John Ingersoll of Salem.§ Mr. Ingersoll died, possessed of this and the adjoining lot to the south, in 1683; having in his will devised to his son John Ingersoll the northern half of the barn and this lot. Mr. Ingersoll died possessed of the same real estate in 1694. It was then appraised at twenty pounds. It became the property of his son Samuel Ingersoll, who owned it until 1715.

Estate of Samuel Ingersoll House. This was the house and part of the lot of land conveyed by Timothy Laskin to Robert Gray of Salem before 29: 7: 1656, when Mr. Gray, for forty-five pounds, conveyed the house and entire lot, including all land on that side of Daniels street from Essex street to the South river, to John Ingersoll of Salem.§ Mr. Ingersoll died, possessed of this part of the estate, in 1683; having devised it, with the southern half of the barn, to his son Samuel Ingersoll. This portion of the estate was appraised at sixty-five pounds. Samuel Ingersoll lived here, and died,

possessed of the same estate, Nov. 19, 1696. It was then appraised at fifty-five pounds. Apparently the surviving child was Sarah, wife of Josiah Orne of Salem, cordwainer, who, for twenty pounds, conveyed the estate to Thomas Beadle of Salem Oct. 22, 1715.* The house was apparently removed by Mr. Beadle before his death, which occurred in 1734.

Mary Ingersoll House. This was a part of the lot of land conveyed by John Swasey of Salem to widow Dorothy King of Salem 15: 1: 1652.† Mrs. King conveyed it to Thomas Johnson and Thomas Reignolds Oct. 21, 1653;‡ and Mr. Reignolds released his interest in it to Mr. Johnson Feb. 20, 1653-4.§ Mr. Johnson conveyed it to Adam Westgate 29: 6: 1654.§ Mr. Westgate was of Salem, mariner, and conveyed the lot to Walter Mountjoy (also Munjoy) of Salem, fisherman, Jan. 26, 1675-6.¶ Mr. Mountjoy built a house upon it, and lived in it. He died, possessed of the estate, before July 29, 1684, when administration upon his estate was granted to his widow. The "dwelling house and land, and little outhouse" were then appraised at sixty pounds. A suit at law was brought against the estate by Thomas Ives of Salem, slaughterer, and judgment obtained in due course. The execution that was issued on the judgment was levied on this house and land, which were duly set off to Mr. Ives, the judgment creditor, April 18, 1685, being valued at sixty pounds.¶ Mr. Ives, for sixty-eight pounds, conveyed the estate to Mr. Thomas Beadle of Salem, mariner, May 19, 1685.** Mr. Beadle became a tavern-keeper, the county court sometimes sitting in this house. The court of oyer and terminer, which tried the alleged witches, in 1692, held some of its sessions here.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 18.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 31, leaf 103.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 40, leaf 203.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 24.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 29, leaf 133.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 17.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 20.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 24.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 129.

¶Ipswich Deeds, book 5, page 220.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 34.

Mr. Beadle conveyed "my now dwelling house" and lot to John Robinson, sr., of Salem, tailor, June 18, 1695,* and moved across the street. Mr. Robinson apparently conveyed the estate to Richard King of Salem, slaughterer, before Oct. 18, 1697. Mr. King, for sixty pounds, conveyed the house, shop and land to widow Mary Ingersoll of Salem Feb. 21, 1697-8.† Mrs. Ingersoll lived in this house, and died in June, 1711, possessed of the estate, having devised it to her daughter Mary, wife of George Cox. Her son, John Cox, built an addition of considerable size on the north end of the house in 1725; and died possessed of it before April 17, 1733, when his mother, or his administratrix, conveyed that part of the house to Abraham Valpey of Salem, mariner, for fifty pounds.‡ She, also, conveyed to Mr. Valpey, on the same day, for twenty-five pounds, a part of her house, next to the new part built by her son John, and which she had conveyed to Mr. Valpey, the line running through the stack of chimneys.§

The northern part of the house and lot that had been conveyed to Mr. Valpey, was mortgaged by him to John Cabot of Salem, merchant, April 17, 1733.¶ The mortgage, evidently, was foreclosed; and John Cabot's sons, Francis Cabot and Joseph Cabot, both of Salem, merchants, who, with widow Hannah Cabot of Salem, for forty-three pounds, six shillings and eight pence, conveyed that part of the house and lot to John Crowninshield of Salem, mariner, Nov. 28, 1752.¶ John Crowninshield of Salem, shipwright, for thirty-nine pounds, six shillings and eight pence, conveyed the same estate to William Wyatt of Salem, mariner, Nov. 10, 1756.** For eighty-nine pounds and sixteen shillings, Mr. Wyatt conveyed it

to James Cheever of Salem, mariner, Feb 14, 1765.*

Mrs. Mary Cox continued to own the southern part of the house and lot as late as 1753, probably until her decease, before 1759. Sarah (Cox) Beans, widow, and her daughter, Mary Beans, jr., spinster, both of Salem, conveyed their interest in this part of the house and lot to Joseph Brown of Salem, mariner, son of William Brown of Salem, deceased (who paid debts of the estate of David Cox of Salem, deceased), for five shillings, March 22, 1759.† Mr. Brown died in 1763, possessed of that part of the house and lot.

James Cheever and Sarah Brown, widow of Joseph Brown, both of Salem, unitedly released the entire estate, for eight hundred dollars, to Joseph Brown of Salem, mariner, probably son of Joseph Brown, deceased, Aug. 24, 1799.‡ Mr. Brown died in 1831, possessed of the house and lot, which were then appraised at one thousand dollars. His administrator, for nine hundred and sixty dollars, conveyed the estate to Nathaniel Weston of Salem, master-mariner, June 8, 1832.§ For fifteen hundred dollars, Mr. Weston conveyed the house and lot to Julia A., wife of Samuel C. Weston of Salem Aug. 24, 1866.¶ Mrs. Weston took the old house down immediately after her purchase of the estate, and erected the present house upon the same site. The old house stood end to the street with the front door on the western side midway of the house. It was a plain, two-story house, with a pitch roof.

Thomas Downing House. John Swasey conveyed that part of this lot lying east of the dashes with the house thereon to widow Dorothy King of Salem 15: 1: 1652.¶ Mrs. King conveyed the same estate to Thomas Johnson and Thomas

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 148.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 12, leaf 146.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 63, leaf 49.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 64, leaf 14.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 64, leaf 15.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 101, leaf 123.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 104, leaf 26.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 115, leaf 187.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 109, leaf 216.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 262, leaf 52.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 265, leaf 181.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 709, leaf 38.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 17.

Reignolds Oct. 21, 1653.* Mr. Reignolds released his interest in the property to Mr. Johnson Feb. 20, 1653-4.† Mr. Johnson conveyed the house and lot to Adam Westgate 29 : 6 : 1654.† Mr. Westgate lived in Salem, mariner, and gave, by deed, the house and entire lot to his son John Westgate April 3, 1685.‡ John Westgate was of Salem, mariner, and, for sixty pounds and nine shillings, mortgaged the house and land to Lt. Thomas Gardner of Salem Nov. 17, 1690.§ The estate came into the possession of Adam Westgate again, and he conveyed the same to Nicholas Chattwell of Salem, mariner, before May 4, 1698, when, for sixty pounds, the latter conveyed the house, orchard and garden to Thomas Downing of Salem, merchant.|| Mr. Downing died in 1702, having, in her will, devised his homestead, housing and wharf after the decease of his wife, to his kinsman Richard Downing who then dwelt with him. The dwelling house, shop and frame standing at the end of the shop and five-eighths of an acre of land were then appraised at two hundred pounds. In the house is mentioned the kitchen, kitchen chamber, hall, hall chamber, leanto, etc. Richard Downing removed to Andover, being a cooper, and conveyed the house, orchard, garden, etc., to Warwick Palfrey of Salem, sailmaker, for one hundred and thirty-five pounds, Nov. 17, 1721.¶ Mr. Palfrey died in 1756, having devised "the dwelling house I now live in with the land under it and the yard garden and land belonging with the warehouse thereon" to his eldest son Warwick Palfrey. How much longer the house stood is unknown; but it was probably the property of the latter's grandson, Thomas Palfrey, in 1800.

Christopher Phelps House. This lot belonged to Timothy Laskin in 1653, and

to Christopher Phelps in 1661 and 1698. The house was standing upon the lot in 1661. Mr. Phelps died about 1700. Widow Lydia Carkett (or Curkeet) of Salem owned it in 1702; and, for sixty pounds, conveyed the "old dwelling house" and lot to Paul Mansfield, jr., of Salem, mariner, May 16, 1717.* For eighty pounds, Mr. Mansfield conveyed the estate to John Mansfield of Salem, mariner, Nov. 18, 1720.† Mr. Mansfield died in 1736, possessed of the estate. His widow, Mary Mansfield, married John Trask Dec. 1, 1736, and she was the latter's widow Sept. 19, 1753, when she, who then lived in Newbury, and her "sons," John Mansfield of Salisbury, cordwainer, and John Wiat of Newbury, ship-carpenter, for sixty pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Jonathan Mansfield of Lynn, blacksmith.‡ Mr. Jonathan Mansfield, for sixty-seven pounds, six shillings and eight pence, conveyed the house and lot to William Webster of Salem, mariner, Dec. 24, 1753.§ Mr. Webster probably took down the old house immediately after his purchase of it.

Estate of Michael Chapleman House. This lot belonged to Paul Mansfield of Salem, fisherman, very early. For forty-five shillings, he conveyed it to Samuel Robinson of Salem, baker, on condition that the grantee should not convey it to any one but the lawful posterity of grantee or of his wife Constance, April 7, 1661.|| Mr. Robinson built a house upon the land, and, for sixty-five pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Michael Chapleman of Salem, seaman, April 7, 1669.¶ Mr. Chapleman died May 7, 1692, possessed of the estate. The house and land were then valued at forty-five pounds; in 1700 they were valued at thirty-eight pounds. For thirty pounds, the administrator of his estate conveyed the house and lot to

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 20.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 24.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 24.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 173.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 15.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 41, leaf 261.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 31, leaf 211.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 38, leaf 113.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 97, leaf 324.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 98, leaf 162.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 14.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 55.

Nathaniel Silsbee, jr., of Salem, joiner, Jan. 5, 1700-1*. Mr. Silsbee died Jan. 2, 1769, having devised this estate to his son William Silsbee of Salem, housewright. William Silsbee died in 1783, having, in his will, devised the house and lot to his wife Joanna Silsbee. Mrs. Silsbee died Feb. 25, 1793, possessed of the estate. Two of her children apparently released their interest in the property to their sister, widow Martha Babbidge of Salem, before Oct. 5, 1798, when she and her son, Christopher Babbidge of Salem, mariner, conveyed three-fifths of the estate to Samuel Townsend of Salem, mariner.† Another of the children and heirs of Mrs. Silsbee probably released his or her share of the house and lot to Mansfield Burrill, jr., of Salem, housewright, husband or son of Mrs. Silsbee's daughter Joanna, before Oct. 5, 1798, when, for four hundred and eighty dollars, he conveyed two-fifths of the estate to Mr. Townsend.‡ Mr. Townsend was lost at sea in 1801, being possessed of the house and lot. He devised it, in his will, to his wife, Mercy Townsend. Mrs. Townsend, for eighteen hundred and fifty dollars, conveyed the estate to her daughter, Widow Mercy Upton of Salem, Sept. 20, 1838.‡ Mrs. Upton died in 1855, possessed of the house and lot, having devised the estate to her daughter Eliza M. Upton for life, and then to the testatrix' sons, Moses I. Upton and John P. Upton. The house is still standing and belongs to the Upton heirs. The old house as it now appears is shown on the opposite page. The front end is new.

Simon Willard House. This lot belonged to Paul Mansfield in 1661, and to Thomas Ives, with the house thereon, about 1671. Mr. Ives died in 1695, possessed of the house and lot, which were then mortgaged to Mr. Turner, and appraised at ninety-five pounds. The house then had northern and southern rooms down stairs and chambers over them,

kitchen, kitchen chamber, etc. Mr. Ives' widow, Elizabeth (Metcalf) Ives, married, secondly, John White Jan. 16, 1695-6. She was administratrix of Mr. Ives' estate, and with her husband, John White of Salem, slaughterer, for ninety-five pounds, conveyed the same to Capt. Simon Willard of Salem, shoreman, March 27, 1699.* Captain Willard, weaver alias shoreman, for one hundred and seventy pounds, conveyed "my now dwelling house," etc., to his son Josiah Willard of Salem, innholder, Jan. 6, 1728-9.†

Mr. Willard, shoreman, for eighty-five pounds, conveyed the northerly half of the house and lot to his brother Richard Willard of Salem, mariner, June 11, 1729;‡ and, on the same day, the latter, for sixty pounds, mortgaged the northern half of the estate to Capt. Thomas Ellis of Salem, mariner.§ The mortgage was foreclosed apparently by Captain Ellis, who had removed to Beverly. He died in 1743, having devised his real estate, after the decease of his wife Sarah, to his four sons, James, Francis, Richard and Samuel. In the inventory of his estate, the house is valued at twenty-eight pounds and the land at forty-six pounds and sixteen shillings. The sons, James, Francis and Samuel Ellis, died without issue, and their mother, Sarah Ellis of Beverly, released the house and lot to her son Richard Ellis of Beverly, ship-joiner, March 28, 1757.¶ On the same day, Mr. Ellis, for sixty pounds, conveyed the estate to Joseph Hodges of Salem, merchant.¶

Dea. Josiah Willard died April 7, 1731, possessed of the southern half of the house and lot, which was then appraised at eighty-five pounds, being rented by Jacob Willard. Deacon Willard's children, Josiah Willard, sailmaker, and widow Mary Johnson, both of Boston, for thirteen pounds, six shillings and eight pence, con-

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 14, leaf 136.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 164, leaf 138.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 309, leaf 163.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 31, leaf 152.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 46, leaf 269.

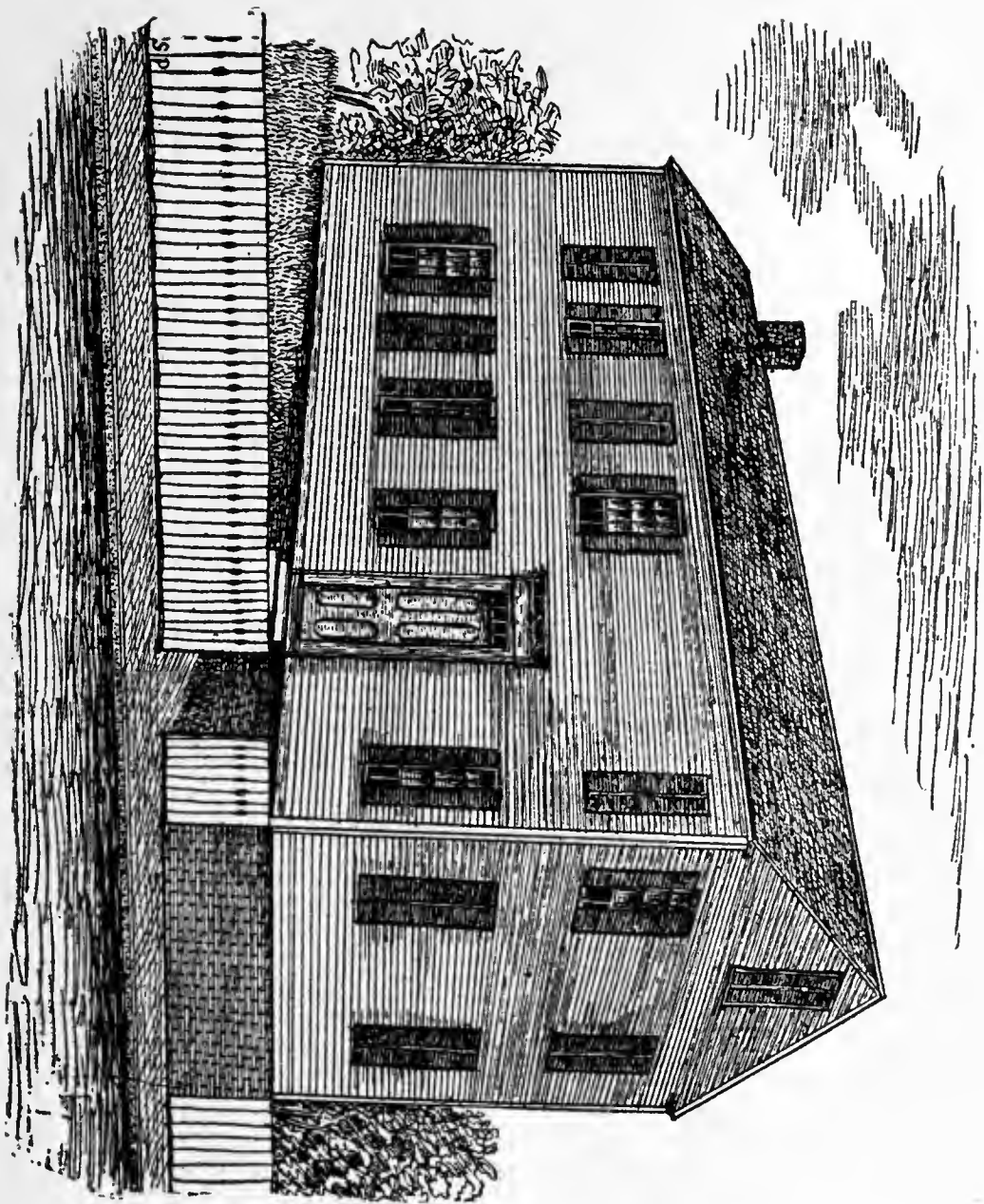
‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 55, leaf 42.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 55, leaf 280.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 103, leaf 235.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 103, leaf 236.

MICHAEL CHAPLEMAN HOUSE.



veyed this part of the house and lot to Captain Hodges (called "mariner" in this deed) May 18, 1750.*

Thus Captain Hodges became the owner of the entire house and lot. For two hundred pounds, he conveyed the estate to Jonathan Andrew of Salem, tanner, March 6, 1780.† Nathaniel Vincent, mariner, and Sarah Vincent, both of Salem, released the same estate to Mr. Andrew (then called a trader), for eighty dollars, July 28, 1818.‡ Gamaliel Hodges, mariner, and Ward Chipman, trader, and wife Mary, in her right, for two hundred dollars, also quitclaimed the estate to Mr. Andrew Oct. 30, 1818.§ Mr. Andrew died April 18, 1844, having, in his will, devised this house and lot to his niece Mrs. Sarah Narbonne of Salem. Mrs. Narbonne died, a widow, March 13, 1890, having, in her will, devised the estate to her daughter Mary Andrew Narbonne. Miss Narbonne lived in the house until her decease, March 21, 1905, when the estate descended to her brother's son, the only heir-at-law, Gardner H. Narbonne of Los Angeles, Cal.

The frontispiece of this number of *The Antiquarian* is a view of this ancient house as it now appears.

Timothy Laskin House. This lot belonged to Paul Mansfield in 1674; and he conveyed the lot to Timothy Laskin of Salem, cooper, May 15, 1688.¶ The house which subsequently stood upon the lot was probably built about that time. Mr. Laskin died, possessed of the house and lot, in 1700; and the title descended to his only child, Thomas Laskin. Thomas Laskin of Salem, cooper, conveyed "the homestead" house and land to Paul Mansfield of Salem, mariner, Nov. 18, 1708.¶ There was then standing upon the lot a cooper shop, which the grantor had liberty to remove by the terms of the deed.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 94, leaf 248.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 137, leaf 177.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 216, leaf 233.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 219, leaf 67.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 14, leaf 192.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 19, leaf 223.

The house was standing about 1737, but how much longer is uncertain.

Benjamin Stone House. This lot belonged to Paul Mansfield of Salem, fisherman, very early. For fourteen pounds, he conveyed that part of it lying westerly of the dashes to William Reeves of Salem, butcher, Jan. 2, 1670-1.* Mr. Reeves built the house upon the lot immediately after his purchase, and, for seventy pounds, conveyed the house and land to Robert Stone of Salem, seaman, March 10, 1674-5.*

That part of the lot easterly of the dashes was evidently conveyed by Mr. Mansfield to George Holland of Boston and his wife Sarah in 1675; and, for eighteen pounds, Mr. and Mrs. Holland conveyed it to Mr. Stone Jan. 6, 1676.† Timothy Laskin of Salem, cooper, for five shillings, released this part of the lot to Mr. Stone Sept. 20, 1688.‡

Thus Mr. Stone became the owner of the house and the entire lot. He died, possessed of the estate, in 1690. In the division of his real estate, this part of it was assigned to his son Benjamin Stone. Benjamin Stone died, possessed of it, Nov 30, 1703. It was then appraised at one hundred pounds. By the will of Mr. Stone, the estate passed to children of his brothers Samuel Stone and Robert Stone and of his sister Sarah Manning, namely: to Samuel, Robert, Elizabeth, Katherine, Mary and Sarah, children of Samuel Stone; Robert, Jacob, Elizabeth, Sarah, Richard and Benjamin, children of Sarah Manning; and Robert, son of Robert Stone. A division of the house and land occurred before 1720, though it was not done in writing until Feb. 7, 1728,§ the southern half being assigned to Samuel Stone for his children's share, and the northern half to Jacob Manning for his children by his wife Sarah (Stone). The dividing line ran through the stack of chimneys. Samuel Stone, who was of

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 117.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 152.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 99.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 53, leaf 267.

Salem, bricklayer, for fifty pounds, conveyed the southern half to Jacob Manning, who was then of Salem, gunsmith, and a resident of this house, Jan. 21, 1719-20.* Mr. Manning's children continued to own the northern half of the house and lot. Between the date of Benjamin Stone's will and his death three more children had been born to his sister Sarah Manning, and three had died before Dec. 13, 1722, when an agreement and conveyance was made by which this part of the house and lot became the property of Sarah Manning, Katherine, wife of John Berry, and Mary Manning, all of Salem.† The three owners of this part, or one hundred and thirty-three pounds, conveyed it to their brother Samuel Manning of Salem, gunsmith, Oct. 25, 1730.‡ Samuel Manning removed to Oxford, and conveyed the same part of the estate to John Hodges of Salem, mariner, May 20, 1749.§ How much longer the house stood is not known to the writer.

Benjamin Small House. This land belonged to Paul Mansfield of Salem, fisherman, in 1670. For ten pounds, he conveyed this lot to Benjamin Small of Salem, sailmaker, Feb. 15, 1674.|| Mr. Small died about 1700; and the house was standing Nov. 3, 1752, when Mr. Small's granddaughter, Hepzibeth Small of Boston, spinster, for five pounds, six shillings and eight pence, conveyed one-half of the house and land to John Hodges of Salem, mariner.¶

Ruth Langsford Lot. This land belonged to Paul Mansfield very early, and he died possessed of it in 1696, having devised it, in his will, to his daughter Ruth Langsford. She owned it until Jan. 21, 1715-6, when she conveyed it, for sixteen pounds and three shillings, to William Tozer of Salem, fisherman.**

Damaris Tozer House. This land belonged early to Paul Mansfield; and his daughter Mrs. Damaris Tozer built a house on it about 1685. In his will, at his death in 1696, her father devised this lot to her. She died between 1702 and 1728; and the house was apparently gone before 1761.

Rebecca Mansfield Lot. This was early the land of Paul Mansfield, and he died, possessed of it, in 1696, having devised it, in his will, to his daughter Rebecca Mansfield. She married Edward Ball of Boston, rigger, Aug. 4, 1712; and they conveyed the lot to William Tozer of Salem, fisherman, Oct. 29, 1718.*

Abigail Hooper Lot. This land was early the property of Paul Mansfield, and he died, possessed of it, in 1696, having devised it to his daughter Abigail, wife of William Hooper of Marblehead, fisherman, with the barn thereon. She owned it until after 1718.

Estate of Paul Mansfield House. This was the house and lot of Paul Mansfield in 1661, being his homestead. He died in 1696, having, in his will, devised this lot and house to his eldest son John Mansfield, for his life, and then to the legal heirs of his body. John Mansfield died without issue, and the estate descended to the children and heirs of his father, viz: Paul Mansfield, mariner, Ruth Langsford, Damaris Tozer and Rebecca Mansfield, all of Salem, who, for twenty pounds, conveyed their interest in the house and lot to William Hooper of Marblehead, fisherman, husband of their sister Abigail, Feb. 10, 1699-1700.† Mr. Hooper, for twenty pounds, reconveyed the estate to the grantors Feb. 12, 1701-2.‡ Paul Mansfield, Damaris Tozer and Rebecca Mansfield (who had married Edward Ball of Boston, rigger, in 1712), for fourteen pounds and seventeen shillings, conveyed their interest in the house and land to their sister, widow Ruth

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 36, leaf 219.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 40, leaf 205.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 55, leaf 212.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 93, leaf 139.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 101.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 98, leaf 46.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 27, leaf 225.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 33, leaf 239.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 231.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 15, leaf 19.

Langsford of Salem, Jan. 18, 1715.* For thirty-one pounds, Mrs. Langsford conveyed the land and buildings to Samuel Elsey of Salem, mariner, April 15, 1718.† The house was apparently gone soon after.

WILL OF DANIEL REA.

The will of Daniel Rea of Salem was proved in the court at Salem 24: 4: 1662. The following is a copy of the original paper which was proved as and for his last will and is on file in the office of the clerk of courts at Salem, volume VIII, leaf 16.

Whereas there hath beene a Will begun to be made by Daniell Rea of Salem, lately deceased, but he not being able to finish it, whereby great inconvenience is like to arise to his Children, if it be left as it is, Wee therefore whose names are vnderwritten, takeing it into our Consideration, haue made this our Joynt Conclusion & Agreement, (if the Honored Court || now Assembled || please to Accept of, & Confirme the same)

in Manner as followeth.

ffirst, that his sonne Joshua Rea shall haue y^e Improuement of the whole farme, where he lives, & when his sonne Daniel is growne vp to y^e Age of Twenty one yeares, he shall haue halfe y^e farme, & his father to haue y^e other halfe, dureing y^e terme of his owne life, & also of his wives widdowhood, in Case f he should outlive him, & then that halfe also to be his sonne Daniells, & fo y^e said Daniel then to haue y^e whole farme, which is y^e proper Will of y^e Testator.

Secondly, that y^e said Joshua Rea shall haue the vse & improvement of the feventeene Acres of land, lying on Salem North River, vntill his two daughters, Rebecca & Sarah, exprest in y^e will, shall attaine to y^e age of fixteene yeares, & then they to haue y^e land with y^e improvement of y^e same equally divided betwixt them.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 29, leaf 236.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 33, leaf 211.

Thirdly that y^e said Joshua Rea, shall haue also the one Acre & halfe on the South Rivers fide in Salem, as his proper right, to dispose of as he shall see cause.

ffourthly, that his sonne Thomas Lothrop, & his wife, shall haue the ffarme, Comonly Called Captaine Dampports farme, as their proper right, to dispose of, as they please, provided that the five pound, paid already by me to Capt. Dampport, in a Cowe, be allowed me out of y^e other estate.

ffifthly that our Mother shall haue y^e Thirds, of all of this Estate, dureing her life.

Lastly, for the rest of y^e Estate, we leave it to the wifedome of the Honoured Court, to dispose of the same, as they shall thinke best, according to lawe.

This aboue writing or agreement is by the Court alowed of & is to be as the Courts determination & ordering of the estate of Danyell Ray deceased being consented || there || to by y^e children of y^e deceased in Court at Salem 24: 4^{mo} 1662

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WILL OF JOHN ROW.

The will of John Row of Gloucester was proved in the court held at Salem 24: 4: 1662. The following is a copy of the original instrument on file in the office of the clerk of courts at Salem, volume VIII, leaf 26.

In the name of god Amen:

I John Row in my will and Testament; being in my perfect sences doe giue and Refine my soule to god that gaue it: and my Body to the earth to be Buried; and my goods: I despoise of;

As ffolloweth:

I giue all my wholle estat which god hath bestowed upon me; to my wife and my to sonns; That is to say to my wife; and my sonne John; and my Sonn huah; to be equally deuided Betweene them and to euery one a like: and as for my wife: if her third part of goods will not main-

taine her ; it is my will y^t my too fonn^s shall maintaine her all her dais ; if in case shee liue unmarried ; And if she doe mary, what goods she haue at her decease shall be equally deuided to my to fonn^s : That is to say what estate she haue ; at her day of mariage ; and if either of thefe to fonn^s dye unmarried his estat shalbe his Brothers that doe Remaine a liue : and in wittnes hereof I fet my hand ;

Dated y^e : 15th : of

y^e : 8 : m^o : 1661 :

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John Collens Junier :

WILL OF ROBERT GRAY.

The will of Robert Gray of Salem was proved in the court at Salem 25 : 4 : 1662. The following is a copy of the original instrument on file in the office of the clerk of courts at Salem, volume VIII, leaf 29.

The last will and testament of Rob : Gray of Salem being sick in bodie but of pfect vnderstandinge is as followeth

Impmis I giue vnto my daught^r Elizabeth Gray that peece of grounde runninge alonge by the fide of m^r Endicotts and buttinge against Thomas oliuers

It: I giue vnto my son Ioseph my barne and one quarter of an aker of grounde to it to be laid out for him at the discretion of my ouerfeer

It: to my son Robert I giue my kitchin with som grounde vnto it reseruing a conuenient paffage for my wife into the orchard and to the well which I also referu to be laide out at the discretion of my ouerfeers

It: I giue vnto my other three children Bethiah Hannah and mary my third pt of the Ketch to be foulded and equallie diuided amonge them

It: I giue vnto my seru^{ant} Elizabeth Wicks : three pownds provided shee dwell with my wife to the end of the next somer

It: I : giue to George Hodgis a quadrant a fore staffe a gunters scale and a p of Compaffis

And for the rest of my estate what foeuer I giue and bequeathe it vnto my beloued wife Elizabeth Gray whom I make executrix of this my last will and testament and doe apoynt my beloued friends m^r John Brown and Henry Bartholmew the overfeers of this my last will and testament

in witnes here vnto I haue fet my hande the first of the iith m^o 1661

witnis

John Browne

Robert Gray

Henry Bartholmew

BLASHFIELD NOTE.

Thomas Blashfield¹ lived in Beverly, fisherman and husbandman, as early as 1676 ; he married Abigail Hibbert March 28, 1676 ; he died — ; she died, his widow, Feb. 27, 1725, aged about seventy-five years ; children, born in Beverly : 1. *Henry*,² born Nov. 19, 1692 ; cooper ; lived in Beverly ; married, first, Miss Mary Morgan Dec. 29, 1720 ; she died Nov. 14, 1740, aged forty-four ; he married, second, Lydia Lovett (published March 1, 1741) ; she was his wife in 1760 ; he died April 15, 1778, aged eighty-six ; children, born in Beverly : 1. William,³ born Nov. 26, 1721 ; baptized Nov. 25, 1721 ; 2. Henry,³ born Nov. 21, 1722 ; died Oct. 9, 1726 ; 3. Mary,³ born Nov. 4, 1724 ; died Oct. 1, 1726 ; 4. Mary,³ born Oct. 2, 1726 ; died in 1736, of throat distemper ; 5. Sarah,³ born Dec. 23, 1728 ; 6. Joan (Jane),³ born Dec. 10, 1730 ; 7. Abigail,³ baptized Feb. 4, 1732-3 ; died of the throat distemper in 1736 ; 8. Abigail³, born Feb. 2, 1734-5 : died in 1736, of throat distemper ; 9. Benjamin,³ born Oct. 4, 1736 ; married Martha Smith Feb. 6, 1759 ; he died at Statia in 1759 ; 10. Mercy,³ born May 24, 1740 ; married Joseph Wood of Beverly June 26, 1760 ; they were living in 1782 ; 11. Mary,³ born Feb. 3, 1741-2 ; married Thomas

Simmonds April 8, 1764; 12. Abigail,³ born in 1744-5; baptized Feb. 3, 1744-5; 13. Henry,³ born July 21, 1747. 2. Luke,² baptized June 27, 1703; lived in Beverly: married Rose Trenance Dec. 1, 1720; perhaps removed to Brimfield; children, born in Beverly: 1. John,³ born July 1, 1722; 2. Luke,³ born Sept. 14, 1724; 3. Abigail,³ born Nov. 15, 1726; 4. Rose,³ born June 3, 1729; died young; 5. Elizabeth,³ baptized Jan. 28, 1732-3; 6. Martha,³ baptized Sept. 12, 1736; married Joseph Woodbury June 10, 1762; 7. Rose,³ baptized Oct. 7, 1739.—*Records.*

THOMAS PURCHAS OF PEJEPSCOT.

BY CHARLES EDWARD BANKS, M. D.

In 1889, at a celebration held by the town of Brunswick, Maine, in commemoration of its settlement, the late William M. Sargent, esq., of Portland, read an interesting paper entitled "Thomas Purchas, the Founder of Brunswick; Additional Light upon his Family Connections, Home and Patent," in which, as a result of his painstaking researches and clear antiquarian acumen, he demonstrated conclusively the marital relations of Thomas Purchas, a demonstration verified by extracts from legal documents, as he states, "to straighten out the relationships of his family, confusion which has been worse confounded by the fact that there were three Thomas Purchases; that two of them married women whose christian names were Elizabeth; that there were three Elizabeth Purchases, two of whom married men each named John Blany; and that two of Purchas' sons married sisters surnamed Williams." It will be sufficient to state for the purposes of this communication that Thomas Purchas, who was born about 1576 and died in Lynn, Mass., in 1678, a centenarian, married, first, Mary Gove (who died 1655), and, second, Elizabeth, widow of Richard Pike of Falmouth, Maine, and that after the death of Purchas she married, November, 1679, for her third hus-

band, John Blany, sr., of Lynn. The object of this paper is to identify the second wife, widow Elizabeth Pike, the mother of all his children, and I quote the following extracts from a document recorded in the old Norfolk records which first gave me a clue to a conclusive answer: Jane Mackworth, widow, formerly widow of Samuel Andrews of Falmouth, on February 7th, 1669-70, gave a certain tract of land in Falmouth, as a belated marriage portion, to her daughter Phillippa, wife of George Felt, jr., who had been married to Phillippa Andrews November 25, 1662. This land was at Mussel cove in Falmouth, and bounded "upon the southwest side of *my Daughter purchas*, her land, which was given her by my Deceased husband Mr. Arthur Mackworth." (Old Norfolk Records, IV, 95; comp. *ibid.*, IV, 77). This conveyance, recorded in a distant registry, was unknown to Mr. Sargent, or he would have seen its import at once.

Mr. Samuel Andrews "Citizen of London," and his wife Jane came to New England, in 1635, with two daughters, Jane and Elizabeth, aged three and two years respectively (G. R., XIV, 309, 310), accompanied by a maid servant. He had two other children, a son James, born in 1635, and daughter Phillippa, who became the wife of George Felt. Samuel Andrews dying shortly after the emigration, the widow married Mr. Arthur Mackworth of Falmouth, by whom she had a second set of children. At his death, Mackworth left his property to their children and her Andrews children (Willis' History of Portland, I, 32, 75, 165). Among this property was land at Mussel cove, Falmouth.

Contemporaneously, in Falmouth, was a Richard Pike, said to have been previously of Newbury, 1655 (Savage, III, 436), and it will be shown that he married Elizabeth Andrews, the two-year-old daughter of Samuel and Jane, brought over in 1635, and resided at Mussel cove until his death. No dates are accessible, as the early Falmouth records were de-

stroyed during the Indian wars. Probably he married her when she was about 20 years of age (1653), and they had one child, a son, Samuel, who, in 1688, claimed in a petition that his father, Richard Pike, deceased, had been possessor of a tract of land on the west side of Mussel cove.

After the death of Pike, Elizabeth Andrews married old Thomas Purchas, whose first wife had died 7th of November, 1656, in Boston (Savage). Supposing an immediate marriage to have taken place, say 1657, Thomas Purchas was at that time eighty years of age, and his wife Elizabeth, twenty, a discrepancy of fifty-six years.* Purchas was a large landed proprietor, the owner of the great Pejepscot patent, and if she became the bride of his old age under expectation of a short wedded life and an early inheritance of his property, she was doomed to disappointment for he survived twenty years and she bore him five children. This number is now known by name and accounted for though not named in his will; but in the fifth "article" of that instrument an apparent discrepancy occurs, in which he refers "to the said Eliza; & her six children." It is now clear that the additional child was Samuel Pike, the issue of her first marriage, a fact abundantly proved by Mr. Sargent in his paper.

Now to confirm this I quote from a deed executed, in 1716, by the children of this Samuel Pike, then deceased, in which they conveyed their interest in his estate at Mussel cove, Falmouth, "being an equall share with the shares of Mrs. Mackworth's children in the whole of it," and the tract is described as "adjoyning George ffelts land" (York Deeds, IX, 207, 208). That is to say, they inherited certain land at Mussel cove which descended to them in equal shares with the children of Mrs. Jane Andrews-Mackworth, through her daughter Elizabeth Pike, and this land adjoining the land at

Mussel cove given by Mrs. Mackworth to Phillippa Felt is the land referred to as "My Daughter purchas her land." Mrs. Elizabeth (Andrews) Pike-Purchas soon after fell a victim to Cupid's wiles and in November, 1679, took a third husband, John Blany, sr., of Lynn. The children who conveyed this title in 1716 were Richard Pike, blacksmith (wife Elizabeth), Nathaniel Pike, shipwright (wife Margaret), Mary (Pike) Gray, widow, and Mary Pike, widow, their mother, all of Salem (York Deeds, IX, 207).

The Purchas children are as follows: I. Thomas,² married Elizabeth Williams, daughter of John, of Salem, 3: 10: 1679; and had Thomas³, born 20 Jan., 1680, making three of the name at that date. Thomas² was lost at sea before 1684, and legally declared dead. II. Jane², married Oliver Elkins. III. Elizabeth,² married John Blany, jr. IV. Abraham,² married Ruth Williams, daughter of John, of Salem, and had Ruth, born 10 June, 1702; and Benjamin, born 2 March, 1706. V. Sarah,² married Gamaliel Phippen.

NOTES.

William Clark of Marblehead, block-maker, and his wife Rebecca, daughter of Henry Blashfield of Lynn, deceased, testate, 1757.—*Registry of deeds*.

Abigail Blashfield married Jonathan Wheeler, both of Beverly, June 20, 1704.—*Beverly town records*.

John Blashfield published to Mary Rea, both of Salem, Feb. 14, 1741.—*Salem town records*.

Mrs. Anna Blatchford married Edward Higgins, jr., (record) Aug. 31, 1797.—*Gloucester town records*.

John Curtice Blachford married Lucy Staniford, both of Ipswich, March 19, 1787; and she died, suddenly, Sept. 24, 1790, aged thirty-three.—*Ipswich town records*.

John Blanchford, a sojourner, married "Mrs." Mary Morgan — 7, 1771. Chil-

*He died 1 May, 1678, at Lynn, and on the 11th of May his widow Elizabeth, in a petition, stated that he was one hundred and one years old, which Savage thinks an exaggeration.

dren: 1. —, born June 26, 1773; died June 26, 1773, lived a few minutes; 2. —, stillborn Jan. —, 1775.

Hannah, daughter of Samuel and Polly Blatchford, baptized Sept. 21, 1794 [Amesbury?].

Mary Blancford died Oct. 7, 1792.

—*Gloucester church records.*

Samuel Blachford married Lydia Clarke (record) March 30, 1785; lived in Gloucester, fisherman, 1793, when she was his wife.—*Records.*

Samuel Blatchford of Gloucester, mariner, 1782.—*Registry of deeds.*

Henry Blatchford, mariner, 1793, 1796, and fisherman, 1792; lived in Gloucester, 1791-1796; married "Mrs." Hannah Gammage both of Sandy Bay, March 15, 1791; children, born in Gloucester: 1. Henry, born April 10, 1792; 2. Ebenezer, born March 10, 1796.—*Records.*

SUFFOLK COUNTY DEEDS.

VOLUME II.

The following are abstracts of all records in volume II of the Suffolk county registry of deeds relating to Essex county persons and property, where parties are given as residing, or property is mentioned as being located in Essex county. The records in this volume cover the period from 1654 to 1656.

David Wheeler of Newberry mortgaged to William Francklin of Boston, iron-monger, "All y^t my Dwelling house & fower acres of inclosed land whereon It standeth six Acres of dyuided Lande & three acres of medow lying by pyne Iland, Creeke in Newberry afore said one Cow & a Calfe & one quarter parte of y^e barke caled the Dulphin of newberry of y^e burthen of 18 tonnes or there abouts wth one quarter part of all her Apparrell tackell & furniture," July 15, 1654.—*Page 42.*

Roger Spencer of Charlestowne conveyed to Thomas Savadge "one shallop now Rydeing and beinge in the harbor of marble head with all my part in y^e Cargoe

in y^e said shallop," for the benefit of his creditors, Jan. 27, 1654.—*Page 108.*

Nathaniel Newgate testified that Mr. John Hart of London had "fish in y^e hands of m^r William Browne of Salem," March 3, 1654.—*Page 124.*

Bond of George Halsall of Boston, smith, to Capt. Robert Keyne of Boston, in behalf of the undertakers of ye Iron works, Jan. 30, 1654. Witnesses: John Coggen and mark I of Thomas Wiggins of Lynn.—*Page 147.*

Bond of George Tucker, William Galsery, Anthony Peatell and George Crosscume, all of Marblehead, fishermen, to Arthur Gill of Boston, shipwright, £80, Oct. 13, 1653. Conditioned to pay £80 in codfish. Witnesses: Edward Goodwyn and Mr. Nathaniell Souther.—*Page 165.*

A "certaine parcell of Iron to come from Lynn in Henry vanes boate" to Boston; 1655.—*Page 179.*

Nathaniel Rogers of Ipswich and William Barthelmew entered upon the dwelling house of Joshua ffoote, deceased, and took possession of the estate for Mr. Rob^t Crane of Cogshall, Essex county, England, which does now belong to said Nathaniel Rogers and to his brethren Samuell Ezechiell and Tymothy Rogers of Ipswich, 9 mo: 1: 1655. Witnesses: Samuel Danforth and others.—*Page 210.*

Nehemiah Bourne of London, esquire, appointed his loving friends Jn^o Leverett of Boston, merchant, and Wm. Bartholomew of Ipswich, merchant, his general attorneys, March 26, 1655.—*Page 211.*

Symon Bradstreet of Andover was partner with Edward Burt of Charleton in a salt work at Nahant, which partnership they dissolved, and Burt is to make salt at Charleton, Dec. 13, 1652.—*Page 256.*

Robert Burgis, Nicholas Potter, John Tarbox, Joseph Mansfeild and John Hawthorne, all of Lynn, for £14, 11s., 8d., mortgaged to Capt. Thomas Savage of Boston 583 acres of land in Braintry which was given by Boston to the undertakers of the Iron works and in their possession, but since levied on by execution on a judgment obtained before Capt.

Robert Bridges for debts due to the mortgagors, Jan. 8, 1655. Witnesses: Mathew ffarrington and John Newhall. Joseph Armitage signed as assignee of John Tarbox, and Robert Mansfeild as assignee of Joseph Mansfeild. Acknowledged before Jo Endecott, governor, 11: 18: 1655. The wives of the mortgagors released their interests in the land.—*Page 265.*

Mr. John Beck & Company, undertakers of the Iron works at Lynn, were granted by Boston 2860 acres of land at Brantrey and also 140 acres of land, and were sued in Salem court, with John Gifford, their agent, 9: 28: 1654, by Edward Baker and Daniell Salmon, who recovered judgments and satisfaction secured by levy on said land. Said Baker and Salmon mortgaged the land thus obtained to Capt. Thomas Savage of Boston, merchant, Jan. 7, 1655. Witnesses: John Hathorne, Robert Howard and Joseph Armitage.—*Page 266.*

Thomas Wiggins (his T mark) of Line, for £35, conveyed to Thomas Savage "one ffurnace Bellowes, wheelles, floudgates Dame pond & all matterials & appur^{ces} as it is now there & app^rtaineing too & about the said ffurnace also two old houses & two hundred Acres of Land next adjoyning & lying about the said ffurnace which aforesaid ffurnace houses & land and pond was obtajned & Levied by vertue of a execution granted against the Estate of m^r John Bex & Company vndertakers of the Iron workes," etc., Sept. 25, 1655. Witnesses: Joseph Jewett and John Hawthorne.—*Page 271.*

Edward Baker, William Tingle (his M mark), Daniel Salmon, John Hill and Joseph Armitage, all of Line, for £25, 10s., conveyed to Thomas Savage old house and land near the draw bridge in Boston, which we obtained by execution against the estate of John Bex & Company of undertakers of the Iron works, judgment of Salem court Nov. 8, 1654, April 11, 1655. Witnesses: William Paddy, Thos: Emons, John Hawthorne, Richard Staines, William Whitwell and

Richard Knight. William Tingle and John Hill acknowledged by their attorneys Daniel Salmon and Joseph Armitage 27: 2: 1655, before Humphray Atharton. John Hill acknowledged 4: 11 mo: 1655, before Jo: Endecott, governor.—*Page 271.*

James Smith of Marblehead "doe giue & bequeath after my decease vnto myne only Sonne James Smith liueing at Bristoll in old England, all that pcell of Land Comonly Called by the name of Castle hill, w^{ch} I purchased of Elias Stileman Senio^r of Salem, & also halfe an Acre of Marsh more or Lesse w^{ch} I purchased of Thomas Moore of Salem" by deed dated Dec. 13, 1652; and "also ten Acres of jmpruoved Land more w^{ch} I bought of m^r Gott Deacon of Salem, Lyeing in the south feild of Salem, butting vpon the south River, against the aforesaid Land Called Castlehill, & on the North East vpon Salem harbour, the w^{ch} aforesaid pcells of Land, is now in y^e tenno^r & occupacon of Samuell Cutler," with the houses, barns, orchards, gardens, etc., thereon, June 13, 1656. Signed by mark R. Witnesses: William Hudson and John ffirnside, who made oath to the execution before Rich^d Bellingham, deputy-governor.—*Page 273.*

Bond of Thomas Marshall of Lynne to Mr. Jn^o Floyd of Boston, shopkeeper, £32, Sept. 30, 1656. Witnesses: Thomas Baker (his T. B. mark) and Jn^o Sanford.—*Page 293.*

William Pitts of Marblehead, merchant, mortgaged, for £106, to Robert Brick of Boston, merchant, house, warehouse, wharf and land in Boston, Jan. 10, 1654. Witnesses: Willm Hile and mark (W W) of Willm Water.—*Page 300.*

Samuell Bennett of Lynn and his wife Sarah, for £355, conveyed to George Wallis, gentleman, now resident in New England, farm house, barn and land at Rumly marsh, Boston, the house being called Rumly Hall, Dec. 3, 1656. Witnesses: Edward Hutchinson, sr., Abraham Browell and W^m Bridgewater. Acknowledged before Ri Bellingham,

deputy-governor, 10: 10: 1656.—Page 310.

Thomas Venner, late of Boston, New England, now of London, England, cooper, and wife Alice, for £150, conveyed to John Lowle of Boston, cooper, "our mansion and dwelling howse Scitua^t and being in the high street in Boston, . . . together with y^e land on w^{ch} little Chamber y^t m^r Ralph flogg heretofore of Salem built is Included," 9: 2 mo: 1656.—Page 315a.

NOTES.

SALEM, June 27.

We hear from Beverly, that a few Days since died there, after a long Indisposition, Mrs. CHIPMAN, aged about 62, Wife of the Rev. Mr. JOHN CHIPMAN, one of the Ministers of that Town; a Lady of a fair and worthy Character.

Ipswich, June 22.

It gives us a noble Prospect to see what a Spirit of Industry and Frugality prevails, at this Day, in the American young Ladies; and Generosity towards their Gospel Ministers; it seems as if they were determined fully to copy after King Solomon's virtuous Woman, whose Price is above Rubies, in seeking Wool and Flax—working willingly with their Hands;—in laying their Hands to the Spindle, and their Hands holding the Distaff, &c. As to their *generous Spinning Matches*, the Publick have been favoured with the Publication of divers Instances; and it is likely will soon have many more.

Yesterday Morning, very early, the young Ladies in that Parish of this Town called *Chebacco*, to the Number of 77, assembled at the House of the Rev'd Mr. John Cleaveland, with their Spinning-Wheels; and though the Weather, that Day, was extremely hot, and divers of the young Ladies were but about 13 Years of Age, yet by six o'Clock, in the Afternoon, they spun, of Linen Yarn 440 Knots, and carded and spun, of Cotton 730 Knots, and of Tow 600, in all 1770 Knots, which make 177 ten-knot Skeins, all good

Yarn, and generously gave their Work and some bro't Cotton and Flax with them, more than they spun themselves, as a Present; and several of the People were kind and generous upon this Occasion. And it may be worthy of noting, that one spun of good Linen Yarn 52 Knots, and another of Cotton 60 Knots, it being carded for her.

After the Mufick of the Wheels was over, Mr. *Cleaveland* entertained them with a Sermon on Prov. 14. 1. *Every wife Woman buildeth her House; but the foolish plucketh it down with her Hands*;—which he concluded, by observing, How the Women might recover to this Country the full and free Enjoyment of all our Rights, Properties and Privileges, (which is more than the Men have been able to do): And so have the Honour of building, not only their own, but the Houses of many Thousands, and, perhaps, prevent the Ruin of the whole British Empire, viz. *By living upon, as far as possible, only the Produce of this Country; and to be sure to lay aside the Use of all foreign Teas. Also, by wearing, as far as possible, only Cloathing of this Country's manufacturing.*

Their Behaviour was decent,—and they manifested nothing but Pleasure and Satisfaction in their Countenances at their retiring, as well as through the whole preceeding Transactions of the Day.

Wenham, June 23, 1769.

On Tuesday last, came early in the Morning a Number of young Women to the House of the Rev'd Joseph Swain, with Flax, Wool, and Wheels, in order to spend the Day in spinning, which they did till 6 o'Clock, P. M. with Cheerfulness, Discretion, and Industry. Their Diligence and Industry, in the Business of the Day, will appear by comparing the Number of Spinners and the Quantity of the Yarn spun. The Spinners were in Number 38; the Quantity of Yarn was 75 Run: All which they generously gave to him and Family, besides a considerable Quantity of Flax and Wool, which was left unspun.

The Merchants and Traders of the Town of SALEM, are requested to meet at the King's-Arms, at 7 o'Clock, this Evening. As there is some Buusiness of Consequence to be considered of, it is hoped there will be a general Attendance.
June 27.

—*Essex Gazette, June 20-27, 1769.*

John Blatchford, a sojourner, married Rachel Clark Jan. 7, 1755. Children: Molly, born June —, 17—, baptized June 19, 1757; John, baptized Sept. 2, 1759; William, baptized Aug. 2, 1761; Rachel, baptized Oct. 23, 1763; Samuel, baptized May 26, 1765; Nathaniel, baptized Sept. 20, 1767; Jonathan, baptized June 30, 1771.

Nathaniel Blatchford married "Mrs." Nabby Cloughlin, both of Sandy Bay, Oct. 2 (3—*church records*), 1790. Children: James and Nathaniel, baptized Nov. 23, 1794.

John Blatchford married Anna Grover March 4, 1784; child: Rachel, baptized June 15, 1787.

—*Gloucester records.*

William, son of John Blachford, baptized Sept. 14, 1788.—*Gloucester church records.*

William Blay lived in Haverhill, 1724-1743; cordwainer; married Lydia Chase of Newbury Nov. 5, 1724; he died in 1743; his will, dated Feb. 22, 1738-9, was proved Sept. 19, 1743; she survived him, and was his widow and a tailor when she sold the homestead in Haverhill in 1752; children, born in Haverhill: 1. Mary, born Oct. 14, 1725; married Nathaniel Blasdil, both of Newbury, Jan. 14, 1744-5; 2. Lydia, born Dec. 21, 1726; living in 1739; 3. Abigail, born July 27, 1729; married Noah West, both of Newbury, Oct. 16, 1745; 4. Anne, born May 18, 1731; living in 1739; 5. Ruth, born May 11, 1733; died Nov. 17, 1735; 6. Ealie, born Jan. 21, 1734-5; died Nov. 9, 1735; 7. Ruth, born June 10, 1737.—*Records.*

Hannah Blaxton married Benjamin White Feb. 11, 1710-1.—*Marblehead town records.*

Charles Blechynden, esq., of Salem, collector of the port and naval officers, 1722.—*Registry of deeds.*

Mr. Blinman of Gloucester, 1657.—*Court records.*

Children of Richard and Mary Blynman: Jeremiah, born July 20, 1642; Ezekell, born Nov. 11, 1643; Azarikam, born 2: 11 mo: 1646.—*Gloucester town records.*

Margaret Blish published to Stephen Perkins Sept. 26, 1719.—*Ipswich town records.*

Abraham Blish (also Blush), late of Boston, now of Ipswich, married Margaret Sergant, now resident at Ipswich (published Oct. 30, 1707). He was a felt-maker, and lived in Ipswich, 1707-1713. She was his wife in 1713.

John Blethen lived in Lynn in 1659, when he bought house and land in Salem, and removed thereto; husbandman; married Jane Marker May 10, 1674; he died in the winter of 1704-5, his will, dated Nov. 8, 1704, being proved Feb. 19, 1704-5; she survived him, being "aged" in 1705; children: John, born in Salem March 14, 1676-7; married Mary Robinson (widow?) of Salem July 29, 1701; wife Mary, 1704-5; lived in Swansey in 1716; husbandman; Jane, living in 1705; Elizabeth, living in 1705; Sarah, living in 1705; Abigail, living in 1705; Hannah, living in 1705.

—*Records.*

George Abbot, No. 44, pages 129 and 130 of Volume I of *The Antiquarian*, does not belong to this family. He is George Abbot, No. 291, on page 96 of the same volume. This George lived in Marblehead a year.—*Miss Charlotte H. Abbott, Andover.*

It was Hannah (Adams) Muncey's (No. 6, page 87, volume II of *The Antiquarian*) son John Muncey's widow Hannah who married John Kimball.—*William Lincoln Palmer, Cambridge.*

Jonathan Blodgett married Mary Rowlandson of Salisbury Feb. 7, 1687-8. Children: Hannah, born June 15, 1689; Daniel, born Sept. 12, 1691; Mary, born Oct. 11, 1692; Joseph, born Aug. 12,

1694; died Nov. 15, 1696.—*Salisbury town records.*

Samuel Blodget lived in Haverhill, 1748-1793; trader, 1750-1753; esquire, 1792, 1793; married Hannah White of Haverhill District Dec. 29, 1748. Children: Sarah, born Oct. 27, 1749; Abigail, born April 20, 1751; Nathan, born Feb. 9, 1753.—*Records.*

Phineas Blogget married Mary Maine, Nov. 12, 1797. Children: Hannah and Nabby (twins), baptized April 15, 1798.—*Marblehead records.*

Anne Blogget married William Steele, both of Chebacco in Ipswich, Dec. 16, 1731.

Mary Blogget published to Moses Foster, both of Chebacco in Ipswich, Dec. 16, 1732.

—*Ipswich town records.*

Thomas Bloomfield lived in Newbury, 1642-1667; moved to Woodbridge, N. J., about 1668, when he was living there; wife Mary, 1668. Children, born in Newbury: Mary, born Jan. 15, 1642; married Jonathan Singletary; Sarah, born Dec. ult., 1643; John, born March 15, 1645; Thomas, born Dec. 12, 1648; Nathaniel, born April 10, 1651; Ezekiel, born Nov. 1, 1653; Rebeca, born May 4, 1656; Ruth, born July 4, 1659; Thomas (Timothy?), born April 1, 1664.—*Records.*

Thomas, son of Thomas and Rhoda Blumfield, born Jan. 23, 1757.—*Amesbury town records.*

Francis Bloyd married Jane Machpheidris Nov. 7, 1723.—*Gloucester town records.*

Thomas Blomfield of Newbury, an early settler, died in 1639, leaving a lame daughter and son Thomas, who had children: Mary, born Jan. 15, 1642; Sarah, Dec. 30, 1643; John, March 15, 1646; Thomas, Dec. 12, 1648; Nathaniel, April 10, 1651; Ezekiel, Nov. 1, 1653; Rebecca, 1656; Ruth, July 4, 1659; and Timothy, April 1, 1664. He removed to Woodbridge, N. J., in 1665; and his son Thomas was representative there.

Richard Blood of Lynn had Sarah, born June —, 1648; Nathaniel, April —, 1650; and Hannah.

Richard Blinman of Gloucester, 1641, came from Chepstow, in county Monmouth. There he had preached and with much effect, came first to Plymouth, in 1640. Was made freeman Oct. 7, 1641. By wife Mary he had Jeremiah, born July 20, 1642; Ezekiel, born Nov. 11, 1643; and Azrikam, born Jan. 2, 1646. Removed to New London in October, 1650; then to New Haven; and returned to England in 1659. He died at Bristol "in a good old age."

George Bliss of Lynn removed to Sandwich in 1637.

Henry Blomfield of Salem in 1638.

—*Savage.*

Jonathan Blodgett and his wife Mary and children: Mary and Thadeus, came from Woburn to Boxford to live in 1768; and had daughter Charlotte, baptized April 23, 1769.—*Boxford records.*

Mary Blodgett married Sam^l Preston, sr., Sept. 24, 1713.—*Andover town records.*

Daniel Blockston married Miss Hannah Horn, both of Newburyport, Nov. 19, 1764.—*Newburyport town records.*

Abigail Blodel married Joseph Coats, March 7, 1796.

Elizabeth, wife of James Blood, died beginning of December, 1676.

—*Lynn town records.*

Richard Blood lived in Lynn, 1648-1666; yeoman, 1660, 1661; wife Isabel, 1661; children, born in Lynn: Sarah, born 4 mo: 1648; Hannah, born 1 mo: 164—; Nathaniel, born 2 mo: 1650.

Rev. Thomas Blowers son of Pyam and Elizabeth (Belcher) Blowers of Cambridge, was born Aug. 1, 1677; graduated at Harvard college in 1695; ordained over the church in Beverly Oct. 29, 1701; married Emma (Elliot), widow of — Woodbury of Beverly July 3, 1702; he died in Beverly June 17, 1729; and she survived him, being his widow in 1755, having removed to Boston be-

tween 1750 and 1755. In his will, Mr. Blowers gave certain silverware and books to his children, and to the first church of Christ in Beverly fifteen pounds to purchase a piece of plate for the communion table. Children, born in Beverly: Pyam, born Jan. 12, 1703-4, living in 1729; Emma, born Nov. 23, 1705; married John Charnock of Boston June 11, 1724; and died Oct. 6, 1786; Thomas, born June 22, 1708, "at 6 o'clock p. m., Tuesday," living in 1729; John, born Jan. 1, 1710-1; lived in Boston; and died July 13, 1748; Elizabeth, born Oct. 14, 1712, married Rev. Joseph Champney Oct. 1, 1730, and died Jan. 13, 1732; Andrew, born Feb. 6, 1714-5; living in 1729.

Edmund March Blunt, printer, lived in Newburyport, 1796, 1797; married Miss Sally Ross of Newbury (published Dec. 20, 1793); and had son Joseph born in Newburyport Feb. 10, 1796.

—*Records.*

"John Whitfoot alias Blancqpie, the son of Nicholas Blancqpie of Jersey, dwelling in St. Maryes Parish, husbandman, and now living in Salem, in New England as y^e settled place of my abode, and having received here in New England of my brother Phillip Blancqpie," etc., conveyed to said Philip the message said Nicholas now lives on in said parish Nov. 18, 1678.—*Registry of deeds.*

Aaron Blanchpee (also Blomphe and Blomphee) married Mary Wooldridge Dec. 12, 1751; and had children: Aaron, baptized Oct. 22, 1752; Mary, baptized June 15, 1755; Sarah, baptized Dec. 4, 1757; Ann, baptized May 18, 1760.

Aaron Blomphy married Sarah Hooper May 21, 1778.

Sarah Blompy published to Richard Wright April 10, 1779.

—*Marblehead records.*

Aaron Blumper died Oct. 30, 1797.—*Newburyport town records.*

John Blydenburgh, M. A., married Miss Hannah Moody of Newbury Feb. 26, 1779; and she died in Byfield of child-bed fever, etc., Feb. 19, 1780, at the age

of twenty.—*Newbury town records and Byfield church records.*

Sarah Blumpy published to James Stone Oct. 4, 1776.

Mary Blumpy married Samuel Coes Oct. 7, 1781.

—*Danvers town records.*

Abigail, daughter of John and Abigail Blowers, baptized Feb. 12, 1720-1.—*First church (Salem) records.*

Children of Francis Blithe, baptized: Francis, Oct. 18, 1724; William, Nov. 7, 1724; Mary, May 7, 1727.—*Gloucester church records.*

James Bly lived in Newbury from 1732 until 1735, when he removed to Amesbury; from thence in 1740, he removed to Haverhill; was living in Haverhill in 1749; probably removed to Plastow, N. H., before 1755, and was living there in 1757; housewright and yeoman; married Joanna Hadley of Amesbury April 2, 1731; children: Mary, born April 24, 1732, in Newbury; Joanna, born Feb. 28, 1733, in Newbury; Sarah, born Sept. 4, 1736, in Amesbury; Hannah, born Nov. 15, 1738, in Amesbury; Ann, born Feb. 19, 1740-1, in Haverhill; John, born March 31, 1743, in Haverhill; Susanna, born Sept. 30, 1745, in Haverhill.

John Bly, born about 1637, remembered things in Salem from 1653 to 1700; lived in Salem as late as 1709; brick-maker (Savage); married Rebecca Golt* 11:9 mo: 1663; she aged about seventy in 1713; children, born in Salem: John, born Jan. 27, 1665; living in 1685; Benjamin, born 8:8: 1666; Mary, born May 25, 1668; Rebecca, born July 20, 1670; married James Gillingham May 22, 1692; Edmond, born 14:7: 1672; living in 1685; Hannah, born 8:8: 1674; William, born 17:7: 1676.

Samuel Bly married Lois Ivery Dec. 19, 1678, in Lynn; lived in Lynn; he died there Dec. 31, 1793; his widow, Lois, married, secondly, Ezekiel Rogers Sept. 20, 1694; and, third, Joseph Bass; she

*She mentions "my father Robbins" in 1685. Mr. Bly mentions "my father-in-law Thomas Robbins."

was living in 1708; children: Ruth, unmarried, of Lynn, 1708; Dorothy, unmarried, of Lynn, 1708; Theophilus, died June 12, 1681; Samuel, born June 6, 1686; of Boston, joiner, 1708.

—*Records.*

William Blye¹ of Portsmouth, N. H., married Susannah Wood of Ipswich (published Jan. 30, 1702); she died, his widow, in Ipswich Feb. 1, 1727; children: 1. Susannah,² born Aug. 2, 1713; 2. Hannah,² born March 11, 1715-6; published to John Wilcomb of Ipswich Nov. 25, 1738; 3. John,² born 16:1:1718; lived in Ipswich; married Sarah Day of Ipswich (published Jan. 3, 1744; she died in Ipswich Feb. 1, 1789, aged seventy-two; he died Feb. 27, 1789; children: John,³ baptized Feb. 7, 1747; Sarah,³ baptized July 29, 1750; married Benjamin Averill of Ipswich Nov. 9 1769; John,³ baptized April 26, 1752; Mary,³ baptized Oct. 18, 1755.

Elizabeth Blye died May 9, 1722.

—*Ipswich records.*

Mary Blyth married Richard Pike, both of Salem, Nov. 12, 1772.—*Salem town records.*

William Boardman¹ had sons: 1. John,² yeoman; lived in Lynn, 1740-1800; married Eunice Cheever Jan. 8, 1740-1; his will dated May 23, 1799, was proved Nov. 5, 1800; children, born in Lynn: 1. Abiah³ (daughter), born Sept. 23, 1741; 2. Eunice,³ born March 29, 1743; 3. John,³ born Aug. 18, 1745; lived in Boston, trader, 1773, and in Lynn, cordwainer, 1790; married Susanna Norwood (published Feb. 23, 1771) in Lynn; he died about 1790; and she died, administration being granted July 11, 1793, when she lived in Ipswich; her estate was appraised at £293, 3s., 9d.; child: John Burrage,⁴ born about 1780; cordwainer; lived in Lynn; died in 1803, probably childless; 4. Lois,³ born Aug. 13, 1747; married Benjamin Goldthwait of Malden March 3, 1767; he lived in Boston in 1799; 5. Ivory,³ born Aug. 5, 1749; living in 1799; 6. Sarah,³ born Jan. 12, 1752; unmarried in 1803; 2.

Samuel,² cordwainer; lived in Lynn, 1763-1780; married Abigail ———; she survived him, and died in Saugus March 17, 1816; children: 1. Samuel,³ born July 27, 1763; gentleman; lived in Lynn, 1786-1805; married Rachel Brown of Lynn May 30, 1786; administration granted on his estate July 22, 1805; children: 1. Samuel,⁴ born July 14, 1786; living in 1807; 2. Ezra,⁴ born Dec. 1, 1788; living, 1807; 3. Peter,⁴ born May 23, 1791; living in 1807; 4. Rachel,⁴ born Sept. 12, 1793; living in 1807; 5. Sarah,⁴ born Jan. 11, 1796; was living in 1807; 6. Henry,⁴ born about 1798; living in 1807; 7. Washington,⁴ born about 1802; living, 1822; 2. Jonathan,³ born June 10, 1765, lived in Lynn, 1803, in Saugus, 1816-1825; cordwainer, 1816, yeoman, 1825; died Sept. —, 1825; no children; 3. Elizabeth,³ born Sept. 9, 1767; of Lynn, 1803; unmarried, 1827; 4. Darius,³ born Aug. 14, 1769; of Boston, gentleman, in 1816; living in 1827; 5. William,³ born May 22, 1771; lived in Lynn, 1797, 1803, in Saugus, 1816; cordwainer in 1797; living in 1827.

Aaron Boardman, yeoman, lived in Chelsea, 1754-1781, and in Lynn, 1790-1800; married Mary Cheever of Lynn Sept. 26, 1754; he died about 1799; administration was granted on his estate April 8, 1800; she survived him; children: 1. Abijah, of Lynn, husbandman, 1799, 1800; 2. Huldah, unmarried in 1800; 3. Mary, married ——— Bryant before 1800; 4. Aaron, of Chelsea, yeoman, 1799, and removed to Reading in 1800; 5. Eunice, married ——— Floyd before 1800; 6. Lydia, unmarried in 1800; 7. Rhoda, non compos, unmarried, and of Lynn, 1800; living in 1806.

—*Records.*

Samuel Borman (of Ipswich?), 1651.

Thomas Boardman of Salisbury, trader, 1773, 1776, 1788; merchant, 1784.

Ivory Boardman of Lynn, yeoman, wife Mary, 1784.

Jacob Boardman of Newburyport, gentlemen, 1777.

Ivory Boardman of Lynn, laborer, 1784.

Ivory Boardman of Lynn, husbandman, 1775.

Ivory Boardman, jr., of Lynn, cordwainer, 1798, 1799.

William Boardman, jr., of Newburyport, mariner, and wife Mary, 1792.

James Boardman of Salem, fisherman, and wife Mary, daughter of Richard Palmer of Salem, shoreman, deceased, 1797, 1799.

—*Registry of deeds.*

Elizabeth, daughter of John Boardman, baptized Nov. 28, 1779.—*Topsfield church records.*

John Howe Pollard Boardman, son of Elizabeth Jewett, born July 1, 1788.—*Ipswich town records.*

Joannah Borman married John Newmarch Nov. 22, 1671, in Ipswich.—*County court records.*

Jane Bordman of Salisbury published to Richard Paine of Amesbury Nov. 16, 1787.—*Amesbury town records.*

William Boardman married Miss Mary Short, both of Newburyport, Sept. 19, 1786. Children born in Newburyport: 1. Sarah, born April 2, 1787; 2. William, born May 20, 1789; 3. Jonathan, born June 26, 1792 (1793).

William Boardman married Miss Rachel Wiggins, both of Newburyport (published April 10, 1786). Children, born in Newburyport: 1. Thomas Jones, born April 27, 1787; died March 28, 1807; 2. Benjamin Walter, born Nov. 30, 1788; 3. Stephen, born Feb. 20, 1794; 4. William, born April 20, 1796; 5. Almira, born Sept. 30, 1798.

Miss Mary Boardman of Newburyport married Rev. Andrew Beattie of Salisbury Jan. 29, 1799.

Sarah Boardman married Richard Pike, both of Newburyport, April 17, 1800.

—*Newburyport town records.*

Capt. Jacob Boardman of Newburyport, merchant, 1777-1796; married Sarah Jewett of Newburyport Nov. 20, 1777; he died Aug. 20, 1796; she was his wife in 1782; inventory of his estate amounted to \$77,470.27. Jonathan Boardman

of Newburyport, merchant, was a surety on bond of the guardian of the children in 1796. Children, born in Newburyport: 1. Sarah, born Sept. 10, 1779; living in 1796; 2. Martha, born Feb. 20, 1781; living in 1796; 3. Mary, born Sept. 26, 1782; living in 1796.—*Records.*

John Howe Boardman married Hannah Pedrick Dec. 24, 1795.

Sarah Boardman married Daniel Noyes Dec. 8, 1763.

Sarah Boardman married Abraham Brown Jan. 18, 1780.

Elizabeth Boardman of the Hamlet parish, Ipswich, married Jonathan Colcord of New Hampshire May 10, 1785.

Thomas Boardman died March 13, 1742.

Hannah Boardman died Jan. 23, 1794, aged eighty-five.

Widow Boardman died in the Hamlet parish Feb. 26, 1778, aged sixty-five.

Samuel Boreman of Ipswich, cooper, 1639.

—*Ipswich town records.*

Judith Boardman married George Sawyer Feb. 4, 1796.

Nathaniel Boardman married, first, Mary Light of Kensington (published March 16, 1771); she died Dec. 26, 1790; and he married, second, Hannah Quimby Aug. 28, 1792. His children were born in Salisbury as follows: Nathaniel, born Jan. 22, 1775, Joseph, born March 7, 1777.

Elizabeth Boardman married Willis Patten, jr., of Amesbury Feb. 18, 1794.

Miss Anna Boardman of Salisbury married Edward Russell of Newburyport Nov. 4, 1792 (published Dec. 8, 1792).

—*Salisbury town records.*

John Boardman married Miss Mary Bartlet, both of Newburyport, Jan. 1, 1795. Children: 1. John, born Nov. 8, 1795; 2. Enoch Marsh, born Nov. 19, 1796; 3. Richard, born Nov. 21, 1797; 4. Mary, born Jan. 17, 1799; 5. Judith, died Dec. —, 1797; 6. Judith, died May 30, 1801.—*Newburyport town records.*

William Boardman of Lynn, husbandman, wife of Abiah, 1708.—*Registry of deeds.*

Sarah Boardman published to Daniel Hitchings, jr., of Lynn Feb. 16, 1696-7.

Lydia Boardman published to Kendall Pearson Feb. 10, 1708-9.

Ivory Bordman, jr., published to Mary Howard of Malden Dec. 15, 1799.

Mary Boardman of Lynn published to Joseph Knight of Salem Oct. 22, 1738.

William Boardman of Lynn published to Abiah Sprague of Charlestown April 10, 1708.

William Boardman of Lynn published to Miss Elizabeth Hill of Malden Sept. 7, 1735.

—*Lynn town records.*

Charles Boardman published to Elizabeth Williams, both of Salem, Oct. 4, 1781.

Mary Boardman married Samuel Chamberlain, both of Salem, April 17, 1797.

—*Salem town records.*

Jacob Boardman published to Joanna Hodgkins April 16, 1742.

Mary Boardman married William Dickenson of Marblehead Feb. 5, 1732-3.

—*Ipswich town records.*

Children of John and Elizabeth Boalman: John, born Feb. 6, 1796; Elizabeth and William (twins), born June 24, 1798.

Boassee married Moriah, negroes, servants to Samuel Chickering, Feb. 15, 1755.

—*Andover town records.*

John Bodee married Sarah Freind March 16, 1688-9.—*Marblehead town records.*

Thomas Boarman of Ipswich, husbandman, married widow Sarah Girdler (also Gierly and Gurley) of Marblehead, in Rowley, May 23, 1727.

Rev. John Boddily of Newburyport married, first, ———, by whom he had three children: Elizabeth Peach, Susanna, and Benjamin Peach, who were all living in 1802; the wife eloped from Westbury, Wiltshire, England; he married, second, Sarah Tuckwell, by whom he had four children: John, born in Newburyport Sept. 16, 1795; James, born in

Newburyport Nov. 6, 1797; Sarah; and Joseph. Mr. Boddily died in 1802; and his wife Sarah survived him.

Thomas Bodkin (also Bodkins), a brewer, lived in Marblehead, 1728-1748; married Sarah Rhodes Feb. 13, 1728-9; she was his wife in 1748; children: Mary, baptized Sept. 13, 1730; Sarah, baptized March 18, 1732-3; Thomas, baptized May 18, 1735; all baptized in Marblehead.

Benjamin Bodge of Amesbury, potter, married Mehitabel Sheppard of Haverhill July 5, 1781. He removed to Poplin, N. H., where he was living in 1791.

Nathaniel Bodge of Haverhill, chaise-maker, married Hannah Holliwall, and had the following children: 1. Hannah, born June 27, 1768, in Charlestown; 2. Susanna, born Sept. 27, 1770, in Haverhill; 3. Nathaniel, born Oct. 30, 1772, in Haverhill; married Elizabeth Ayer about 1800; lived in Haverhill, where he died Sept. 7, 1807, having had two daughters; 4. Olive, born Sept. 17, 1775, in Haverhill.

—*Records.*

Samuel Bodge married Sally Goodale at Danvers Aug. 11, 1796; children: Jacob, born Jan. 13, 1797; Nathaniel, born Nov. 4, 1799.—*Danvers town records.*

Elizabeth Bodenal, a Jersey woman, died Feb. 13, 1694.

Hannah Bodge married Amos Currier, both of Newbury, Dec. 22, 1795.

—*Newbury town records.*

Mary, daughter of Susanna Bodkin, buried July 8, 1748.

A son of Thomas Bodkin buried Sept. 9, 1741.

St. Michael's church (Marblehead) records.

Thomas Bodkin of Marblehead published to Elizabeth Tyler of Boxford May 15, 1727.—*Boxford town records.*

Elizabeth Bodwell married Joseph Harris Sept. 10, 1796.

Elizabeth Bodwell married Joshua Davis July 2, 1799.

—*Methuen town records.*

Erasmus James was appointed administrator of the estate of Edward Body, lately deceased, 29 : 9 : 1678. There was due from the estate to Wm. Gouer for his sickness and burial, and for several months' diet.—*Probate records*.

Joseph Bolles lived in Ipswich, carpenter and yeoman, 1709-1743; was called son-in-law by Nathaniel Lord of Ipswich, carpenter, 1710, Mr. Lord having married Mary Boals alias Call in Ipswich Dec. 31, 1685. He married Lucretia Darby (published March 29, 1707); and she was his wife in 1735. Children, born in Ipswich: Joseph, born Feb. 5, 1709-10; died May 17, 1711-2; Joseph, baptized 17:6:1712; died Sept. 16, 1728; Charles, baptized 14:9:1714; Mary, baptized 16:4:1717; James, baptized May 31, 1719; and Daniel, baptized Aug. 7, 1726.

Joseph Bowles, husbandman, lived in Ipswich and died there May 5, 1753; married (when he is called "junior") Ruth Chapman of the Hamlet (published Dec. 23, 1737); she survived him, and was his widow in 1754. Children: Joseph, only son in 1754, and Phebe (daughter?), baptized in Ipswich May 13, 1722; married Robert Edwards of Salisbury Feb. 9, 1737-8, in Ipswich; and died before 1754.

Samuel Bowles was a weaver and lived in Ipswich, 1714, 1716, 1735, 1749-1754; wife Elizabeth in 1714; wife Mary, 1735; and he died at the Hamlet Jan. 25, 1754. Children: Samuel, eldest son in 1749; Jonathan, baptized in Ipswich March 21, 1714; youngest son in 1749; remained at home with his father; and Elizabeth, baptized Sept.—, 1716; unmarried in 1749.

John Bowls, cordwainer, lived in Ipswich, 1730-1754; married Lydia Howard of Ipswich Feb. 10, 1729-30; called Daniel Davison of Ipswich "our brother" in 1732; she was his wife in 1752; he died in Ipswich May —, 1764. Children, baptized in Ipswich: Lydia, baptized Feb. —, 1730-1; unmarried in 1754; Deborah, baptized Sept. 23, 1733; living in 1754; Ruth, baptized Jan. 18, 1735-6; living in 1754; and John, baptized Aug. 6, 1738;

cordwainer; lived in Ipswich; and died there June 15, 1789, aged fifty-one.

William Bowles (junior, in 1766 and 1769), mariner, lived in Beverly, 1769-1779; married, first, Rebecca Ober Nov. 11, 1766; she died Nov. 28, 1774; he married, second, Rebecca (Cleeves), widow of Israel Elliott Oct. 31, 1775; administration was granted upon his estate Feb. 1, 1779; and she died in Beverly, his widow, Feb. 10, 1829. Children, born in Beverly: Lydia, born Aug. 15, 1771; married Joseph Lovett, 3d, of Beverly, mariner; and died Aug. 26, 1826; Rebecca, born May 25, 1773; married Edward Ford of Beverly, mariner, Aug. 20, 1795; and died Jan. 28, 1817; and Anna, baptized Jan. 4, 1778; unmarried in 1797.

—*Records*.

THE OLD HOUSE.

BY MARIE S. LADD.

The south wind sweeps, in gusty swell,
Around its walls with sullen gloom,
And swings its tongueless, tilting bell,
And moaning sighs from room to room.

The snow whirls through the shattered panes,
Sifting against the oaken wall,
Stained with the dull and drenching rains
That through the open rafters fall.

A triple purpose, so 'tis said,
It served, a score of years or more,
When houses, here, were scarce as bread—
It then was tavern, church, and store.

And village prate, of this old house,
Bears many a vein of interest deep;
Of nights of grief, or wild carouse,
The babbling records duly keep.

Of weddings, with their gleeful train,
And dark processions, moving slow;
Thus winding from the mystic skein
That threads the life we lead below.

Yet these the gossips could repeat
Of all old homes, where there have slept
Fair children, filled with visions fleet,
Where mothers long have watched and wept.

EDITORIAL.

The will of William Adams of Ipswich was proved in the Ipswich court March

25, 1661. Neither the original instrument nor a copy of it has been found. Does any one know of a copy or the original document?

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

460. Wanted, ancestry of Rebecca Rea, married John Foster³ (Abraham,² Reginald¹), 1713. E. W. P.

Cedar Falls, Iowa.

461. Wanted, ancestry of Ruth Brown of Newbury, born, 1729, married Phillips White of South Hampton, N. H., May 11, 1749. E. W. P.

462. Wanted, ancestry of Rev. Benjamin Bell, pastor First Presbyterian church, Amesbury, married, Oct. 13, 1784, Rebecca, daughter of Phillips White. E. W. P.

463. How is it known that when Francis Peabody "sold his estate in Hampton to come to Topsfield, he still had his first wife Lydia?" I think her name does not appear in the copy of the deed at Salem.

Worcester.

J. P.

ANSWERS.

417. Samuel Bradstreet, born Aug. 4, 1699, in Topsfield, married, first, Sarah Clark April 3, 1722; and she died June 19, 1736. He married, second, Elizabeth Chapman March 30, 1738; and died Dec. 1, 1762. She survived him, and married, secondly, Dea. Mark How of Ipswich April 26, 1763. Eunice, daughter of said Samuel and Sarah (Clark) Bradstreet, born in Topsfield April 15, 1733, married Samuel Cummings Aug. 25, 1756. Samuel Bradstreet, son of said Samuel and Sarah (Clark) Cummings, born in Topsfield (baptized March 30, 1729), married, Ruth Lamson of Ipswich (published Oct. 3, 1762), lived in Topsfield, yeoman; and died July 6, (7?), 1777, aged forty-eight. She survived him, and died on the twenty-fifth of the same month, in Topsfield, at the age of forty-four—*Ed.*

450. There was probably no Robert Lowe of Ipswich in 1686. Joshua Coffin, who apparently was the first to make the statement, undoubtedly mistook the surname of Lord for Lowe, as, in the old records, Lord is easily mistaken for Lowe.—*Ed.*

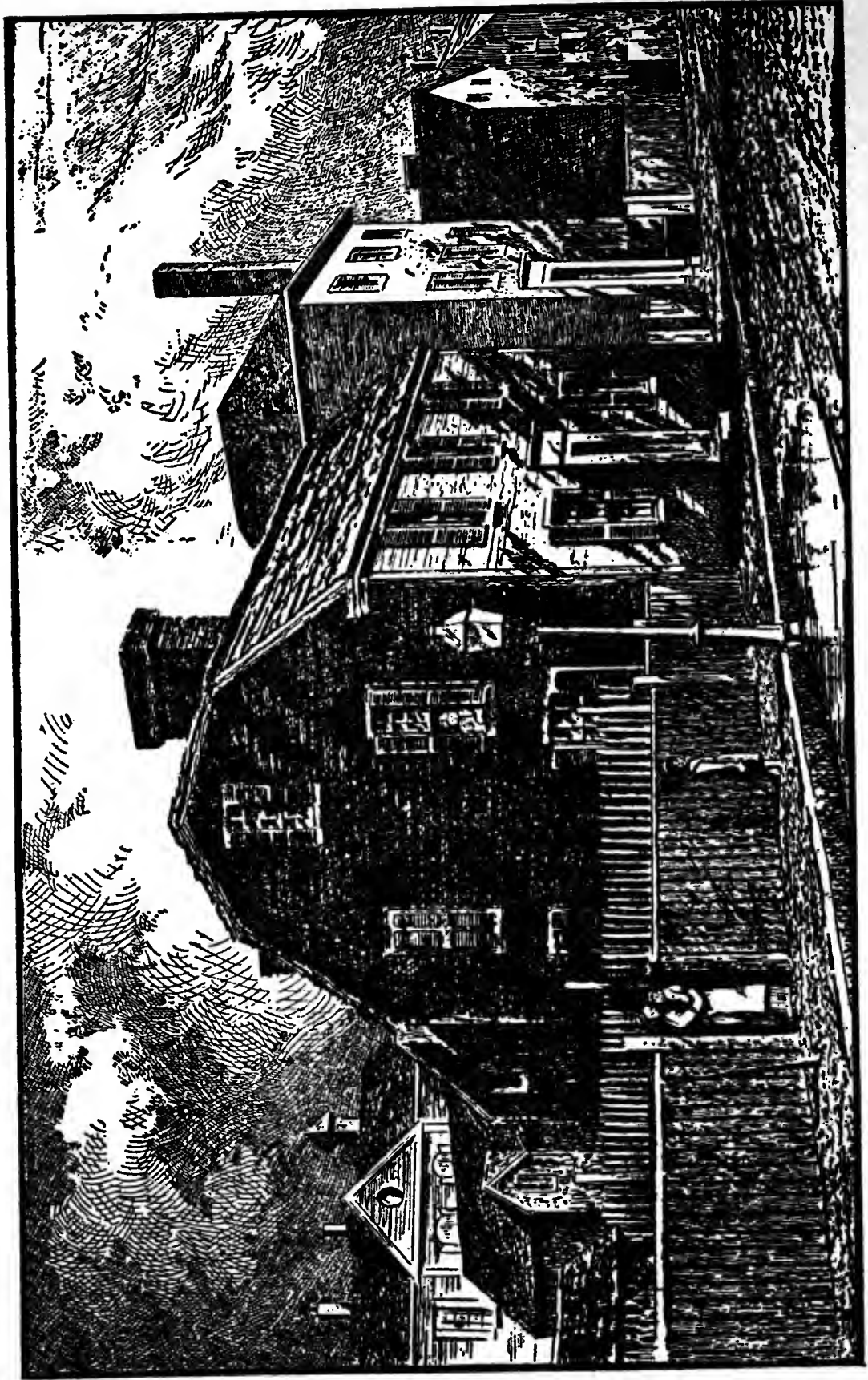
NEW PUBLICATIONS.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE WYOMING COMMEMORATIVE ASSOCIATION ON 126TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLE AND MASSACRE OF WYOMING, JULY 4TH, 1904. This pamphlet of forty-four pages, contains the address, "A Colony Out of the Northern Wilderness," by Maj. George G. Groff.

BALCH CHART. Samuel W. Balch, 67 Wall street, New York city, has issued a unique chart of the male descendants of John Balch, the head of the American family. The chart is arranged so that one can tell at a glance when a member of the family was born and when he died, his length of life being given. The most interesting and valuable feature of the plan is in showing who are contemporary, and how long and in what parts of their lives they were contemporary. The life space of each person is colored, and the chronological basis of the chart are perpendicular lines, indicating periods of ten years.

HISTORY OF THE TOWN OF LANESBOROUGH, MASSACHUSETTS, 1741-1905. Part I. *By Charles J. Palmer.* This book of 168 octavo pages, is part one of a history of Lanesborough, and was the outcome of an old-home-week celebration. It contains an account of Balance rock; history of the Lanesboro' family; sketch of Framingham from which Lanesborough was settled; old-time musters; cemetery inscriptions; origin of the name of the town; the town in the civil war; Revolutionary soldiers; vital statistics; address at the old-home-week celebration, etc. There are several illustrations, houses, portraits, etc. Sold by W. L. Palmer, 22 Sacramento Place, Cambridge, Mass.; bound in cloth, \$1.50; paper, \$1.00.

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BENJAMIN PICKMAN HOUSE.

Birthplace of Nathaniel Hawthorne

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BRADBURY GENEALOGY.

CAPT. THOMAS BRADBURY^{1*} was born at Wicken-Bonant, Essex county, England, Feb. 28, 1610-1. He came to America, and was at York, Me., in 1634. In 1637, he settled in Salisbury, Mass., where he was one of the first planters. He was made a freeman in May, 1640; and was an agent of Sir Ferdinando Gorges, 1636-1640. He was one of the most prominent citizens, being town clerk, schoolmaster, justice of the peace, representative in the general court seven years, county recorder, associate judge, etc. Most of the ancient records of Salisbury, and the deeds of his registry in Norfolk county are in his bold and distinct handwriting. He married Mary Perkins of Ipswich May —, 1636. She was tried for witchcraft in 1692, and convicted, but not executed. Like many others of those accused of witchcraft she was held in high esteem. Captain Bradbury died March 16, 1694-5; and she died, his widow, Dec. 20, 1700.

*Thomas Bradbury was son of Wymond Bradbury of Wicken-Bonant, county of Essex, England, and of Elizabeth (Whitgift), who was a widow Gill when Wymond Bradbury married her. It is claimed that his descent from Robert Bradbury, of Ollersett, Derbyshire, England, who was born about 1400, is as follows:—

Robert Bradbury¹ of Ollersett, Derbyshire.

William Bradbury² of Braughing, Hertfordshire.

Robert Bradbury³ of Littlebury, county of Essex.

William Bradbury⁴ of Littlebury, county of Essex.

Matthew Bradbury⁵ of Wicken-Bonant, county of Essex.

William Bradbury⁶ of Wicken-Bonant, county of Essex.

Wymond Bradbury⁷ of Wicken-Bonant, county of Essex.

Children born in Salisbury:—

- 2—I. WYMOND², b. April 1, 1637. *See below* (2).
- 3—II. JUDITH², b. Oct. 2, 1638; m. Serg. Caleb Moody of Newbury, maltster, Nov. 9, 1665; and he d. before 1698. She was living in 1693.
- 4—III. THOMAS², b. Jan. 28, 1640-1; living in 1663; probably d. unmarried.
- 5—IV. MARY², b. March 17, 1642-3; m., first, John Stanian of Hampton, N. H., Dec. 17, 1663; and, second (?), ——— Lyon of Hampton, N. H., between 1693 and 1696.
- 6—V. JANE², b. May 11, 1645; m. Henry True of Salisbury March 15, 1668; and they were living in 1708.
- 7—VI. JACOB², b. June 17, 1647; d. in Barbadoes, unmarried, in 1669.
- 8—VII. WILLIAM², b. Sept. 15, 1649. *See below* (8).
- 9—VIII. ELIZABETH², b. Nov. 7, 1651; m. John Buss of Durham, N. H., May 12, 1673.
- 10—IX. JOHN², b. April 20, 1654; d., unmarried, Nov. 24, 1678, in Salisbury.
- 11—X. ANN², b. April 16, 1656; d. in 1659.
- 12—XI. JABEZ², b. June 27, 1658; d. April 28, 1677, in Salisbury.

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WYMOND BRADBURY², born in Salisbury April 1, 1637. He lived in Salisbury; and married Sarah Pike of Salisbury May 7, 1661. He died on the island of Nevis, West Indies, April 7, 1669; and his estate was appraised at £238, 7s., 8d. His wife survived him, marrying, secondly, John Stockman of Salisbury May 10, 1671.

Children, born in Salisbury:—

- 13—I. SARAH³, b. Feb. 26, 1661-2; was lame; m. Abraham Morrill about 1687.
- 14—II. ANN³, b. Nov. 21, 1666; m. Jeremiah Allen about 1686.
- 15—III. WYMOND³, b. May 13, 1669. *See below* (15).

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WILLIAM BRADBURY², born in Salisbury Sept. 15, 1649. He lived in Salisbury; and married Rebecca (Wheelwright), widow of Samuel Maverick, jr., of Boston, March 12, 1671-2. He died Dec. 4, 1678. The inventory of his estate amounted to £195. She died, his widow, Dec. 20, 1678, in Salisbury.

Children, born in Salisbury:—

- 16—I. WILLIAM³, b. Oct. 16, 1672. *See below (16).*
- 17—II. THOMAS³, b. Dec. 24, 1674. *See below (17).*
- 18—III. JACOB³, b. Sept. 1, 1677. *See below (18).*

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WYMOND BRADBURY³, born in Salisbury May 13, 1669. He was a cooper, and lived in Salisbury until about 1716, when he removed to York, Me. He married Maria, daughter of Rev. John Cotton of Plymouth, in 1692; and died at York April 17, 1734. She survived him, and married, secondly, John Heard of Kittery (published Nov. 27, 1735), as his fourth wife. She died Jan. 30, 1776.

Children, born in Salisbury:—

- 19—I. JABEZ⁴, b. Jan. 26, 1692-3; esquire; lived in Newburyport; his will, dated Jan. 9, 1779, was proved Jan. 27, 1781; his executor was his nephew, Theophilus Bradbury, esq., of Falmouth, Me.; his inventory amounted to £4937, 8s., 5d.; he had a farm in Woolwich, Me.; and died, unmarried, Jan. 13, 1781, aged eighty-seven.
- 20—II. WYMOND⁴, b. Aug. 18, 1695; cooper; lived in Salisbury, 1722, and York, Me., 1727-8; m., first, Phebe Young; and, second, Mary Donnell; and had six children. He d. before 1779.
- 21—III. JOHN⁴, b. Sept. 9, 1697; esquire; lived in York; judge of probate court; m. Abigail Young; and d. before 1779, leaving children. Hon. James Ware Bradbury of Augusta, Me., United States senator, was their great-grandson.
- 22—IV. ROWLAND⁴, b. Dec. 15, 1699. *See below (22).*
- 23—V. ANN⁴, b. March 9, 1701-2; m. Jabez Fox of Falmouth in 1743.
- 24—VI. JOSIAH⁴, b. July 25, 1704. *See below (24).*
- 25—VII. THEOPHILUS⁴, b. July 8, 1706. *See below (25).*

26—VIII. MARIA⁴, b. in 1708; baptized Aug. 29, 1708; m. Samuel Service of Boston; and d. before 1779.

27—IX. JERUSHA⁴, b. July 5, 1711; m. John Pulling of Salem.

16

DEA. WILLIAM BRADBURY³, born in Salisbury Oct. 16, 1672. He was a turner and joiner, and lived in Salisbury, being deacon of the church there from 1721 to his death. He married Sarah Cotton of Plymouth (published March 16, 1695-6); and "Madam Sarah Bradbury" died Feb. 21, 1733. He died April 20, 1756.

Children, born in Salisbury:—

- 28—I. SAMUEL⁴ (twin), b. March 23, 1697-8; d. young.
- 29—II. ———⁴ (twin), b. March 23, 1697-8; d. young.
- 30—III. WILLIAM⁴ (twin), b. June 30, 1699; d. young.
- 31—IV. JOHN⁴ (twin), b. June 30, 1699. *See below (31).*
- 32—V. JAMES⁴, b. May 9, 1701. *See below (32).*
- 33—VI. REBECCA⁴, b. Jan. 17, 1702-3; living in 1748.
- 34—VII. JACOB⁴, b. Aug. 21, 1704; living in 1748.
- 35—VIII. JOANNA⁴, b. June 7, 1706; pub. to William Muchamore, late of Sholes, Sept. 6, 1737; and was living in 1748.
- 36—IX. MARY⁴, b. March 18, 1707-8; probably m. Josiah Brown of Kensington, N. H., Dec. 5, 1744; and was living in 1748.
- 37—X. SARAH⁴, b. Jan. 10, 1709-10; m. Ambross Downe of Isle of Shoals Oct. 3, 1728; living in 1748.
- 38—XI. CRISP⁴, b. April 21, 1712. *See below (38).*
- 39—XII. BENJAMIN⁴, b. Jan. 24, 1713-4. *See below (39).*
- 40—XIII. BARNABAS⁴, b. April 14, 1716. *See below (40).*

17

ENS. THOMAS BRADBURY³, born in Salisbury Dec. 24, 1674. He was a yeoman, and lived in Salisbury. He married, first, Jemima True of Salisbury Oct. 30, 1700; and she died Dec. 5, 1700. He married, second, Mary Hilton (published Oct. 24, 1702); and died March 10, 1718-9, aged forty-four. The inventory of his estate amounted to £792, 3s. His wife Mary survived him, and died in Salisbury, his widow, June 15, 1723, aged forty-five.

Children, born in Salisbury:—

- 41—I. JEMIMA⁴, b. Jan. 25, 1703-4; m. William Chandler of Woodstock, Conn., May 22, 1725.
 42—II. ———⁴, b. June 11, 1707.

18

JACOB BRADBURY³, born in Salisbury Sept. 1, 1677. He was a cooper, and lived in Salisbury. He married Elizabeth Stockman of Salisbury July 6, 1698; and died in Salisbury May 4, 1718, aged forty. His estate was appraised at £450, 4s. She survived him, and married, secondly, John Stevens July 6, 1720.

Children, born in Salisbury:—

- 43—I. THOMAS⁴, b. Aug. 16, 1699. *See below* (43).
 44—II. ANN⁴, b. Sept. 23, 1701; d. in Salisbury Oct. 16, 1701.
 45—III. ANNA⁴, b. Sept. 3, 1702; m. Capt. William True Nov. 9, 1721.
 46—IV. ELIZABETH⁴, b. Feb. 26, 1705-6; d. at Ipswich Oct. 14, 1723, aged seventeen.
 47—V. DOROTHY⁴, b. March 27, 1708; m. Rev. Ammi Ruhamah Cutter of North Yarmouth.
 48—VI. JACOB⁴, b. Oct. 6, 1710. *See below* (48).
 49—VII. SARAH⁴, b. April 15, 1713; m. Elisha Allen June 4, 1730.
 50—VIII. MOSES⁴, b. Nov. 3, 1715; lived in North Yarmouth, Me., yeoman, in 1737.
 51—IX. JANE⁴, b. in 1718; m. Barnabas Soule of North Yarmouth about 1737.

22

ROWLAND BRADBURY⁴, born in Salisbury Dec. 15, 1699. He lived in Newbury; and married, first, Mary Greenleaf of Newbury Nov. 15, 1723. He married, second, Elizabeth Oliver.

Child, born in Newbury:—

- 52—I. JABEZ⁵, b. Sept. 17, 1724; m. Mary Merrill (pub. April 29, 1749).

24

JOSIAH BRADBURY⁴, born in Salisbury July 25, 1704. He lived in Gloucester until about 1746, when he removed to Pownalborough, Me., where he was an innholder in 1773. He married Miss Anna Stevens of Gloucester March 6, 1738; and she was living in 1783.

Children, born in Gloucester:—

- 53—I. JOSIAH⁵, b. Feb. 16, 1739.
 54—II. ANNA⁵, b. Feb. 21, 1742.
 55—III. MARIAH⁵, b. Aug. 29, 1744.

25

CAPT. THEOPHILUS BRADBURY⁴, born in Salisbury July 8, 1706. He was a trader and mariner, or coaster, and lived in Newbury, in that part that was incorporated as Newburyport in 1764. He was a prominent man, and had a store for the sale of goods. He married, first, Ann (Anna) Woodman of Newbury Aug. 30, 1730; and she died July 12, 1743. He married, second, Judith Moody of Newbury March 28, 1744. He died Feb. 3, 1764. The inventory of his estate amounted to £679, 15s. He owned parts of sloops Speedwell, Success and Molly; land in Great Cebanadegon, Narraganset No. 1, Harpswell and Bowdoinham in the province of Maine; and five-eighths of a double saw-mill, etc., worth upwards of £200 more. His wife Judith survived him, and was his widow, of Newburyport, in 1780.

Children, born in Newbury:—

- 56—I. ANN⁵, b. May 8, 1731; m. Samuel Greenleaf of Newburyport, gentleman (pub. March 18, 1748-9).
 57—II. JONATHAN⁵, b. Nov. 1, 1732. *See below* (57).
 58—III. THEOPHILUS⁵, b. Jan. 9, 1734; d. young.
 59—IV. WYMOND⁵, b. April 5, 1737. *See below* (59).
 60—V. THEOPHILUS⁵, b. Nov. 13, 1739. *See below* (60).

31

JOHN BRADBURY⁴, born in Salisbury June 30, 1699. He lived in Salisbury until about 1737, when he removed to Amesbury, where he is called a laborer. He married Hannah Greely of Haverhill Feb. 13, 1723-4.

Children:—

- 61—I. ROWLAND⁵, b. Jan. 15, 1724-5, in Haverhill. *See below* (61).
 62—II. MARTHA⁵, b. Feb. 3, 1726-7, in Salisbury.
 63—III. SARAH⁵, b. June 21, 1730, in Salisbury.
 64—IV. JEMIMA⁵, b. Feb. 4, 1734-5, in Salisbury; pub. to Nathan Sargent Dec. 1, 1759.

32

JAMES BRADBURY⁴, born in Salisbury May 9, 1701. He lived in Haverhill; and married Elizabeth Sanders of Haverhill June 16, 1726. He died before 1767; and she survived him.

Children, born in Haverhill :—

- 65—I. JAMES⁵, b. Nov. 30, 1727; d. Dec. 31, 1727.
- 66—II. RUTH⁵, b. March 17, 1728-9.
- 67—III. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Aug. 14, 1731; d. Nov. 19, 1736.
- 68—IV. SAMUEL⁵, b. Sept. 23, 1733. *See below (68).*
- 69—V. SARAH⁵, b. Jan. 4, 1735-6; d. Nov. 29, 1736.
- 70—VI. SANDERS⁵, b. Nov. 29, 1737. *See below (70).*
- 71—VII. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Sept. 25, 1741.
- 72—VIII. SARAH⁵, b. April 2, 1744.
- 73—IX. EBENEZER⁵, b. Aug. 3, 1747; d. March 6, 1747-8.

38

CRISP BRADBURY⁴,* born in Salisbury April 21, 1712. He was a trader, and lived in York, Me., until 1748, when he removed to Haverhill, Mass., where he had a building yard. He removed to Newbury in 1750. He married Mary Paine Dec. 22, 1737; and died Sept. 15, 1753, aged forty-one. The inventory of his estate amounted to £683, 15s., 5 ¼d. She survived him, and died, his widow, Sept. 22, 1771, aged sixty-five.

Children :—

- 7—41. JOHN⁵, lived in Falmouth, Me., peruke maker, in 1772.
- 75—II. MARY⁵, m. Samuel Noyes of Newbury, joiner, Nov. 17, 1757; lived in Newburyport; and was his wife in 1772.
- 76—III. ELIZABETH⁵, m. Samuel Nelson Oct. 28, 1762; and she was his wife in 1772.
- 77—IV. RUTH⁵, seamstress; lived in Newburyport; d., unmarried, March 15, 1801.
- 78—V. JAMES⁵, b. Sept. 9, 1749, in Haverhill; and was living in 1801.
- 79—VI. HANNAH⁵, living in Newburyport, unmarried, in 1801.

39

BENJAMIN BRADBURY⁴, born in Salisbury June 24, 1713-4. He was a cordwainer and yeoman, and lived in Salisbury. He married Jemima True March 28, 1748-9; and they were living in Salisbury in 1774.

*Sometimes called "Christopher."

Children, born in Salisbury :—

- 80—I. SARAH⁵, b. May 22, 1750.
- 81—II. JABEZ⁵, b. Oct. 29, 1752.
- 82—III. ELIZABETH⁵, b. Feb. 20, 1755.
- 83—IV. WILLIAM⁵, b. June 3, 1757.
- 84—V. REBECCA⁵, b. March 19, 1760.

40

BARNABAS BRADBURY⁴, born in Salisbury April 14, 1716. He was a blacksmith and lived in Haverhill, 1740-1743; a blacksmith in Biddeford, Me., in 1744; and innholder in Haverhill, Mass., 1745-6; lived in Amesbury, 1746-1772, being a trader, 1746-1772, shopkeeper, 1769, an innholder, 1746-1763, and a yeoman, 1770-1772; and he was a trader, of Haverhill, in 1777. He married Miriam Morse of Newbury Jan. 26, 1742-3; and she was his wife in 1777. He was deceased in 1790.

Children, recorded in Amesbury :—

- 85—I. WILLIAM⁵, b. Aug. 22, 1744.
- 86—II. JACOB⁵, b. March 17, 1750.
- 87—III. MERIAM⁵, b. April 10, 1758.
- 88—IV. SARAH⁵, of Amesbury, spinster, in 1790.

43

THOMAS BRADBURY⁴, born in Salisbury Aug. 16, 1699. He was a yeoman, and lived in Salisbury, upon his father's homestead, which he succeeded to. He married Sarah Merrill of Salisbury April 16, 1724; and they were living in Salisbury in 1741.

Children, born in Salisbury :—

- 89—I. SAMUEL⁵, b. Oct. 14, 1724; d. Jan. 6, 1729-30.
- 90—II. ELIZABETH⁵, b. April 13, 1727; probably married Samuel Merrill, jr., March 3, 1747.
- 91—III. MOSES⁵, b. Feb. 14, 1730-1.
- 92—IV. THOMAS⁵, b. Jan. 10, 1735-6; probably m. Ruth Page, in Salisbury, Oct. 7, 1762.
- 93—V. WILLIAM⁵, b. May 5, 1738.
- 94—VI. SARAH⁵, b. Dec. 10, 1739.

48

JACOB BRADBURY⁴, born in Salisbury Oct. 6, 1710. He was a weaver and yeoman, and lived in Salisbury. He married Abigail Eaton of Salisbury Dec. 18, 1733; and was living in Salisbury in 1743.

Children, born in Salisbury :—

- 95—I. JOSEPH⁵, b. March 2, 1734-5; d. Oct. 19, 1736.
 96—II. MOSES⁵, b. Sept. 22, 1736.
 97—III. JACOB⁵, b. April 10, 1738; d. April 11, 1738.
 98—IV. ELIZABETH⁵, b. March 18, 1738-9.
 99—V. ABIGAIL⁵, b. July 15, 1741.

57

JONATHAN BRADBURY⁵, born in Newbury Nov. 1, 1732. He was a shipwright, and lived in that part of Newbury which was incorporated as Newburyport in 1764. He married Abigail Smith Dec. 20, 1758; and she died in Newburyport May 16, 1802. He survived her.

Children, born in Newburyport:—

- 100—I. EBENEZER⁶, b. Sept. 18, 1759.
 101—II. JOHN⁶, b. March 15, 1762.
 102—III. THEOPHILUS⁶, b. Nov. 22, 1763.
 103—IV. SMITH⁶, b. Nov. 22, 1765; mariner; lived in Arundel, Me., in 1798.
 104—V. SAMUEL⁶, b. Jan. 13, 1768.
 105—VI. MARTHA⁶, b. Sept. 15, 1769; m. Obadiah Horton, jr., of Newburyport Jan. 1, 1794.

59

CAPT. WYMOND BRADBURY⁵, born in Newbury April 5, 1737. He was a mariner (coaster) and ship joiner, and lived in Newburyport until about 1779, when they removed to Malden, where he was a yeoman in 1799. He married Judith Moody of Newburyport Jan. 3, 1765; and died in Malden, of paralysis attended by a fever, Feb. 18, 1810, aged seventy-two. She died May 5, 1818.

Children:—

- 106—I. ANNA⁶, b. Oct. 27, 1765, in Newburyport, m. Ebenezer Simonds of Lexington April 20, 1785.
 107—II. CHARLES⁶, b. Sept. 8, 1767, in Newburyport; m. Sarah Blanchard of Malden May 16, 1794; she d. Feb. 23, 1801; and he d. Jan. 4, 1856.
 108—III. WILLIAM⁶, b. Sept. 30, 1769, in Newburyport.
 109—IV. JUDITH⁶, b. Aug. 31, 1771, in Newburyport; d. Oct. 30, 1776, in Newburyport.
 110—V. ABIGAIL⁶, b. Sept. 28, 1773, in Newburyport; d. May 28, 1777.
 111—VI. POLLY⁶; d. Oct. 30, 1777.
 112—VII. POLLY⁶, b. April 25, 1780, in Malden.
 113—VIII. EDWARD⁶, b. July 17, 1782, in Malden; m. Abigail Hill Oct. 28, 1804.
 114—IX. HENRY⁶, b. May 24, 1785, in Malden.

60

HON. THEOPHILUS BRADLEY, ESQ.⁵, born in Newbury Nov. 13, 1739. He graduated at Harvard college in 1757, and was a lawyer. He lived in Falmouth, Me., until about 1782, when he settled in Newburyport, Mass., living on Green street. He was a member of congress and a justice of the Massachusetts supreme court. He married Sarah Jones; and died Sept. 6, 1803, in Newburyport. She survived him.

Children:—

- 115—I. THEOPHILUS⁶. *See below (115)*.
 116—II. FRANCIS⁶, of Boston, merchant, 1803.
 117—III. GEORGE⁶; lived in Newburyport; pub. to Miss Mary Kent of Portland, Me., Dec. 7, 1799.
 118—IV. CHARLES⁶; lived in Boston, merchant, 1798.
 119—V. HARRIOT⁶; m. Thomas Woodbridge Hooper of Newburyport Sept. 17, 1792.

61

ROWLAND BRADBURY⁵, born in Haverhill Jan. 15, 1724-5. He was a cordwainer, and lived in Salisbury. He married Mary Stevens of South Hampton, N. H. (published May 9, 1746); and died in Salisbury Feb. 10, 1812, aged eighty-seven. She was his wife in 1789.

Children, born in Salisbury:—

- 120—I. JOHN⁶, b. June 23, 1751.
 121—II. JENNEY⁶, b. Sept. 18, 1753.
 122—III. JANE⁶, b. Sept. 16, 1754.
 123—IV. PAUL⁶, b. March 27, 1758. *See below (123)*.
 124—V. MOLLY⁶, b. Aug. 9, 1760; probably m. John Burbank Sept. 23, 1781.

68

SAMUEL BRADBURY⁵, born in Haverhill Sept. 23, 1733. He married Judith Morse March 2, 1758; and lived in Haverhill, yeoman, except in 1759, when he lived in Amesbury.

Children:—

- 125—I. WILLIAM⁶, b. April 2, 1759, in Amesbury.
 126—II. JAMES⁶, b. Sept. 12, 1760, in Haverhill; lived in Haverhill; founder; m. Miss Sarah Coffin of Newbury Nov. 6, 1783.
 127—III. EBENEZER⁶, b. March 12, 1762, in Haverhill.

- 128—IV. BATTEE⁶, b. March 30, 1764, in Haverhill.
 129—V. SAMUEL⁶, b. March 14, 1766, in Haverhill.
 130—VI. JUDITH⁶ (twin), b. May 24, 1769, in Haverhill.
 131—VII. DAVID⁶ (twin), b. May 24, 1769, in Haverhill; m. Abigail Simpson Sept. 29, 1795.
 132—VIII. SARAH⁶, b. Aug. 30, 1771, in Haverhill.
 133—IX. PRUDENCE⁶, b. April 10, 1774, in Haverhill.

70

SANDERS BRADBURY⁵, born in Haverhill Nov. 29, 1737. He married Sarah Colby May 26, 1763; and lived in Haverhill.

Children, born in Haverhill:—

- 134—I. DANIEL⁶, b. Oct. 16, 1763. *See below* (134).
 135—II. ANNA⁶, b. Nov. 29, 1764.
 136—III. SARAH⁶, b. July 3, 1766.
 137—IV. MARY⁶, d. in Haverhill, unmarried, April 10, 1835; bequeathed a legacy to the First Baptist church of Haverhill for its poor.

115

THEOPHILUS BRADBURY⁶. He was a goldsmith, and lived in Newburyport. He married Miss Lois Pilsbury of Newbury Oct. 3, 1792.

Children, born in Newburyport:—

- 138—I. EBENEZER⁷, b. July 31, 1793; lived in Newburyport.
 139—II. REBECCA⁷, b. July 7, 1799.

123

PAUL BRADBURY⁶, born in Salisbury March 27, 1758. He married Ruth Weare Jan. 17, 1781; and lived in Salisbury.

Children, born in Salisbury:—

- 140—I. JOHN STEVENS⁷, b. Aug. 6, 1781.
 141—II. JANE CHOATE⁷, b. March 22, 1783.
 142—III. MOLLY⁷, b. Oct. 1, 1785.
 143—IV. TRUE⁷, b. Jan. 31, 1788.

134

DANIEL BRADBURY⁶, born in Haverhill Oct. 16, 1763. He married Miss Elizabeth Lunt of Newburyport Sept. 15, 1791; and lived in Haverhill.

Children:—

- 144—I. SARAH⁷, b. April 19, 1792, in Newburyport.
 145—II. DANIEL⁷, b. March 23, 1795, in Haverhill.

- 146—III. HARRIET⁷, b. Sept. 2, 1797, in Haverhill.
 147—IV. MARY⁷, b. March 23, 1800, in Haverhill.
 148—V. ELIZABETH⁷, b. Feb. 7, 1803, in Haverhill.
 149—VI. HANNAH⁷, b. July 10, 1805, in Haverhill.
 150—VII. NANCY⁷, b. Feb. 4, 1808, in Haverhill.

WILL OF WILLIAM BROWNE.

The will of William Browne of Gloucester was proved in the court at Salem 25 : 4 : 1662. The following is a copy of the original instrument on file in the office of the clerk of courts at Salem, volume VIII, leaf 31.

I William Browne of Glocester in the County of Effex in New-England being by Gods providence Cast upon my Bed of Sickneffe and not knowing how neare my departure out of this world may be at hand doe therefore declare and make knowne this my last will and Testament in manner following and first I Committ and Commend my Soule unto God the Father of Spirits and my body to the Grave to be decently buried by my good freinds Surviving And in the next Place I give and bequeath unto my Sonne in Law Abraham Robinson Two Acres of Meadow being Situate & lying on the North Side of little good Harbour as also two Acres of vpland being Situate and lying next the burying place on the South West Side thereof in Glocester aforefayd as also three Acres || of meadow || be it more or lesse Situate and lying at Annasequam So Comonly Called next to the Meadow of John Collins Sen on the North-East & butting upon the mayne Creeke or River as also halfe that my Parcill of vpland being Situate & lying in the Fishermans Feild betweene the Land of Jeffrey Parsons also halfe that my Parcell of vpland Lying at the Eastern Poynt and adioyning to the Land of Robert Elwell also I giue and bequeath unto my Sayd Sonne in Law one Cow and two Ewes also a Bed and a Bolster together with a Rugge & one Blanckett these Lands Goods &

Chattells aforefayd to be Delivered to the Sayd Abraham my Sonne in Law together with one Iron Pot when hee Shall attayne the Age of twenty one years to have and to hold the Sayd Goods Lands & Chattells to him & his Heires for ever that is in Case hee Shall accept of what I have here given & bequeathed unto him in this my laft will & Testament But if hee Shall not accept of what is here bequeathed & given unto him then it is my will that all the aforefayd Lands Goods Chattells Shall fall to my Executrefse anything herein contayned to the Contrary in any wife notwithstanding. Furthermore it is my will and I doe by thefe Pfnts affigne & appoynt my Daughter Mary Browne to be my Heire & Executrefse of all the reft of my eftate onely it is my will that my wife Mary Browne Shall injoy the benefit vfe & profit of all this my eftate now laft expreffed unto which my Daughter Mary is Heire I Say it is my will & I doe hereby appoynt & determine that my Sayd wife Shall injoy all the benefitt vfe & profit of this my eftate now laft expreffed untill my Daughter Mary doth marry or attayne the age of Eighteene yeares and then when Shee Shall attayne the age of eighteene yeares or otherwise if Shee doth marry before Shee doth attayne the Sayd terme of yeares then It is my will and I doe hereby appoynt and determine that my Daughter Mary Shall prefently injoy halfe the benefitt & Profitt of this my eftate laft expreffed to her owne proper vfe & behoofe any thing herein Contayned to the Contrary in any wife notwithstanding and after the death of her Mother Shee Shall injoy the other halfe which her Mother was to injoy while Shee lived that is to fay Shee my Sayd Daughter after the Deceafe of her Sayd Mother Shall have and injoy all that my eftate laft expreffed to which I have appoynted her Executrefse to Her & her Heires for Ever But if my Sayd Daughter Should dye before Shee doth marry or before Shee doth attayne the age of Eighteene yeares then it || is || my will & I doe hereby

appoynt and determine that her Mother Surviving Shall have full power to injoy & difpofe of all this my eftate laft expreffed But if my Sayd Daughter doe Survive or out-live her Mother and dye before Shee attayne the age of Eighteene yeares or before shee doth marry then it is my will & I doe hereby appoynt & determine that my Sonne in law Abraham Robinfon above expreffed Shall have & injoy that eftate abovefayd unto which I have Constituted & appoynted her to be Heire to him & his Heires for ever Any thing herein Contayned to the Contrary in any wife notwithstanding In witneffe whereof I the Sayd William have hereunto Set my hand the twenty & ninth day of Aprill Anno Dom one thoufand Six hundred and Sixty two.

William Browne

Subscribed In the Prefence of us

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Philip Haywood

NOTES.

John Bowles, mariner, lived in Salem in 1787 and 1788; married Eunice Sleuman, both of Salem, Aug. 9, 1787; he died in 1788, his will, dated April 15, 1788, being proved July 9, 1788; she was his widow in 1790. His young daughter Eunice survived him.—*Records*.

John Bowles of Ipswich Hamlet married Deborah Killam Nov. 14, 1727.

Samuel Bowls published to Ruth Porter Jan. 1, 1742-3 (March 19, 1743, by another record); their daughter born Aug. 12, 1747.

—*Wenham town records*.

Sarah Bowles published to Christopher Clark, both of Newburyport, Dec. 17, 1785.—*Newburyport town records*.

Thomas Ambrose of Marblehead, 1668.

John Boggust of Salem, 1630, probably came in the fleet that year, and died within a few months.

—*Savage*.

John Boynton⁴, No. 32, page 100, died Oct. 8, 1718.

SALEM IN 1700. NO. 25.

BY SIDNEY PERLEY.

The map on page 154 represents that part of Salem bounded by Walnut, Charter, Essex and Orange streets and the harbor. It is based on actual surveys and title deeds, and is drawn on a scale of two hundred feet to an inch. It shows the location of all houses that were standing in 1700.

Orange street came into existence by an agreement of Paul Mansfield, who owned on the eastern side of a certain line, and Edward Bush, who owned on its western side, Aug. 1, 1671.* Mr. Mansfield donated a strip of land fifteen feet and ten inches wide, and Mr. Bush a strip seven feet wide. It did not at first quite reach to the harbor, but was subsequently extended to it. At the lower end of the lane, they allowed "betweene them Ten foote of Ground apiece y^t is Twenty foote Square betide y^e breadth of y^e Said Lane & Shooting away Eastward from it for roome for a Cart to turne in." This was called Bush's lane in 1752; Masury's lane, 1759; and Orange street in 1815.

Curtis street was laid out over her land by widow Hester Eastwick in or before 1668. It originally extended only to the rear of her house, but was carried through to the harbor about 1700. It was called a lane or the ground of widow Eastwick in 1675; a lane or ground to ye widow Eastwick, 1685; ye lane that leads downe to ye widow Eastwick's, 1698; a lane that runs into ye highway, 1698; Esticke's lane, 1705; ye lane or highway, 1712; Vealy's lane, 1741; Curtis' lane, 1759; and Curtis street, 1795.

Hodges' court was laid out ten feet wide by Mrs. Mary Searle, administratrix of the estate of Alexander Seares, deceased, in 1669, between the houses of Mrs. Searle and Humphrey Coomes.† It was called a lane or an inlet to Francis Skerry's in 1685.

Herbert street was laid out over the ground of Joseph Hardy by an agreement made by him with John Gardner, who owned the ground adjoining on the east, Sept. 26, 1661.* They "agree that there shall be a cart waie betweene our house lots, from y^e end butting on y^e comon, downe all along y^e lott to the riuer, & is to be one pole in breadth, to lay wholly in Joseph Hardyes ground, on y^t side next to John Gardners ground, & this we doe mutually ingage ourselves, that is to say, the cart way shall never be sold or converted to any other use, but to lay in comon between us both, for our owne private use, & for the use of any that shall live on either lott, & in consideration of y^e pr'mises, John Gardner have giuen unto Joseph Hardy fifty shillings to his content," etc. It was first called ye lane or highway in 1679; highway or lane that belongs to those that live thereabouts, 1685; ye lane over against John Sanders' house, 1689; a lane that leads down to ye river, 1703; lane that leads out of y^e great street down to ye sea, 1706; ye lane or highway that leads down by Sanderses, 1712; a lane or highway yt leads downe to ye Sea or South river, 1713; ye lane that leads to Old Mr. Hardy's, 1614; Sanders' lane, 1719; ye lane yt leads to ye water side, 1720; Hardy's lane, 1729; a highway leading from the main street to the water side, 1736; Derby's lane, 1765; and Herbert street, 1798.

Union street was laid out at three different times. When Thomas Jeggles conveyed the front part of his lot to James Brown, in 1665, he reserved a strip of land, now the northern end of Union street, for a way into the remainder of his land from Essex street. May 3, 1675, Mr. Jeggles gave to the owners on either side bonds that he would keep it open.† When Mr. Jeggles conveyed the next lot to Robert Glanfield, Aug. 27, 1677, he

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 25, leaf 125.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 92.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 49.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaves 107 and 110.

reserved a strip twenty feet wide on the eastern side of the lot as a continuation of the lane.* This brought the lane down to the place marked on the map. It was extended to the harbor before 1706. It was called a particular cart way belonging to Elizabeth Jeggles in 1665; highway or lane I [Elizabeth Jeggles and son Thomas Jeggles] have left out of my ground for our particular uses, 1667; ye lane or highway, 1676; a lane y^t runs between land of John Cromwell and Mrs. Hannah Brown, widow of James Brown, deceased, 1679; land formerly of Goodman Jeggles and now a lane, 1685; a lane or highway from ye maine street down by Robert Glanfield's house to the premises of Thomas Jeggles, which lane is the sole proper right and reserved only for the use and privilege of said Jeggles and Glanfield, 1686; ye lane that runs up to Robert Glanfield, his house, 1689; lane that leads out of ye Great street down to ye sea, 1706; ye lane that goeth to ye house that was Robert Glanfield's, now in possession of William Carkette, 1706; a lane that leads down to ye river, 1717; Union street, 1732; the lane leading to the long wharf, 1736; the highway leading to the water side from the main street, 1736; and Long wharf lane, 1763. Since 1793, it has been called Union street exclusively.

Walnut street was in existence quite early. It was called a lane in 1680; the highway from the Great street to the cove and highway in 1685; a highway, 1694; a highway leading from ye maine street unto ye water side, 1695; the lane or way which leads downe from the main street along by John Higginson's brew-house downe to the wharf, 1706; the lane or cartway, 1725; Long wharf lane, 1732; Browne's lane, 1756; and Walnut street, 1810.

Charter street was probably laid out in the first settlement of the town; originally extending to Union street. It was called ye common or highway, 1686;

the highway, 1688; highway leading from Long wharf to the spring, 1756; a way leading to the Long wharf, 1770; lane by Whitefoot's house, 1772; Neptune street, 1798; and Charter street, about 1853.

Essex street was one of the original streets. It was called ye common highway next ye pen soe caled, 1662; a common street, 1669; ye common or highway, 1671; ye street, 1675; the high or broad street, 1685; ye main street, 1686; ye great street, 1706; ye towne street, 1706; the highway or broad street of Salem, 1708; and Essex street, 1793.

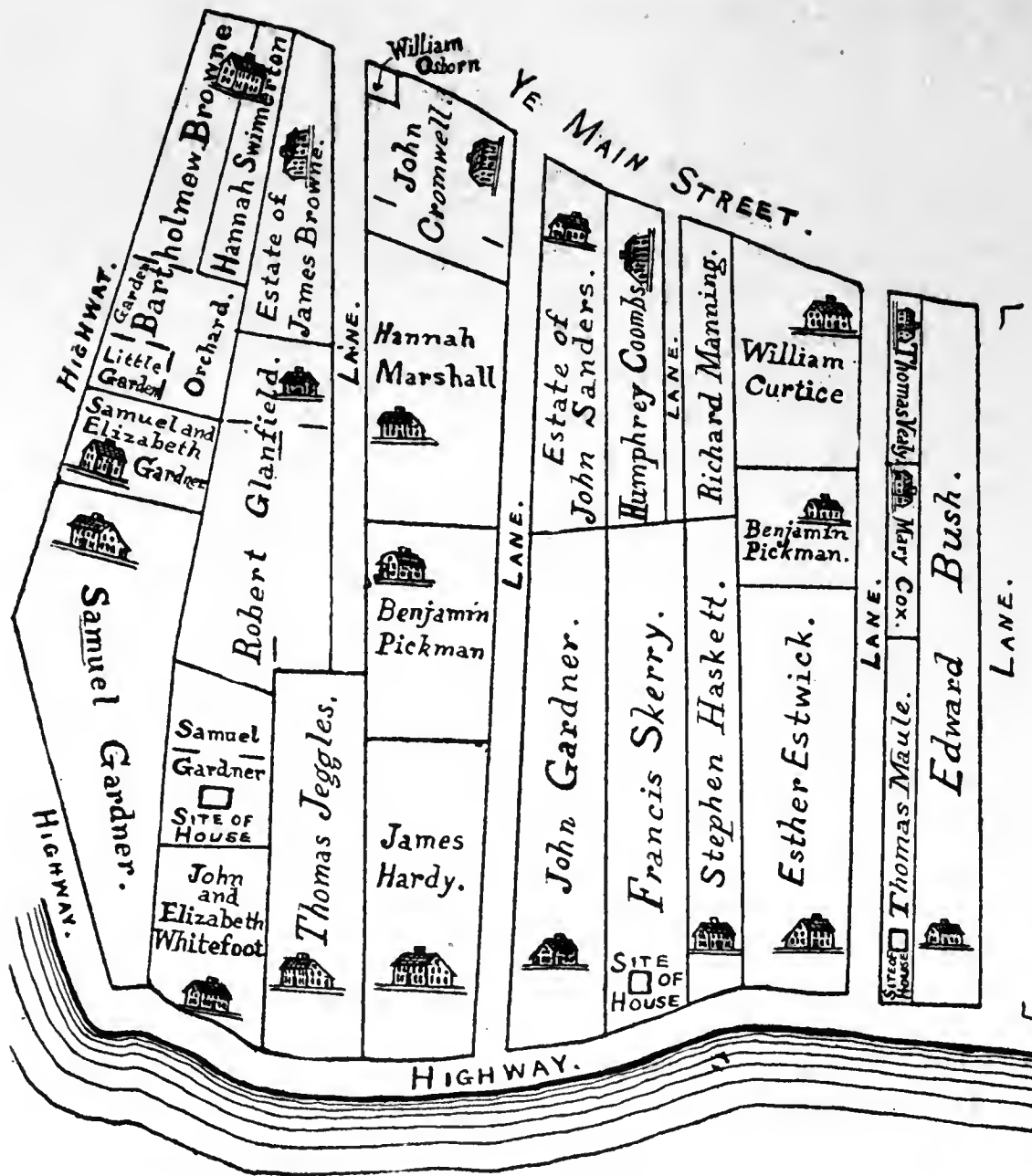
Derby street, in this section, was substantially the ancient highway that was reserved along the shore in the original laying out of the settlement. It was called a highway in 1688; highway that goes along by the South river, 1709; the highway next the harbor, 1747; way leading to the Long wharf, 1761; a way next ye South harbor, 1764; and Derby street about 1853.

The harbor was called ye South river in 1656; the harbor called ye South harbor, 1670; the harbor or South river, 1671; ye river, 1695; and ye sea, 1706.

Edward Bush House. This was apparently the estate of William Cockerell before 1661, when it belonged to widow Elizabeth Cockerell, William Cockerell probably having died that year. She died, possessed of the estate, before 28: 4: 1664, when administration was granted upon her estate. The house was standing as early as 1661, and in the inventory of the estate of Mrs. Cockerell, in 1664, the house and land were appraised at thirty-two pounds. Her administrators conveyed the house and lot to Edward Bush of Salem, seaman, Jan. 7, 1669;* and Mr. Bush died, possessed of the estate, before March 27, 1711, when administration was granted upon his estate to his widow Elizabeth Bush. The house and land were then appraised at seventy-four pounds. By agreement of

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 110.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 94, and book 6, leaf 101.



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SCALE: 1 inch = 200 ft.

the children, Benjamin Bush, Eastwick Bush and William Frost and wife Elizabeth, all of Salem, the real estate was assigned to the eldest son, Benjamin Bush, Dec. 28, 1715.* The house was apparently gone before 1724. The location of the house on the lot is uncertain.

Thomas Vealy House. This was a part of the homestead of Elias Mason. His son-in-law, John Robinson of Salem, tailor, had built a house upon it before May 16, 1675, when, with the consent of Mr. Mason, he conveyed the estate to Nathaniel Veren of Salem, carpenter.† Mr. Veren conveyed the house and lot to Thomas Veelee of Salem, laborer, Aug. 31, 1685.‡ Widow Hester Eastwick of Salem released her interest in the land to Mr. Vealy Nov. 25, 1698.§ Mr. Vealy died in 1718, having devised all his estate to his wife Mary Vealy, who, Feb. 19, 1723-4, "in Consideration that my present Dwelling House is very much out of repair & will Quickly be uninhabitable unless Speedily well repaired," and Martin Village, late of Portsmouth, N. H., then resident in Salem, seaman, had promised to put it into good repair and support her for life, she conveyed the house and lot to him.|| She then lived in the house; and six days later married Mr. Village. Mr. Village was a fisherman; and, for one hundred and ten pounds, they conveyed the dwelling house and lot, "where we now dwell," to Dr. Francis Gahtman of Salem Nov. 8, 1731.¶ Doctor Gahtman, for a similar consideration, reconveyed the estate to Mr. Village, who had continued to live there, July 15, 1732.** Mrs. Village died, and he married, secondly, Christian Darling May 5, 1734. Mr. Village, then called a mariner, for love, conveyed to Edward Cox of Salem, wheelwright, for his wife Christian, "my now

dwelling house" and land, Feb. 25, 1735.* Mr. and Mrs. Village, for one hundred and ten pounds, conveyed "our house" and land to Joseph Wakefield of Salem, mariner, Sept. 1, 1736;† and Mr. Wakefield, for a similar consideration, reconveyed the estate to Mrs. Village Nov. 24, 1737.‡ In 1752, the house and lot were the property of Mercy Lambert, spinster, and widow Mercy Lambert, both of Salem, and widow Elizabeth Tapley of Middleton. Mercy Lambert, spinster, for forty pounds, conveyed one-third of the house and land to Philemon Sanders of Salem, trader, Nov. 7, 1752;§ and Mr. Sanders, for thirty-three pounds, six shillings and eight pence, conveyed the same interest in the estate to James Peirce, jr., of Salem, trader, Dec. 18, 1752.|| Mrs. Tapley, for six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence, conveyed her third interest to Mr. Peirce, who is then also called a laborer, Feb. 4, 1754.¶ Mrs. Lambert conveyed her interest to Mr. Peirce June 13, 1754.** For thirty-three pounds, six shillings and eight pence, Mr. Peirce conveyed the house and lot to John White, jr., of Salem, mariner, June —, 1754.†† Mr. White owned the land more than thirty years, but how long the house stood is unknown.

Mary Cox House. This lot was a part of the homestead of Elias Mason. His son-in-law, George Cox (or, Cocks), apparently built a house thereon about the time of his marriage with Mary Mason, Feb. 23, 1667. Widow Hester Eastwick of Salem released her interest in this lot to George Cocks Nov. 25, 1698.‡‡ Mr. Cox died in 1706; and his widow, "Mary Cox, late of Salem, now of Boston," for twenty-seven pounds, conveyed the house

*Probate records.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 63.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 64.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaves 251 and 253.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 42, leaf 85.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 60, leaf 128.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 60, leaf 129.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 70, leaf 237.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 71, leaf 184.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 75, leaf 29.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 98, leaf 58.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 98, leaf 46.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 100, leaf 97.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 100, leaf 98.

††Essex Registry of Deeds, book 101, leaf 57.

‡‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaves 251 and 253.

and lot to Ephraim Skerry of Salem, mariner, Feb. 1, 1712-3;* the conveyance being confirmed by her and Mr. Cox's children, Jonathan Cox, Sarah Cox, Martha Cox, Mary Cox and Hannah Cox, Feb. 21, 1712-3.† Mr. Skerry became a husbandman, and, for ninety pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Robert Hill of Salem, caulker, Aug. 25, 1729.‡ For a similar consideration, Mr. Hill conveyed the estate to John Hill of Salem, mariner, March 15, 1730.§ John Hill died in 1772, possessed of the house and land. His real estate was not divided among his children until Sept. 28, 1787, when the house is called "the old house." The northern half of the house, which fronted on the lane, having "the fore door" in the middle, was assigned to Margaret Clarke, daughter of the deceased, and the southern half to the representatives of Samuel Hill, deceased, son of the deceased John Hill. The house and lot were then valued at fifty-five pounds. Upon the division, the land under and adjoining each half of the house went with the respective halves.

The widow Mary Hill married John Mackmillion of Salem, mariner, Aug. 2, 1780; and she and her husband conveyed the southern half of the house and land to Nathaniel Richardson of Salem, merchant, May 14, 1795.¶ Mr. Richardson died before Feb. 1, 1796, when administration was granted on his estate to his widow Eunice Richardson. The deceased's son, Nathaniel Richardson of Portland, Me., tanner, conveyed one-sixth of that part of the estate to widow Abigail Brooks of Salem May 30, 1796.¶ The widow, Eunice Richardson, of Salem, released her interest, and apparently the interest of her minor children and also of her adult son Joshua Richardson, to Mrs.

Brooks July 8, 1796,* Mr. Richardson having sold it in his lifetime to Mrs. Brooks' husband, John Brooks of Salem, trader, deceased.

Mrs. Clarke died, possessed of the northern half of the house and lot, in the winter of 1798-9; and in her will she said: "I give unto my daughter Margreat in gratitude of her Goodness by taking Care of me in my old age and Infirmities of Life and also in my Sickness the hous I now live in with the land under and adjoining." In the inventory of her estate, this place is described as "an old house with the land under & adjoining; and appraised at seventy dollars. Apparently the old house was gone before 1802.

Thomas Maule Lot. This was a part of the homestead of Elias Mason before 1661; and Nathaniel Felton, aged eighty-four years, and John Massey, aged sixty-nine years, testified that "there was a dwelling house erected upon the land of Elias Mason lying in Salem before ye year of Our Lord 1661 upon the which ye said Mason lived unto his decease which land as wee understand is now in the possession of Thomas Maul." Sworn to March 30, 1700, before John Hathorne and Jonathan Corwine, justices of the peace and quorum.† Upon Mr. Mason's death the land passed to his daughters, Hannah Mason, Mary Cox and Sarah Robinson. Mary's husband, George Cox, sr., became possessed of Sarah's interest in the lot before 1695, when the house was gone. Mr. Cox, for eight pounds and sixteen shillings, conveyed two-thirds of the lot to Thomas Maule of Salem, shopkeeper, Nov. 20, 1695;‡ and Hannah Mason of Salem, singlewoman, for four pounds and thirteen shillings, conveyed her third interest in the lot to Mr. Maule Nov. 14, 1698.§ Widow Hester Eastwick of Salem conveyed her interest in

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 34, leaf 271.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 34, leaf 272.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 52, leaf 78.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 52, leaf 245.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 160, leaf 64.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 161, leaf 289.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 161, leaf 27.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 263.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 120.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 243.

the lot to Mr. Maule Nov. 25, 1698.* Mr. Maule soon afterward sold the lot to Edward Bush, who owned the lot adjoining on the east, for twenty-one pounds, but no deed passed during the lifetime of Mr. Bush. Jan. 22, 1712, Mr. Maule gave a deed of the lot to Mr. Bush's widow and administratrix, Elizabeth Bush.†

William Curtice House. This lot was a portion of the two acres of land conveyed by John Baylies of Salem, tailor, for five pounds and five shillings, to Edward Estwick of Salem, mariner, 8: 8: 1649.‡ Mr. Estwick died in 1666; and his widow, Esther Estwick, who was appointed administratrix, conveyed this lot (which is described as being "on Bass River Side") to William Curtice of Salem Feb. 23, 1668.§ Mr. Curtice built a house upon the lot. He was a blacksmith, and lived in Salem, when he gave the house, barn, shop and lot, by deed, to his son William Curtice, jr., of Salem, Feb. 17, 1704-5.|| The grantee was then living in the house. William Curtice, jr., died in 1741, having devised the house and land around it to his daughter Lydia Stillman, who lived in Salem. She died, a widow, before March 3, 1779, when administration upon her estate was granted to her son William Patterson, who became the owner of the estate. In the inventory of her estate the house is described as "an old house," and with the land adjoining belonging to it was valued at one hundred and forty-seven pounds. Mr. Patterson died before June 26, 1793, when his children, John Patterson, mariner, Joseph Smith, mariner, and his wife Rebecca, Obadiah Wilcock, mariner, and wife Lydia, and John Bolton, mariner, and wife Sarah, all of Salem, for twenty-two pounds and sixteen shillings, conveyed four-fifths of one-

third of the land and buildings to Capt. William Patterson of Salem, mariner.* Captain Patterson died Sept. 6, 1793, possessed of the entire house and land around it, having devised a life-interest in the estate to his wife Mehitable, and the remainder to his children. It subsequently came into the possession of his son William Patterson of Salem, mariner, before 1803, when the house was gone.

Benjamin Pickman House. This lot was a portion of the two acres of land conveyed by John Baylies of Salem, tailor, to Edward Estwick of Salem, mariner, 8: 8: 1649.‡ Mr. Estwick died in 1666; and his widow, Esther Estwick, who was appointed administratrix of his estate, conveyed this lot to Isaac Hide of Salem, mariner, Feb. 23, 1668.‡ Mr. Hide built a house upon the lot; and died in 1680, possessed of the estate, which descended to his only child, Richard Hide, a minor. The house and lot were then appraised at sixty pounds. Richard Hide lived in Salem, and was a mariner. For thirty-three pounds, he conveyed the estate to Benjamin Pickman, jr., of Salem, Dec. 30, 1698.§ For thirty-five pounds, Mr. Pickman (who was then a mariner) conveyed the house and lot to Benjamin Smith of Salem, fisherman, Nov. 11, 1715.|| Mr. Smith died before 1742, and his children, Samuel Smith, fisherman, and Mercy Smith, singlewoman, both of Salem, for forty pounds, conveyed the house and lot to James Hanscom of Salem, mariner, May 26, 1772.¶ How much longer the house stood is unknown.

Esther Estwick House. This lot was a portion of the two acres of land conveyed by John Baylies of Salem, tailor, to Edward Estwick of Salem, mariner, 8: 8: 1649.‡ He built a house upon the lot before 1661; and died in 1666, pos-

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaves 251 and 253.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 25, leaf 97.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 6.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 61.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 19, leaf 116.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 176, leaf 152.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 6.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 51.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 13, leaf 61.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 27, leaf 190.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 130, leaf 79.

sessed of the estate. His widow owned it until her death, about 1701. Her daughter Elizabeth married, first, William Pickman; and, second, Edward Bush; and this house and lot came into her possession. It then passed to the ownership of the latter's daughter, Mary Bush, who married, first, Thomas Searle, and, second, William Frost. Mrs. Frost died about 1750; and her children, William Frost of Boston, shipwright, John Fuller of Lynn, gentleman, and wife Hannah, William Cook of Salem, shipwright, and wife Lydia, and widow Mary Browne of Salem, for twenty-six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence, conveyed four-fifths of the house and land to John Browne of Salem, shipwright (whose wife Elizabeth was another child of Mrs. Frost and owner of the other fifth interest), Dec. 20, 1751.* Mr. Browne owned the house and land as late as 1770, and the house was gone before 1818.

Stephen Haskett House. This was a part of the lot of land that belonged to Richard Raymond in 1649, and subsequently to Alexander Sears. The latter built a house upon it between 1661 and 1668, and died before 1668, possessed of the house and land. In 1669, it belonged to Mary Sears, who was the administratrix of his estate, and the same year wife of Stephen Searle. She was the latter's widow, and of Salem, March 27, 1670, when she mortgaged the house and lot, for forty pounds, to Stephen Haskett of Salem.† The estate was never redeemed, and Mr. Haskett died in 1743, possessed of the house and land around it. His real estate was divided among his heirs March 23, 1746-7, and the house and land around it were assigned to his daughter Sarah, wife of Samuel Ingersoll of Salem, cooper, and she apparently took the house down.

Richard Manning Lot. This lot of land belonged to the estate of Alexander Sears in 1668; and George Thomas of

Salem, gunsmith, owned it in 1669.* Mr. Thomas conveyed the northern half of it to Robert Bronsdon of Boston, merchant, Sept. 9, 1669.† The records reveal no more about the title until 1746, when it belonged to Benjamin Manning, having belonged perhaps to his father Richard Manning.

Humphrey Coombs House. Richard Raymond owned this lot in 1649; and on it, in or before 1661, his son-in-law Humphrey Coombs, seaman, built a dwelling house. Mr. Raymond removed to Seabrook, Conn., before April 7, 1685, when he gave to Mr. Coombs a deed of the land.‡ Mr. Coombs conveyed the house and lot to Samuel Ingersoll of Salem, cooper, Oct. 17, 1705.§ For thirty-eight pounds, Mr. Ingersoll conveyed the estate to Joseph Beadle of Salem, cordwinder, Dec. 10, 1708.|| Mr. Beadle died before 1722, possessed of the house and lot. The estate remained in the possession of his children until 1760, when the house was gone.

Francis Skerry Lot. Richard Raymond owned this lot in 1649; and on it, in 1661, was a house in which he then lived. The land belonged to Francis Skerry as early as 1670, and as late as 1708. The house was gone before 1702.

Estate of John Sanders House. This lot was a part of the land conveyed by John Ingersoll of Salem, mariner, to John Gardner of Salem, mariner, 9: 6 mo: 1656.¶ Mr. Gardner removed to the Island of Nantucket, but returned to Salem before June 23, 1676, when he conveyed that part of this lot lying south of the dashes to John Barton of Salem, surgeon.** For twenty pounds, Doctor Barton conveyed the land to John Sanders of Salem, mariner, Oct. 17, 1681.†† Mr. Gardner removed to the Island of

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 100, leaf 56.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 114.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 102.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 83.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 14, leaf 159.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 17, leaf 100.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 51, leaf 274.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 35.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 138.

††Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 35.

Nantucket again before July 16, 1679, when, for love, he gave, by deed, to John Sanders that part of the lot lying north of the dashes, on which the latter had built a dwelling house before 1676.* Thus Mr. Sanders became possessed of the whole of this lot. He died, possessed of the house and lot, June 9, 1694, at the age of fifty-three; and his widow, Hannah Sanders, died March 18, 1706-7, at the age of sixty-five. In his will, Mr. Sanders devised the lot bought of Doctor Barton to his daughter Hannah, and the house and remainder of the lot to his son Richard Sanders. The next conveyance of the premises on record is that of William Sanders of Boston, shopkeeper, who, for seventy pounds, conveyed the house and lot to Paul Mansfield, jr., of Salem, mariner, Oct. 28, 1720.† Mr. Mansfield died, possessed of the estate, before 1740; and his widow, Sarah Mansfield, of Salem, for one hundred and six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence, conveyed the house and lot to Benjamin Mansfield (nephew of Mr. Mansfield) of Salem, fisherman, Aug. 8, 1765.‡ For twenty-six pounds, Mr. Mansfield conveyed the western half of the house to Jonathan Millet of Salem, mariner, Sept. 14, 1771.§ Mr. Mansfield, for six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence, mortgaged the eastern half of the house and land to Mr. Millet Nov. 8, 1774.|| The house was apparently gone a few years later.

John Gardner House. This house and lot were conveyed by John Ingersoll of Salem, mariner, for fourteen pounds, to John Gardner of Salem, mariner, 9: 6 mo: 1656.¶ Captain Gardner removed to the Island of Nantucket, and died in 1706, possessed of the house and lot. In his will he devised the estate to his grandson, John Gardner of Mendham, in Suf-

folk county, mariner, who, for seventy pounds, conveyed the house and lot to John Langsford of Salem, mariner, April 30, 1713.* Mr. Langsford died before March 11, 1734, when Ezekiel Goldthwright, bricklayer, and wife Esther, and Paul Mansfield, shoreman, and wife Sarah, all of Salem, for four hundred pounds in province bills, conveyed the dwelling house, bake house, shop, barn and land to James Lindall of Salem, esquire.† Mr. Lindall, for a similar consideration, conveyed the same estate to Richard Derby of Salem, mariner, Sept. 18, 1735.‡ The house was removed by Mr. Derby soon after.

William Osborn Lot. This lot was a part of the homestead of Joseph Hardy as early as 1656. Mr. Hardy conveyed it to John Cromwell of Salem, seaman, June 16, 1662;§ and Mr. Cromwell, for five pounds and ten shillings, conveyed it to Benjamin Small of Salem, sailmaker, March 21, 1678-9.|| For three pounds and sixteen shillings, Mr. Small conveyed it to William Osborn of Salem, husbandman, Jan. 25, 1681-2.¶ Mr. Osborn died in the winter of 1729-30, having devised the lot to his son William. The lot measured fourteen feet on each side.

John Cromwell House. That part of this lot which lies north of the dashes was owned by Joseph Hardy as early as 1656. Mr. Hardy, for five pounds sterling, conveyed it to John Cromwell of Salem, seaman, June 16, 1662;§ and Mr. Cromwell built a house upon the lot and lived there during the remainder of his life. Mr. Hardy died in 1688, possessed of the remainder of the lot, and his executors, for ten pounds, conveyed it to Mr. Cromwell May 6, 1689.** Mr. Cromwell became a slaughterer, and died, possessed of the house and entire lot, Sept.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 8.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 39, leaf 7.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 117, leaf 122.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 133, leaf 227.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 133, leaf 228.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1, leaf 35.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 25, leaf 184.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 68, leaf 57.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 74, leaf 143.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 63.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 28.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 6, leaf 39.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 11, leaf 59.

30, 1700. In his will he devised the estate to his cousins, Ann, wife of David Phippen, and Jane, wife of Jonathan Pickering. Jonathan Pickering was a ship-carpenter, and lived in Salem. For forty pounds, he and his wife Jane conveyed one-half of the house and lot to Samuel Phippen, jr., of Salem, mariner, April 18, 1712.* The next day, Mr. Phippen, for a similar consideration, bought the other half interest of widow Anne Phippen of Salem.† Mr. Cromwell's widow, Hannah Cromwell, of Salem, for twenty pounds, had released her life interest in the estate to Mr. Phippen, called a fisherman, April 10, 1712.‡ Mr. Phippen was already living in the house. For eighty pounds, Mr. Phippen mortgaged the estate to Capt. William Pickering of Salem, mariner, March 29, 1714.‡ Mr. Pickering foreclosed the mortgage by taking possession of the premises; and, with Samuel Phippen of Salem, then called a blockmaker, conveyed, for eighty-five pounds, the house, shop and land around them to Joseph Phippen of Salem, cooper, April 1, 1719.§ Mr. Phippen lived here, being at this time a mariner. He died in 1734, possessed of the estate. The house was then valued at sixty pounds, and the shop at twenty-five pounds. His widow, Susanna Phippen, continued to live here. Mr. Phippen's heirs, Joseph Phippen, mariner, and Sarah Phippen, spinster, heirs of Joseph Phippen, deceased son of the deceased, and Sarah Dean, spinster, heiress of Sarah Dean (wife of Thomas Dean, who joins in the deed), deceased, daughter of the deceased Joseph Phippen, sr., all of Salem, for seventy-five pounds, quitclaim their interest in the land (no house being mentioned) to Abraham Watson of Salem, gentleman, Dec. 12, 1782.||

Hannah Marshall House. This lot was a part of the homestead of Joseph

Hardy as early as 1656. He died in 1688, having devised this part of the homestead, which he called the pasture, to his son William Hardy and daughter Hannah Marshall. William Hardy died in 1697, and in his will devised his half of the lot to his sister, Mrs. Marshall, who then built a small dwelling house upon the lot. For one hundred and sixty pounds in current money, she mortgaged the house and land to the executors of the will of Joseph Buckley of Boston, merchant, deceased, Jan. 7, 1706;* and the surviving executrix of Mr. Buckley's will, for fifty pounds, assigned the mortgage to Benjamin Pickman of Boston, mariner, Jan. 27, 1709. Captain Pickman bought the estate of Mrs. Marshall; and died April 26, 1719, possessed of it. It was then appraised at sixty pounds. His widow, Abigail Pickman, and eldest son John Pickman, mariner, both of Salem, conveyed the "small dwelling house" and lot to Jonathan Archer of Salem, cordwainer, Aug. 5, 1723.† Mrs. Marshall had removed to Boston, and died. Probably no deed of the equity had been executed to Captain Pickman by Mrs. Marshall, and therefore her only daughter, Hannah, wife of Joseph Jenkins of Martha's Vineyard, mariner, for five shillings, gave a release of the estate to Abigail Pickman, widow and executrix of the will of her husband, Capt. Benjamin Pickman of Salem, mariner, deceased, Sept. 1, 1724.‡ Mr. Archer gave by deed this house and the land around it to his son Nathaniel Archer of Salem, cooper, April 9, 1734.§ Mr. Archer lived here, and died in 1772, possessed of the house and lot. The house then stood fronting to the south, with the front door in the middle, and end to the street. In his will, Mr. Archer devised the homestead to his wife, Hannah Archer, for her life. The house and land around it were then appraised at four hundred pounds. Their

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 24, leaf 196.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 23, leaf 261.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 49, leaf 158.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 36, leaf 96.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 140, leaf 82.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 21, leaf 232.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 57, leaf 62.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 42, leaf 270.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 66, leaf 86.

son Jonathan Archer had acquired five-ninths of the estate prior to March 1, 1791, when the estate was divided. To Jonathan was assigned the westerly end of the house and that part of the land, and he was also given the use of the well "so long as the present house shall be occupied." John Archer, late of Salem, then of Craven, S. C., and George Archer of Salem, both mariners, sons of George Archer (deceased son of Nathaniel Archer, deceased), for twenty-one pounds, conveyed one-eighth of the house and land around it to Richard Manning, jr., of Salem, blacksmith, Dec. 18, 1793.* Joseph Archer, mariner, Amos Foster, blacksmith (with consent of his wife Sarah), and Hannah Archer, singlewoman, children of Stephen Archer (deceased son of Nathaniel Archer, deceased), for eighty dollars, conveyed their one-fourth of the eastern end of the house and land around it to Mr. Manning March 24, 1798.† Jonathan Archer conveyed the western end of the house and land around it to Mr. Manning, for four hundred dollars, April 19, 1799;‡ and Jonathan Archer conveyed his interest in the eastern end of the house and land around it, for twelve pounds, to Mr. Manning July 31, 1799.§ Mr. Manning died at Newbury, on his way to Maine, April 19, 1813, possessed of this house and lot. In the inventory of his estate, this is called an "old house," and with the land adjoining was valued at one thousand dollars. The house was probably taken down soon afterward.

Benjamin Pickman House. That part of this lot which lies south of the dashes was owned by Joseph Hardy as early as 1656. His son-in-law, Benjamin Pickman, built a house upon the lot before Aug. 17, 1685, when Mr. Hardy conveyed the lot to Mr. Pickman.|| That part of the lot lying north of the dashes also be-

longed to Mr. Hardy, and he died in 1688, possessed of it. In his will, he devised it to his daughter Hannah, widow of John Marshall of Salem, and his son William Hardy. Mrs. Marshall conveyed this strip to Mr. Pickman, who was a mariner, April 22, 1692.* Captain Pickman died in 1719, possessed of the house, barn and lot. His son Joshua Pickman of Boston, mariner, owned the estate June 22, 1745, when, for three hundred pounds, he conveyed the house and lot to Jonathan Phelps of Beverly, blacksmith.† Mr. Phelps removed to Salem, and continued his business. He conveyed the house and lot, for four hundred and sixty-six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence, to his son-in-law Daniel Hathorne of Salem, mariner, Sept. 28, 1772.‡ Captain Hathorne was a commander of several privateers in the war of the Revolution; and died April 18, 1796, possessed of the house and lot. His son Nathaniel Hathorne continued to live in this house after his father's death, and here Nathaniel's son Nathaniel Hawthorne, the great romancer, was born July 4, 1804. The heirs of Capt. Daniel Hathorne, except his daughter Rachel, wife of Simon Forrester of Salem, merchant, namely: Widow Sarah Crowninshield, Judith Archer, Ruth Hathorne, singlewoman, Eunice Hathorne, singlewoman, and Nathaniel Hathorne, Elizabeth M. Hathorne and Maria Loiza Hathorne, minors, by their guardian, conveyed the house and lot to Rachel's husband, Simon Forrester, March 8, 1816.§ Mr. Forrester died in 1817, possessed of the estate; and his executors conveyed his interest in it to his widow, Rachel Forrester, of Salem, Oct. 28, 1817.|| Nov. 17, 1817, Mrs. Forrester conveyed by deed a life estate in the house and land around it to her sisters, widow Crowninshield, Eunice Hathorne, singlewoman,

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 157, leaf 74.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 164, leaf 29.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 165, leaf 94.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 165, leaf 95.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 43.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 9, leaf 38.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 88, leaf 28.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 132, leaf 49.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 210, leaf 48.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 214, leaf 209.

widow Judith Archer and Ruth Hathorne, singlewoman, all of Salem.* She died in the summer of 1823; and her heirs: daughter Nancy, wife of Gideon Barstow of Dedham; daughter Eleanor, wife of Thomas W. Coit of Hartford, Conn.; grandson Isaac Watson Andrew of Salem, son of deceased daughter Catherine; grandchildren Charlotte Story, wife of George H. Devereux, Charles Forrester, Simon Forrester, Rachel Forrester, singlewoman, Elizabeth M. Forrester, singlewoman, Louisa Forrester, singlewoman, and Annie M. Forrester, singlewoman, all of Salem, surviving children of deceased son John Forrester, conveyed the house and land around it to Isaac Cushing of Salem, merchant, June 7, 1850.† Mr. Cushing conveyed the estate to Hannah Beckett, of Salem, singlewoman, for her lifetime, to begin after his decease, Dec. 16, 1858.‡ Mr. Cushing died Jan. 14, 1859; and Miss Beckett died Feb. 12, 1873. The heirs of Mr. Cushing: Elijah C. Thomas, Betsey B. Thomas, Tamar C. Thomas, Sarah B. Thomas, Nathaniel W. Cushing and wife Rachel C., in her right, all of Hanson, Mass., Ruth T. Cushing, George B. Standish and wife Rachel, in her right, all of South Boston, Freeman P. Howland and wife Deborah, in her right, of Abington, and Lemuel B. Hatch and wife Ann C., in her right, of Salem, for twenty-three hundred and seventy-five dollars, conveyed the estate to James Hafey of Salem May 22, 1873.§ Mr. Hafey conveyed it to Andrew Fitz of Salem June 23, 1873;|| and Mr. Fitz conveyed it to Mr. Hafey's wife Elizabeth on the same day.¶ Mrs. Hafey (or, Heafey), died, a widow, Jan. 12, 1879, possessed of the house and land around it, the title to which then passed under her will and also by inheritance to her sister Mrs. Catherine Quinlan of Westerly,

R. I., then a widow. Mrs. Quinlan, for fourteen hundred dollars, conveyed the estate to its present owner, William White of Salem June 16, 1882.* The frontispiece of this number of the *Antiquarian* is a picture of this house as it now appears.

James Hardy House. This was a part of the homestead of Joseph Hardy as early as 1657, and this was his dwelling house. He died in 1688, possessed of the estate, and in his will he devised it to his son James Hardy, "with the wharf, warehouse," etc. James Hardy was a mariner, and died in 1703, apparently without issue, leaving a widow, Ruth Hardy. Hannah Marshall released her interest in the estate to the widow, Ruth Hardy, Nov. 16, 1703.† Mrs. Hardy married Ezekiel Upton of Reading, husbandman, Jan. 23, 1711-2; and they released the estate to Samuel Swasey of Salem, shipwright, March 25, 1717.‡ The house was gone before the death of Mr. Swasey, which occurred in February, 1739.

Estate of James Brown House. This was a part of the homestead lot of William Jeggles, who died in or before 1659. His widow and administratrix of his estate conveyed this part of the estate to James Brown of Salem, merchant, Sept. 30, 1665.§ Mr. Brown built a house and barn upon the lot: and died in or before 1676, possessed of the estate. The house, barn and land were then valued at two hundred pounds. The house contained a hall, parlor, kitchen, porch, hall chamber, parlor chamber, kitchen chamber, porch chamber and garret. Mr. Brown's widow, Hannah, married Dr. John Swinnerton, and when the latter's widow, of Salem, she conveyed the house lot, etc., to Capt. William Pickering of Salem, mariner, the husband of her daughter Hannah Brown, upon the agreement that he should support her (Mrs. Swin-

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 214, leaf 210.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 434, leaf 238.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 581, leaf 233.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 882, leaf 297.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 882, leaf 298.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 883, leaf 298.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 1084, leaf 242.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 21, leaf 126.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 32, leaf 6.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 2, leaf 112.

nerton) during the remainder of her life, April 29, 1706.* Both Mrs. Swinnerton and Mr. Pickering lived in the house at that time. Captain Pickering died in 1723, having in his will given the estate to his wife Hannah's disposing. Upon her death it passed to their children. In 1723, the house contained, among other rooms, a "bed room below," kitchen chamber, garret, shop, shop chamber and shop garret. The house, barn and land were then valued at three hundred pounds. Feb. 23, 1737, a division of the estate occurred, and Adoniram Collins, cooper, and wife Hannah and Mary Pickering, spinster, all of Salem, children of Captain Pickering, for two hundred and sixty-six pounds and thirteen shillings, released the north end part of the house (in which end was the "great room") and lot to Abraham Watson of Salem, joiner, and wife Elizabeth (their sister);† and Mr. and Mrs. Watson and Mary Pickering, for two hundred pounds, released the southern half of the house and land around it to Mr. and Mrs. Collins (their sister).‡ There was also at that time on this lot and near the house on the south side "ye little house now in ye possession of Thomas Gilpin." The main house fronted on Union street. Mr. Collins became a mariner, and he and his wife, for sixty-one pounds and five shillings, conveyed their part of the original house and land adjoining (but not the little house that had been occupied by Thomas Gilpin and then by John Lander) to Mr. Watson, who, with his wife, owned the other half, Sept. 1, 1742.‡ Mr. and Mrs. Watson, for three hundred pounds, conveyed the house and lot to John Watson of Salem, schoolmaster, June 8, 1785;§ and John Watson, for a similar consideration, conveyed the house and lot to Abraham Watson June 11, 1785.|| Mr. Watson died July 6, 1790, at the age of seventy-eight,

having devised the estate to his son John Watson. Mr. Watson lived in Salem; and, for five thousand dollars, conveyed the estate to the Salem Union Street corporation June 22, 1808.* The house was then removed.

Robert Glanfield House. This lot was a portion of the homestead of William Jeggles of Salem, who died in or before 1659. His widow and administratrix Elizabeth Jeggles and son Thomas Jeggles of Salem, mariner, for eleven pounds, conveyed that part of the lot lying north of the dashes to Robert Glanfield of Salem, mariner, April 16, 1667.† Mr. Glanfield built a house upon the lot.

That part of the lot lying southerly and westerly of the dashes was assigned to widow Elizabeth Greene of Malden, daughter of William Jeggles, deceased, and she conveyed it to Mr. Glanfield May 10, 1675.‡

That part of the lot lying southerly and easterly of the dashes descended to Thomas Jeggles of Salem, mariner, and, for seven pounds, he conveyed it to Mr. Glanfield Aug. 17, 1677.§

Mr. Glanfield lived here and died in 1702, possessed of the house and lot. The house and ground were then valued at forty-five pounds. John Lander of Salem, joiner, and wife Sarah, daughter of Mr. Glanfield, conveyed their part of the house and lot to Samuel Carlton of Salem, mariner, Dec. 30, 1732.|| Mr. Glanfield's daughter Lydia married William Carkeet before 1702, and died in 1728, leaving two sons, Benjamin Carkeet of Eddinton, N. C., and Robert Carkeet of Salem, both mariners. Benjamin Carkeet conveyed his interest in the estate to Mr. Carlton Dec. 30, 1732,¶ and Robert Carkeet conveyed his part of the house and lot to Mr. Carlton on the same day.** Captain Carl-

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 18, leaf 181a.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 75, leaf 121.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 82, leaf 138.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 143, leaf 172.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 143, leaf 182.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 185, leaf 53.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 3, leaf 10.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 111.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 10.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 61, leaf 194.

¶Essex Registry of Deeds, book 61, leaf 195.

**Essex Registry of Deeds, book 61, leaf 213.

ton died in the spring of 1767, possessed of the house and lot, having devised it to his children. Upon the division of his estate, this house and land around it was assigned to his son William Carlton of Salem, mariner, Nov. 18, 1767.* William Carlton removed to Boston, and, for two hundred and five pounds, conveyed the house and lot to William Cheever of Salem, cordwainer, Oct. 11, 1784.† Mr. Cheever died Nov. 29, 1786, at the age of thirty-four, possessed of the estate, which was then valued, with a larger piece of land, at two hundred and eighty-five pounds. His son, William Cheever of Boston, housewright, conveyed his interest in the house and lot to Jeremiah Bulfinch of Lynn, broker, who had married his mother, for two hundred and fifty dollars, Jan. 8, 1803.‡ For one thousand and fifty dollars, Mr. Bulfinch conveyed his interest in the house and land to Richard Manning, jr., of Salem, blacksmith, June 22, 1803,§ and, for five hundred and fifty dollars, Mr. and Mrs. Bulfinch conveyed her dower right in the estate to Mr. Manning, the house being called the "old dwelling house," on the same day.‡ As guardian of her children, William and Sally Cheever, minors, for eight hundred and ten dollars, Mrs. Bulfinch conveyed their interest in the estate to Mr. Manning on the same day.§ Mr. Manning died in 1813, possessed of the old house and lot, which were then appraised at one thousand dollars. The house disappeared while the estate was in the possession of the heirs a short time afterward.

Dr. William Bentley of Salem, in his journal for the year 1802, gives an account of the removal of this house. He probably has reference to the original portion of the house, and not to the part that was added to it in 1732 by Captain Carlton. Doctor Bentley wrote as follows:—

"June 17 [1802]. This day was taken down one of the oldest houses in Salem,

which stood in Union street on the western side one third of the distance from Essex to Derby S. It faced southerly, projected far into the street on its eastern end. The door was on the western side of the front, the window central under a very high pitch of the roof. In the second story was a larger window than below filling the front pitch of the roof, as in Shakespeare's house. The roof was high & sharp. At the eastern end was a small part added with a window only on the south side for bed rooms, & then a kitchen at the western end. Each part had chimnies. The old house at the western end, & the eastern part on the western side, but the kitchen was built with a chimney near the middle chimney but detached from it. The history of this house is, That it belonged formerly to Robert Glanfield, as say his heirs when it was sold to Capt. Samuel Carlton. Upon Robert Glanfield's decease William Carkeet his Son in Law possessed it till death, & his sons Benjamin & Robert disposed of it in 1732 to Capt. Samuel Carlton for 160 Province bills. Carkeet's son Benj. lived in Edenton N C in the County of Tyrell. Capt. Carlton built the kitchen or western end, when he bought it. In the Sale the Commonages are reserved, so that it was built before the settlement of these by Law, & probably as early as 1680. It was bounded in 1732 southerly on Land of Samuel Whitefoot, westerly on land of Eliza Gerrish, Paul Kimball, Jona Archer & John Browne, easterly on Union street, & northerly on Pickering's land. Chimnies laid with clay, & frame of the house filled with clay & bricks."

Thomas Jeggles House. This was a part of the homestead of William Jeggles of Salem, shipwright, who lived in this house, and died in or before 1659. His homestead ran through to Essex street, and with the house it was valued at that time at thirty-five pounds. This part of the lot descended with the house to his son Thomas Jeggles, who, for twenty-five pounds, conveyed it to his son Thomas

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 121, leaf 221.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 137, leaf 249.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 172, leaf 200.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 172, leaf 201.

Jeggles, jr., of Salem April 10, 1686.* Thomas Jeggles, jr., died about 1702, when the house was in the possession of his son William Jeggles of Boston, leather-dresser. William Jeggles and his brother Thomas Jeggles of Boston, leather-dresser, conveyed the lot, for fifteen pounds, to Philip English of Salem, merchant, Jan. 7, 1708.† There were then no buildings on the lot.

John and Elizabeth Whitefoot House. Joseph Swasey owned this lot in 1672, and in consideration of love he conveyed it to his daughter Elizabeth, wife of John Whitefoot of Salem, seaman, and the heirs of their bodies Dec. 14, 1686.‡ Mr. and Mrs. Whitefoot apparently built a house on the lot, and in 1707 died possessed of the house, which was then valued at twenty-two pounds. They, also, then had a part of a wharf, adjoining the lot, which was valued at eight pounds. The house disappeared immediately afterward.

Samuel Gardner Lot. This lot of pasture land belonged to William Jeggles as early as 1659.

That part of the lot lying north of the northern dashes belonged to Elizabeth Webb in 1672; and the title to it passed to John Browne, jr., of Salem, mariner, apparently before 1677.

That part of the lot lying south of the dashes, with a house thereon, belonged to Job Hilliard of Salem, mariner, at the time of his death in 1670. The house and this part of the lot were then valued at seventy pounds. The administratrix of his estate conveyed this part of the lot, the house apparently being gone, to Mr. John Browne June 28, 1672.§ Mr. Browne died in or before 1677, when the whole lot was valued at twenty pounds. It descended to his son John Browne of Salem, mariner, who conveyed it to Samuel Gardner of Salem, merchant, Dec. 27, 1688.|| Mr. Gardner owned it until 1706.

This and the land between it and Union street was called "Jeggles' green" for many years about 1700.

Samuel Gardner House. Elder John Browne of Salem, a merchant and mariner, owned this land as early as 1660. He built a house, barn and warehouse upon the land, a part of which was devoted to an orchard. In 1683, the house was probably occupied by John Bullock. Mr. Browne died in 1685, having devised the premises to his grandson John Browne of Salem, mariner. In 1688, Samuel Shattock lived in the house; and Dec. 27th of that year Mr. Browne conveyed the same estate to Samuel Gardner of Salem, merchant.* Captain Gardner gave the estate to his son John Gardner of Salem, shipwright, by deed dated Feb. 7, 1705-6.† Capt. John Gardner conveyed the house and land, for one hundred and five pounds, to Rev. Joseph Gerrish of Wenhams Feb. 8, 1706.‡ Mr. Gerrish, for love, conveyed the estate to his son John Gerrish of Salem, shipwright, upon the latter's intermarriage with Elizabeth Higginson, Oct. 21, 1707.§ John Gerrish, for one hundred and thirty-five pounds, conveyed the estate to his father-in-law, John Higginson, sr., of Salem, merchant, May 23, 1715.|| Colonel Higginson died in 1720, having devised the estate to his daughter, Elizabeth Gerrish, who still lived in the house. Madam Gerrish probably removed the house immediately.

Samuel and Elizabeth Gardner House. Elder John Browne of Salem, a merchant and mariner, owned this land as early as 1660, and probably built this house for his son Jonathan to live in. Jonathan died in or before 1667, and afterward the house was let to various tenants, among whom was his son John in 1675, and probably Robert Hodge in 1680. Elder John Browne died in 1685, and under his

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 69.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 26, leaf 135.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 7, leaf 140.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 4, leaf 188.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 117.

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 8, leaf 117.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 18, leaf 159.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 17, leaf 129.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 22, leaf 49.

||Essex Registry of Deeds, book 29, leaf 245.

will this house and lot became the property of his daughter Elizabeth, wife of Capt. Samuel Gardner, and her husband. In 1688, the house was occupied by Joseph Phippen and Richard Peters; in 1702, by widow Cox; and in 1706 by widows Cox and Henfield. For forty pounds, Samuel Gardner of Salem, yeoman, conveyed the house and land around it to Jonathan Very of Salem, cordwainer, Oct. 25, 1723,* and for sixty-two pounds, Mr. Very conveyed the same estate to Paul Kimball, formerly of Wenham, but then of Salem, currier, June 2, 1724.† Mr. Kimball died in 1755, having devised the house, shop and land around them to his wife Sarah. The estate was then valued at one hundred and thirty-six pounds, thirteen shillings and four pence. The house was gone in 1786, when Mrs. Kimball sold the lot.

Bartholomew Browne and Hannah Swinnerton House. All the land on the eastern side of Walnut street was early the estate of Elder John Browne of Salem, a merchant and mariner. Mr. Browne evidently built a house upon this lot before 1661, and let his son James Browne occupy it, from his marriage, in 1664, probably. James Browne was a merchant, and was murdered in Maryland Nov. 12, 1675. John Browne, the father, for love, conveyed to his son James' widow, Hannah Browne, the eastern part of the dwelling house, where she then lived, the yard belonging thereto; and, also, the little garden shown on the map, March 3, 1679-80.‡ Mrs. Hannah Browne subsequently married Dr. John Swinnerton, and, when his widow, for love, conveyed the little garden to her son Dr. Bartholomew Browne of Salem Sept. 24, 1695.§ John Browne, sr., died in 1685, and in his will he devised a part of his estate to the four children of his deceased son James Browne. Apparently the remainder of this house

and lot was assigned to them, and subsequently released to Doctor Browne, the eldest of the children. The house was standing in 1702, but was probably gone soon afterward.

Jeggles Island. This island was granted by the town of Salem March 31, 1684: "Voated that the towne doe grant unto Thomas Gardner their Right in that Island in the South River that lyeth before Mr. Jos^e Hardy Sen^{rs} dore." Lieutenant Gardner died Nov. 16, 1695, possessed of the island. It descended to his daughter Mary, wife of Capt. William Bowditch, who conveyed all but two-twelfths of it (which interest he retained) to the members of the Union Wharf company other than himself (one of whom he was) in 1726. March 20, 1726-7, the company obtained liberty from the town to build a long wharf from the island to the present junction of Union and Derby streets, and the wharf was duly built. Pickering's coal sheds are now located upon this island, and Union street passes over its western side. The following deposition relating to the depth of water at this place is printed in the Historical Collections of the Essex Institute, volume III, page 289:—

"The Deposition of Stephen Daniels, Sen'r, aged about sixty years, and Samuel Foot, Sen'r aged about fifty seven years, testify and say that they well remember that there was a channel of water running between Jeggle Island, so called, and the Flats by Kanly and Whitefoot's lands, and that at low water it was so deep as for a canoe to pass and repass, and that there was no wading over from the spear to sd Island, but only at low Ebbs, and they further say that they assisted in carrying a ship of about two hundred tons up the sd channel, betwixt the Island and sd Flats. Salem, February 23d, 1729-30.

"Stephen Daniels,
Samuel Foot.

"Sworn before Benj'n Lynde and Samuel Browne, Quorum, in perpetuam rei memoriam."

*Essex Registry of Deeds, book 43, leaf 102.

†Essex Registry of Deeds, book 84, leaf 245.

‡Essex Registry of Deeds, book 5, leaf 86.

§Essex Registry of Deeds, book 10, leaf 69.

PURCHASE FAMILY.

BY FREDERICK MORGAN STEELE.

In the last number of the *Antiquarian* appeared a most interesting article on the Purchase family. Its main purport was to prove the identity of the second wife of Thomas Purchase, the early emigrant, and first settler at Merry Meeting Bay in Maine. Its author has done a service to all interested in the records of this family, which, though small, numbers among its early members many prominent men, whose attainments and energy made a lasting impress upon their generation.

As a result of considerable study, I am able to add something to the general fund of information.

Thomas Purchase, gentleman, born in England about 1577, came to America in 1628. In 1631 he again visited Boston, and while there married, first, Mary Grove, whom Sir Christopher Gardiner calls his cousin. She died in Boston Jan. 7, 1656, and he married, second, in 1657, Elizabeth Andrews, born in England in 1633, daughter of Samuel and Jane Andrews of Saco, Maine. This second wife was mother of all of his five children. It was a case of May and December, for she was twenty-four, and he a vigorous old man of eighty. He died at Lynn, Mass., May 11, 1678. His will, dated May 2, 1677, mentions wife Elizabeth and five children, and speaks of his cousin, Mr. Oliver Purchase, of the firm of Hammersmith & Co. His widow married, for her third husband, Nov. 3, 1679, John Blaney, sr., of Lynn. The children of Thomas Purchase were Thomas, Jane, Elizabeth, Abraham and Sarah. Thomas, the eldest, of Salem, married, Dec. 3, 1679, Elizabeth Williams, daughter of John Williams of Salem. On business connected with the charter, he was sent to England about 1681, and on his voyage over, or on his return, was lost at sea. He was never heard from, and was officially declared dead in 1684. The only child of this union was a son, Thomas³, born Jan. 20, 1680. The widow, Elizabeth (Williams)

Purchase, married, as his second wife, John Blaney, at Marblehead, Dec. 30, 1683.

It is of this fatherless boy, Thomas³, more particularly that I write. Born in Salem, he undoubtedly was taken to Marblehead with his mother, upon her second marriage. From this time till 1715, when he was thirty-five years of age, I lose track of him. Perhaps others may locate him. At that date he appears, a blacksmith by trade, at Wallingford, then called New Haven Village, Conn. He lived there from 1715 to 1718, and had no land record at that place. But the following record is found there, book 2, page 800: "John, son to thomas purchase, born Sept^{hr} y^e 16, 1716, and died October y^e 15. Mary, Daughter to thomas purchis, born August y^e 30, 1717." Invited by the new settlement of Enfield to remove his blacksmith shop to that place, and further induced by a grant of land, as shown by the town records of date Feb. 4, 1716-7, he took his family and became a resident for the balance of his working life at Enfield. Jan. 18, 1727, Thomas Purchase and Hannah baptized their three daughters, Mary, Hannah and Lydia.

On coming to Wallingford, they evidently brought with them their older children, Elizabeth, Jonathan and Thomas. Where Thomas, the father, lived, who the wife Hannah was, whether she was his only wife, and where they were married, are at present conundrums. The family, however, would be something like this:—

Elizabeth⁴, probably named for her father's mother, married, Dec. 26, 1728, Thomas Roe³, born July, 1708 (Peter², Hugh¹).

Jonathan⁴ owned the covenant and was baptized May 21, 1727; admitted to full communion Aug. 18, 1728; married, Nov. 10, 1734, Margaret Worthington of Springfield, Mass. "Margaret ye wife of Jonathan Purchase admitted to full communion March 6, 1737." After some years in Somers, he went to Springfield, Mass., where he set up a blacksmith

shop on the west side of the river, and where his father spent his declining years. I assume that he was born about 1710.

Thomas⁴ was baptized June 22, 1735, and admitted to full communion. He married, April 7, 1738, Sarah Parsons, both being of Somers. Their children were as follows: Sarah, born Oct. 1, 1739; Editha, born April 26, 1741; Hannah, born June 6, 1743; Thomas, born Aug. 17, 1746; died Oct. 9, 1747. Sarah, the mother, "wife Thos. Purchase," died Nov. 23, 1773, aged fifty-seven. Somers church records show that Thomas Purchase died Nov. 15, 1806, aged ninety-four, making his birth date 1712.

John⁴, born in Wallingford, Conn., Sept. 16, 1716; died Oct. 15, 1716.

Mary⁴, born in Wallingford Aug. 30, 1717; baptized at ten years of age, at
Wallingford, Jan. 2, 1737

Hannah⁴, baptized in Enfield Jan. 18, 1727; perhaps born in 1719.

Lydia⁴, perhaps born about 1721, and baptized at Enfield Jan. 18, 1727; married in Canaan, Conn., Aug. 7, 1743, Lemuel Roberts. He was born in Colchester, Conn., March 24, 1717.

Thomas Purchase³ died, in old age, at West Springfield, Mass.

The proof of this line, which eluded notice for many years, is on record in the registry of deeds, York county, Maine, in a quitclaim deed, in which "Thomas Purchase of Endfield, in the County of Hampshire and Province of the Massachusetts Bay in New England, Yeoman, conveyed to Samuel Waldo of Boston May 14, 1734, lands 'which were long since granted to George Way of Dorchester in the Kingdom of England late dec'd, and my late Grandfather Thomas Purchase and by him held possessed and improved from the third year of King Charles the first by pattent from the Council of Plymouth until the great Indian war on or about 1675 . . . and descending to me the s'd Thomas Purchase Grandson of Thomas Purchase late of Pejeboscott in the late Province of

Maine now part of the Massachusetts Bay which said Thomas Granter to these Presents was only Son of Thomas Purchase Eldest Son of the Original Patentee and Grandfather of the Present Grantor.' "

So we have the line, beginning with the Maine settler, Thomas Purchase, and his second wife, Elizabeth Andrews (daughter of Samuel and Jane). Thomas Purchase and Elizabeth Williams, daughter of John of Salem, Thomas Purchase and Hannah ——. I have yet to find the marriage record of the last Thomas, born in 1680, to Hannah —, and that of their earlier children, which are known to me, viz.: Elizabeth, Jonathan and Thomas. Through the valuable columns of the *Antiquarian* perhaps later the missing links may appear.

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WILL OF LAWRENCE LEACH.

The nuncupative will of Lawrence Leach of Salem was proved in the court at Salem 25 : 4 : 1662. The following is a copy of the original paper on file in the office of the clerk of courts at Salem, volume VIII, leaf 33.

Larance Leach Aged 85 years or thereabouts beinge parfitt in memory neer a yeare befoe his death expreffed himfelfe vnto vs whose names are heervnder written in the disposing of that w^{ch} hee had, we beinge vrgent wth him to make his will his expreffions to vs was this first he said that he did owe thirtie || pounds || for the mill & his will was that his wife should pay his debts and when his debts ware paid that fhee should take all hee had.

John Porter

John Bacheller

WILL OF ANNE FULLER.

The nuncupative will of Anne Fuller of Salem (?) was proved in the court in Salem 25 : 4 : 1662. The following is a copy of the original paper on file in the office of the clerk of courts at Salem, volume VIII, leaf 35.

Anne ffuller widdow aged 79 yeares beinge *very* ficke and weake, beinge in perfect memory *and* 2 or 3 dayes before her decease defired vs [whose] names ar vnderwritten to be witneffes to this her dispoſinge of what ſhe had, & firſt ſhe ſd her wil was that her ſon Richard Leach ſhould have her 5 acre lot for the charge of her burial, & her red waſtcoate ſhe *gave* vnto Bethiah ſparrow, and her . . . that John Leach & Sara Leach haue on of her Cowes betweene them & what ſhe had more ſhe gaue vnto her ſon Richard Leach.

Jonathan Wallcott
the marke of
John & Rowdon

wife for to helpe bring vp my children and after her death what is left my will is ſhall be devyded amongst my children acording to her diſcreffion Item I make my || wife || ſole executrix of this my laſt will and testament In wittneſ that this is my laſt will & *and* testament I haue heervnto fett my hand the ſixth day of may 1662 In wittneſ that this is my will

This was ſigned &
published to be the laſt
will and testament of
Plipp call in the
preſence of vs

John Caldwell
Richard ſmith
Robert Lord

Php Call

WILL OF PHILIP CALL.

The will of Philip Call of Ipſwich was proved in the court at Ipſwich Sept. 30. 1662. The following copy of the inſtrument was taken from the original on file in the probate office at Salem.

I Philip Call of Ipſwich in New England in the county of Eſſex being ſick of body but Inioying my memorye and vnderſtanding doe make this my laſt will and testament, for my outward eſtate w^{ch} God hath Given me I thus diſpoſe after my debts are diſcharged I giue vnto my wife mary call all my land in old England dureing her natural Life and after her deceaſe my will is that my ſonn Phillip call ſhall haue and inioy the ſame to him and to his heires for euer and Alſoe I doe giue vnto my fayd wife mary call my Houſe and Land about it in Ipſwich in New england aforeſayd for the terme of her naturall Life and after her death my will is my daughter mary call ſhall have and Inioye the ſame and my will is that if any of my children departe this life before they come to age or the fayd lands come into there poſſeſſion then the ſurviveing ſhall haue and Inioy the whole and my will is that my ſonn Philip call ſhall haue a cow and my daughter mary a calfe to be impued for there uſe & benifitt and for the reſt of my eſtate I giue vnto my

BANCROFT—BONYTHON.

BY CHARLES E. BANKS, M. D.

The gencalogy of the Bancroft family in the *Antiquarian*, VI., 57-59, may be ſupplemented by the following data, which was collected by me years ago when I prepared the Bonython genealogy for publication in the Register:—

John³ Bonython, jr. (John², Richard¹) of the Saco, Maine, family, had among other children, Mary, living 1731, who was then the wife of John Bancroft, jr., of Lynn. The eſtate of Bonython, who died ſometime after 1694, was not finally ſettled till 1732. Mary Bancroft declining to adminiſter, her couſin, Sarah Andrews, was appointed, and in the account of the adminiſtratrix is an item of expenſe for “journey to Reding, Lyn & marblehead to notify ſome of the Heirs of John Benighton.”

It may be that this Mary Bonython had previously married a Mansfield, and was the widow Mary Mansfield who became the ſecond wife of Dea. John³ Bancroft in 1724. Evidence of the above alliance is to be found in York connty, probate records, IV., 105, 125, and the Bonython line runs into a diſtinguiſhed family in Cornwall.

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IPSWICH COURT RECORDS AND FILES.

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Court, March 28, 1654.

Judges: Mr. Brodstreet, Mr. Symonds and Major-general Denison.

Trial jury: Georg Gidding, Thomas Harte, Jo Layton, Tho: Wells, Will Adams, jr., Jo: Denison, Will Sticknye, Jo: Person, Tho: Abbott, Jo: Poore, Jo: Bayley and Rich Petengall.

[Writ: Mr. William Bartholmew v. Abraham Pirkins and Francis Swaine; dated Sept. 21, 1653; by the court, John Whipple.

Writ: Henry Archer v. Humphrey Griffin; dated Sept. 22, 1653; by the court, John Whipple.

Writ: Mr. Henry Web——, administrator of estate of Robert ffilbrick v. Henry Walker and Mr. William Norton; dated 23: 7: 1653; by the court, John Whipple.

Writ: Mr. William Bartholmew v. ——— Waker; dated Sept. —, 1653; by the court, John Whipple.

Goodee Pamore deposed: I heard goodman Anchor, as he reckoned with my husband, say that goodee Tayler had fourteen quarts of beer in her sickness. Reckoned for Samll Taylor.

Robert Lord, constable, stated that Robert Rodgers, William Sawyer, William Sammun, Trustram Cofen, sr., Trustram Cofen, jr., Anthony Mos, sr., Samuel Mowdey and Henry Short were defective in the town watch at Newbury, and that Edmon Woodman and John Woodman were negligent in warning the watch.

Bill of Jn^o Giffard.

Bill of John Pickard, constable; report four grand jury men, Richard Swan, Hugh Smith, James Barker and John Trumble.

John Kittell, aged about thirty-two years, the last day of the last month he was at goodman Tucker's house, and there he heard William Vinson say that he heard goodman Avery was aboard a ship where liquor was a drinking and dandled another man's wife upon his

knee, and the foolish man, her husband, looked on the while. Sworn at Gloucester, before the commissioners, 10: 3 mo: 1655. Signed by Robert Tucker and the mark of John $\frac{1}{2}$ H Harden.

Writ: John Hatorne v. Joseph Armatage. Thomas Looke is mentioned. Dated Sept. 19, 1653; by the court, Edward Burchum. Served by John ffuller, constable of Lin.

Writ: Mr. Will Browne, attorney of Capt. Robert *Hardey* v. Ri: Margerum; dated 23: 1: 1653; by the court, Jonath. Megus. Served by Ri: Wayte, marshall of Suffolk, by attachment of defendant's house and land in Boston 29: 1: 1654.

Writ: Mr. John Giffard, agent of the Iron Works v. Mr. John Becx & Co., Mr. Henry Webe and Mr. Joshua ffoote & Co. of the undertakers of the Iron Works; dated Oct. 12, 1653; by the court, Edward Burchum. Served by John ffrench, constable of Brantre.

Clement Colldam of Gloucester stated that he wrongly said that Wm. Evans of Gloster stole boards that he had laid at the high water mark at Gloucester, and he is sorry for it.

Wm. Hathorne certifies that he heard Mr. Wm. Browne say (at Mr. Geedney's) to Theop^s Salter that he would never meddle more in the case between Mary Smith and said Salter.

Writ: Capt. Kempo Sibada v. Edward Hull, Walter Joy and Thomas Gould, to answer at Boston for taking away all his goods in his trading house at Block Island; dated 28: 7: 1653; by the court, Jonathan Negus. Served by Rich: Wayte, marshall of Suffolk, by attachment of bark of Edward Hull, etc. Increase Nowell certified to the judgment for the plaintiff.

Mr. Benodick Arnald and Francis Smith deposed, being now in discourse with Thomas Gould, inhabitant of Newport, R. I., about bills due from Ens. Briant, William Gibbens and Rich Lord to Edward Hull for French goods that were taken upon the island. Gould answered that he knew said bills were in

the hands of Mr. Robt: Hull and John Hull, brother and father to said Edward Hull. Sworn 12: 9 mo: 1653, before William Stebbins.

Certificate of proceedings in the case of Sibardo v. Hull et al. Petition to the General Assembly at Portsmouth Aug. 17, 1653. Members present Aug. 29, 1653, Mr. Nicholas Eastone, Mr. Randall Holden, general assistants, Willi: Lytherland, general recorder, Rich: Knight, general sergent; the jurors, Mr. William Jeffeyes, foreman, Edward Smith, Marmaduke Ward, Thom: Tooley, Rich: Card, James Weeden, sr., Willi: Weeden, Robrt Griffin, Nicho: Blatchford, Richard Bulgar, Lawrence Turner and Thomas Durgin. Pleadings. William Dyre certifies. Evidence: William Bartlet said that Capt. Sybardo was to fetch bread for the town of Pequitt, and that divers English had goods there, and were to go passengers in the vessel with Sybardo. Holland was among the goods. Mr. Lurabie said that there were several passengers' goods in the vessel and that she was taken about 18th or 19th of April, etc. A letter from John Winthrop. Certificate that Sybado had been an inhabitant of Pequit about two years. Nicho: Easton is referred to. Attested by William Leatherland, general recorder "for the pvince of Providence plantations." Also attested by Increase Nowell.

Deposition of Walter Joye: I was employed by Capt. Edward Hull to bring a boat from Rhode Island to Boston, ye bark Swallow friget, which had been employed under Edward Hull command p commissioners from Rhode Island against ye Dutch. I was ordered by Edward Hull to deliver it to Robert Hull and John Hull, father and brother respectively to said Edward, with a barrel of vinegar, an anchor of brandy and some linen as holland or dowlas; that Mr. Attwater, Mr. Richard Lord, Mr. Will: Gibbens, John Crosse and Ensign Bryant bought of Capt. Edward Hull some goods. Mr. Wilkes was master of ye Swallow friget, etc. Goods taken

from ye French mentioned. Sworn 14: 9: 1653, before William Stebbens.

Ralph Earll, sr., of Parchmouth, R. I., deposed that Samuel Comstock came to Rhode Island with Edward Hull upon the bark called the Swallow frigott, of this bark said Comstock was owner of one-eighth part, and was employed on it upon a man-of-war designed against the Dutch. He sold his eighth to me, and I sold it to Edward Hull, whose father is Robert and brother is John Hull. Josias Wilkis brought the price, etc., to me from said E. Hull. Sworn 12: 9 mo: 1653, before William Stebbens.

Richard Cheichley, aged forty-seven years, and Richard Holledge, aged thirty-eight years, testified with William Denning, about service to the Commonwealth of England. Sworn 26: 9: 1653, before Richard Parker, commissioner. Copy, attested by Edward Rawson, recorder.

Robt. Sanderson, aged forty-five years, deposed that Edward Hull, etc., in 1653.

Examination of Daniell Gun, taken Dec. 5, 1653. He was servant to John Chater (being weak and lying in bed). About eighteen months since, his dame Alice, the wife of said Chater, came to his bedside and brought his victuals, etc., and said if her husband was dead he should be her husband. He criminally assaulted her, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court Dec. 5, 1653.

Willam Holdred and his wife Isebell testified that about the last of November they were at the house of John Chater of Newbury by the fireside with said Chater's wife, she having formerly said that she knew something of Daniell Gun. Alice (John Chater's wife) went to her husband and confessed to him in an audible voice about the act. Sworn in Ipswich Dec. 5, 1653.

Georg Croskum testified that about three years ago I fished at Munhegan with Mr. Hill, and I staid upon the island after John Devorix came away, and the latter left upon the island two swine and entrusted me and William Liloby to put them aboard John Wilkeson's which

promised to bring them in the bay, and so Mathue Abdie and William Eavens killed one of them and spent it in their voyage. Sworn before Jo: Endecott, gov.

Francis Wajnwright and Nathaniell Piper certify to Goodman Lord that they will satisfy him for Henry Walker's two barrels of mackerel. Ipswich, Sept. 27, 1653.

Theophilus Wilson, constable, returned grand jury men in 1652; good Gittens, Mr. John Apleton, good Perkins, sr., good Adams, sr., Mr. Tredwell and good Pengre of Ipswich.

Robbard Robbords deposed that the lot called the six-acre lot by Seargent Fowle's had very good corn on it. Sworn in Ipswich court 27: 7: 1653.

Edmund Bridges, attorney of John Caldwell and Edmund Bridges, testified, being in Goodman Bridges' shop, Goodman — being present, he heard him say that a woman and her daughter saw four women, Mrs. Perkins, goody Evens, goody Dutch, etc.

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Isaack Coussens v. Stephen Kent. For not delivering a horse and colt that came of a gray mare. [Writ: Isaack Cosens v. Stephen Kente of Haverhill; dated March 20, 1653; by the court, John Whipple.

John Tillitson (also, Tillotson) testified that on a lecture day at Newbury about the middle of the winter he heard Isack Cossens demand two colts of Steeven Kent, who replied, "They are in the woods," etc. Sworn in Ipswich court 28: 1: 1654.

Martha Newmarsh deposed that being in the shop of Isaac Cussens about the middle of last winter, etc. (as above). Sworn 29: 1: 1654, in Ipswich court.

— — deposed that he was in the shop of Thomas Lelford, and they talked about this colt. Sworn June 23, 1654, before Robert Clements.

Thomas Eyres testified to being in Isacke Cossen's shop more than a year before, and heard the bargain about the

colts, to deliver them, one at Abraham Morall's of Salisbury and the other at Rowly. Sworn in Ipswich court 28: 1: 1654. Written on back of a manuscript sermon by Mr. Phillips.

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Nathanell Drake and John Redman deposed that being at Rowley with Abraham Perkines we saw him deliver an attachment of Mr. Edward Gillman to Daniell Rofe of Rowley, desiring him to deliver it to Mr. William Payne of Ipswich, etc. He left it at Mr. Paine's house. 30: 1: 16—.

Humphrie Humber deposed that being at Rowly he heard Abraham Perkins, marshall of Hampton, ask Daniell Roffe if he had delivered the attachment concerning Mr. William Paine, Edward Gillman and said Roffe, and he said "Yes," having left it at Mr. Paine's house at Ipswich. Hampton 6: 1 mo. 1654.

List of goods the marshall attached June 14, 1653, of Arthur Juell's. Mr. Paine's bill of costs on back.

Jeffery Mingay testified that at request of Robert Lord, marshall, I and Abraham Perkins appraised the meadow and upland taken on execution 5 (8) 1653.

Daniell Rofe deposed about service of attachment in same case. Sworn March 4, 1653-4, before Daniel Denison.

Agreement between Samuel Thomsonn, doctor of physic of Taunton, in the county of Somerset, and John Cogswell, jr., of Ipswich, in New England, yeoman, about the child William Thomson. John Cogswell is to carry the child over into New England and maintain him till Nov. 1, 1656, and then for two years longer, when the child will be ten years old, and then he is to keep him without pay until he is twenty-one, training him up, etc. Dated April 20, 1653. Seal:



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Isaac Coussen v. Richard Shatswell. For withholding part of a colt. [Thomas Kimball testified that Richard Shatswell showed Isacke Cusens the colt that was

betwixt Mrs. Backer and said Richard and Isaac did not give him an answer whether he would have it or not, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court 28 : 1 : 1654.

Edward Clark of Haverhill deposed that being at Ipswich the latter part of last December in Isaac Cousens' shop he heard Richard Shatswell sell said Cousens one-half of a horse colt (the other half being owned by Mrs. Baker), for £3 in corn and £2 in tools. Cousens was to go as far as the comon gate to see ye colt. Sworn before Robert Clements 1 : 23 : 1654.

John Tod deposed in Ipswich court 28 : 1 : 1654.

George Palmer testified that he saw goodman Zachell in Isaac Cosins' shop, and they spoke about the colt. Sworn in Ipswich court 28 : 1 : 1654.

Peter Godfrey testified that Stephen Kent of Haverhill came to me with Isaac Cousins the last spring about the colt. Sworn 23 : 1 : 1653, before John Sanders, one of the commissioners for Newbury.

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John Emery, sr., John Emery, jr., Samuell Moore, ffrances Plummer, Jo : Pike, sr., and Tho : Bloomfield, in behalf of some of the inhabitants of Newbury, v. John Merrill, in the name of the rest of the late townsmen, for giving, selling or exchanging the town's lands or commons without order. Withdrawn.

John Holgrave v. William Sargent. For refusing to perform bargain of lands bought of plaintiff. Withdrawn. [Robert Tucker testified; and John Harden testified that William Sargent spake to him to plow the land in question. 1653-4. Signed by mark of $\frac{1}{1}$ H. John Harden.

Moris Somes, aged about fifty years, deposed that about the ninth month last he heard Wm. Seargent ask Mr. Holdgrave what he would do; he said he spake to goodman Piney about the lot as was Thom Kent's. Sworn by the commissioners at Gloster. Robert Tucker and Robert Ellwell (his P mark), 23 : 1 : 1653-4.

Robert Tucker testified that Mr. Holgrave came to his house and said that he had sold the lot he bought of Thom Kent to Wm. Seargent, and desired me to record it in the town book. Dated March 23, 1653-4.

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Edmond Batter v. John Legg. Debt due from Arthur Batten, which defendant promised to pay to plaintiff. [Writ : To constable of Marblehead; Mr. Edmond Batter v. John Legg; by the court, ffrancis Johnson. Served by John Bartoll, constable, March 7, 1653, by attachment of house and land of defendant.

Katherine Mowre, servant to John Hathorne, aged seventeen years, deposed that this last winter there came a young man to her master's house and said that Mr. Batter sent him for a young man that was there at her master's house, etc. Sworn before Rob Bridges 25 : 1 : 1653-4.

Jane, wife of Erasmus James, aged fifty-three, deposed that Arthur Batten, being attached, by the marshall of Salem, for Edmund Batter, John Legg came to the house of Erasmus James and asked him to go to Lynn and bring Batten back; further being in the house of Thomas Bowen, Legg's wife being there, she said William Nick had enough to pay himself. Sworn before John Endecott, gov.

Elizabeth Bowen, aged twenty-six years, deposed that goodwife Legg came into my house, where was goodwife James, who asked Mrs. Legg whether Mr. Batter and they were agreed. She replied, "Yes," whether Arthur Batten lived or died, etc. Sworn before Jo : Endecott, gov.

Sara Bradstreet, aged sixteen, testified that about the seventh of this instant month Mr. Batters came to the mill and the miller's wife told him when Cutler came for the horse. He said that Mr. Batters and they sent to fetch Arthur Batten back when he was going to prison, etc.; that Mr. Batters said that goody Leg desired Samuel Cutler to go and

fetch Batten back and he would not, etc. Sworn before Jo : Endecott, gov.

Erasmus James, aged forty-nine, deposed that John Legg said that Tho : Bowen had a five-shilling piece that would pay for both suppers at John Hathorne's, etc., and "in the morning when Batten Came home he bid goodma Legg Goodmorrow & tould him He was Com once againe, Joⁿ Legg Replied he might goe againe if he would," etc. Sworn before Jo Endecott, gov.

William Nicke testified that he and Mr. Batter and Samuel Cutler, being in the house of John Leg, Mr. Batter desired to go to Lynn, and fetch Arter Batten, etc., he said, "pray gitt Henry Trevett," etc. Sworn before John Endecott, gov.

Martha Beale, aged twenty-two, deposed that Samuel Cutler came to the mill and told them that one of their neighbors was going to prison, etc. Sworn to before Jo : Endecott, gov.

Samuel Cutler deposed that he was at the house of Jn^o Legge of Marblehead for money due to him for work done. Edmund Batter being there Jn^o Legg's wife said both Erasmus James and himself met at Lynn for Arthur Batten. Sworn before Jo : Endecott, gov.

William Beale, aged twenty-two, deposed that Samuel Cutler came into the mill, requesting the horse that brought home my wife from Rowley to fetch Arthur Batten back from Lynn, going to Boston prison at the suit of Edmund Batter, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court March 28, 1654.

John Bradstreet, aged twenty-four, deposed that Mr. Batter came to the mill and Martha Beale told him that Samuel Cutler came for the horse, etc. Sworn in Ipswich court 28 : 1 : 1654.

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John Hathorne v. Edward Richards. For not performing arbitration. Withdrawn.

ffrances Perry v. Mr. John Beax, Mr. Henry Webb and Mr. Joshua ffoote & company and Mr. John Gifford, agent of the company. For work done by him

and his team at ye Iron works. Respitted to next general court.

William Beale v. Samuel Cuttler. Slander. Judgment for plaintiff, and defendant to make acknowledgment at the next lecture day at Salem, etc. Defendant said that plaintiff stole corn. [Writ : William Beale v. Samuel Cutler; for slander; dated March 20, 1653-4; by the court, ffrancis Johnson. Served by Jo Bartoll, constable of Marblehead, by arrest. James Smith, bail; also, John Broadstret and William Bartoll.

Moses Mavericke certified, 25 : 1 : 1653-4, that when William Beale, miller, ground my corn there three or four years past, I found its weight was all right substantially.

Sara Bradstreete, sixteen years old, deposed that Goodman Smith of Marblehead and Samuel Cutler came to the mill Lord's day night, etc. Sworn before Jo : Endecott, gov.

John Stacy, aged sixty years, and Susans Stacy, being at the house of his son Henry Stacey, as soon as meeting was done Samuel Cutler came in there and said he was now gone from Marblehead to Castle hill and every one in the town suffered him to go-in-peace except the miller, who had a warrant against him, etc. Sworn before Jo : Endecott, gov., March —, 1654.

John Bradstreet, aged twenty-four, deposed that he served a warrant upon Samuel Cutler in the behalf of William Beale; and repeated conversation about taking excessive toll, etc. He said further, "Do not think every one is Ned Pitford." Deponent further said that coming from William Edmunds, Mrs. Mary Rowland, she said to me, etc. Thomas Boen is mentioned as being at the mill. Sworn at Ipswich court 28 : 1 : 1654.

Thomas Boen, aged twenty-six, deposed that, being at Marblehead, Mrs. Mary Rowland came to grind, and she began to chide the miller's wife, and said she did not come there because she wanted to, etc. Sworn before Jo : Endecott, gov., March —, 1654.

Jone Pittford testified that being at the mill a lot of wet corn of John Legg was brought by some boys, the miller put it upon the mill, but it would not grind, etc. Written by Francis Johnson. (On the back, Elizabeth Legg acknowledges that said Jone Pittford told her that said William sent the extra meal to her by Dorothy Doliber.

Writ: Sam Cutler v. Will: Beale of Marblehead; for taking double toll of his grist, and for spoiling his grist; dated 4: 1 mo: 1153-4; by the court, Elias Stileman.

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John ffullar v. Isaack Comings. Trespass, for taking away a heifer. [Job Bishop testified that John ffuller brought certain cattle to goodman Jacobs and they went in Jacobs' pasture. Sworn in Ipswich court 28: 1: 1654.

John Lee testified. Sworn as above.

John Sheppard testified that John ffuller brought the cattle to my master Jacobs, and that goodman Commings came to our house and said he was afraid that the wolves had gotten his heifer. Sworn as above.

John Avery deposed that I, dwelling with g^m Cumins the last year knew the heifer which Isaac Cuming said he bought of Mr. Simond's son, etc. Sworn as above.

Mathew Whepple testified that he saw g^m Cumins and g^m Stackulher and his man drive away a heifer from before g^m Fuller's barn, etc. Sworn as above.

William Clarke testified that, living in John Fuller's house, the latter had a heifer, etc. Sworn as above.

John Vargison deposed that John ffuller brought a heifer to my master Jacobs. Sworn as above.

Umphrey Griffen testified about the heifer. Sworn as above.

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Richard Kent v. William Moody. For detaining ten acres of land. Withdrawn.

Mr. William Payne v. Robert Nash, Lt. Willm Hudson and Serg. George Halsall. Bond.

Joseph Jewett v. Mathew Bridges. For a mare not proving to be with foal. [Ens. John Carter of Wobourne and Joseph Lampson of Cambridge deposed that the mare which Mathew Bridge of Cambridge sold to Joseph Juite of Rowley was very fairly covered by a stone horse in or about May, 1652. Sworn March 16, 1653-4, by Daniel Gookin.

Richard Eccles, aged forty, testified that he was present when the agreement was made about the mare between Joseph Jewite (also, Jewitt) and Mathew Bridges, etc. I went to Cambridge with said Jewett and he demanded satisfaction of said Bridges. Sworn 24: 1: 1653-4, before Daniel Gookin.

Signed answer of Mathew Bridge to Joseph Jewett's complaint, etc.

Dea. Jn^o Bridge, Ens. Edward Winship and Tho: Danforth of Cambridge testified about the mare, colt, etc. Sworn 25: 1: 1654, before Daniel Gookins.

David ffiske of Cambridge, aged about thirty, deposed. Sworn as above.

Richard Eccles of Cambridge, aged about forty, deposed, etc. Sworn 15: 12: 1653, before Daniel Gookin.

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Joseph Armitage v. Mr. John Beax, Mr. Henry Webb, and Mr. Joshua ffoote & company and Mr. John Gifford, agent of the company.

Joseph Armitage, attorney for John Chakefield v. Mr. Jo: Beales, Mr. Henry Webb and Mr. Joshua ffoote & company, and Mr. Jo: Gifford, agent to the said company. Debt. Nonsuited.

Mr. John Gifford, agent for the company of undertakers of Iron works in New England v. Joseph Armitage. Damage to an anchor and taking away a boat and accounts. Withdrawn.

Mr. John Gifford, agent for the company of undertakers of the Iron works in Lynn and Brantry. Debt. Withdrawn.

Jer: Belcher v. Ned Acockett, an Indian. Debt. Withdrawn.

Made free: Thomas Burnam, Will ffellowes, Aron Pengry, John Ayres and John West of Ipswich; and Nath: Weare,

sr., Rich : Dole, John Emery, jr., Rich : Bartlett, Will : Cottell, Tho : Bloomfield, Tho : Seers, Will : Chandlour and John Davis of Newbury.

Georg Palmer took ye oath of fidelity.

John Knight, jr., sworn constable of Newbury.

Capt. Gerish, Nicolas Noice and John Pike sworn commissioners to end small cases for Newbury.

Wills of John Knowlton and Margery Knowlton proved and inventory filed.

Will and inventory of Jan Kening proved.

Will and inventory of Marke Quilter proved.

Verdict at last court against estate of Robert Beacham, in favor of Jeremiah Belcher. Judgment granted. Jeremiah Belcher binds over his house and orchard wherein he now dwelleth that Robert Beacham reverses his judgment.

Geog Smith and George Ingersall acknowledge judgments to Mr. Robert Payne.

Mr. Webb, Mr. ffoote and Mr. John Gifford summoned by Edward Richards. Action not entered.

Mr. John Gifford summoned by John Ramsdell. Action not entered.

Mr. John Gifford summoned by Joseph Armentage. Action not entered.

John Leigh, being about seventy years of age, discharged from ordinary training.

Robert Day released from ordinary training, paying five shillings a year to the company.

William Moore relieved from ordinary training, paying five shillings a year to the use of the company.

Mr. Reyner presented Nehemiah Abbott and Thomas Abbott, jr., who acknowledged that they had received satisfaction from Mr. Humphrey Reyner and Thomas Mighill, guardians to children of Georg Abbott, for their portion. Thomas Abbott, sr., and Nehemiah Abbott testified that their brother George Abbott had satisfaction. The guardians were discharged.

Duncan Stewartt and An Winchest to be whipped for fornication, the man this afternoon and the woman when she shall be called out by the magistrates, after she is delivered, and between them to bring up the child and pay charges. [These were servants to George Hadley. Presented in March, 1654.—*Files.*]

Jafery Skenelling bound to answer about committing fornication with Mary Dane.

Mary Dane to be whipped for fornication after she is delivered, when the magistrates shall call her, and to bring up the child. [She was a servant of John Perkins, jr.—*Files.*]

Andrew Creeke and Mary Indian to be whipped. [Andrew Creek and Mary, an Indian, servants of Mr. William Payne, presented for fornication.—*Files.*]

[Other presentments, March, 1654 :—

Daniel Rolfe, for not returning a suit to Salem court. Witnesses: Abraham Perkins and John Redman of Hampton, Mrs. William Payne and William Bartholmew.

Town of Newbury for defects in a country highway near goodman Adams' farm. Witnesses: Captain Gearish and goodman Thurwell.

Mr. Henry Sewell for pushing Mr. Juett in a very offensive manner in the public assembly on the Lord's day. Witnesses: John Spafford and John Palmer.

Wife of Will Houldreg of Newbury for unseemly carriage with John Chater.

Signed by Will Paine.

—*Files.*]

Will and inventory of Thomas Scott proved.

Will and inventory of Mr. Samuell Symonds, jr., proved.

Administration on the estate of Richard Holingworth, deceased, granted to the widow Holingworth, Capt. William Hathorne, Mr. Henry Bartholmew and Thomas Wilks, all of Salem.

Alexander Knight fined for carelessness, not preventing fire after warning.

Administration on the estate of William Varney, who died intestate, was granted to his widow Bridgett Varney. Amount of the inventory, £57, 2s., 8d. He left three sons and one daughter, the three younger being minors. [Inventory of estate of William Varney of Ipswich, deceased, taken 1: 1: 1653, by George Gidding and John Cogswell. Amount, £57, 2s., 8d.; all personal. The estate owed £6.—*Files.*]

Administration on the estate of John Cooley, who died intestate, was granted to the widow, Elizabeth Cooley. Amount of inventory, £66, 14s., 8d. The children are three daughters. [Inventory of the estate of John Coolye of Ipswich, deceased, was taken March 14, 1653, by Edward Browne and Robert Lord. Amount, £66, 14s., 8d.; real, £18; personal, £48, 14s., 8d. House, ground, etc.—*Files.*]

Henry Bachelour discharged. His wife to be admonished.

John Smith discharged of his presentment.

Court, 26: 7: 1654.

Judges: Mr. Endecot, dep.-gov., Capt. Rob^t Bridges, Mr. Sam: Symonds and Mr. William Hubbard.

Grand jury: Serg. Rich: Jacob, Ensign Howlet, Dan: Warner, Edm: Bridges, John Dane, And: Hodges, Rich: Swan, James Barker, Will Law, Jo: Merrill, Tho: Hale, and Daniell Poore.

Trial jury: Mr. Jonath: Wade, Marke Symonds, Ed: Bragg, Ed: Lomassee, Will: Duglas, John Dane, Ed: Chapman, James Bayley, Ed: Hassen, Tho: Abbott, Rich: Kent, Jo: Chator and Georg Little.

John Gednye v. Edward Mylls. Debt.

Joseph Jeweett v. George Halcye. Bond, assigned to him by Rich: Wayte. Forfeited upon non-appearance of Hugh Gullison. [Writ, by Richard Waite, marshal; dated 6: 7 mo: 1654; by the court, William Howard. Served by Edward Mitchell, seized a wharf and warehouse thereon. Ri: Wayte assigned the

bond to the plaintiff 25: 5: 1654. Plaintiff's bill of charges.—*Files.*]

Christopher Allmy v. William Dyer. For not selling him a vessel which was unjustly taken from Captain Sebada.

Edward Prescott, in the behalf of William Chamberlyn of London, v. Robert Harding of Ratlife, in Middlesex, mariner. [Bond of Capt. Robtanso Harding of Racklof, Middlesex county, to William Chamberline of London, haberdasher, at said Chamberline's house in Candellweek street, London, £251, Oct. 1, 1650. Witnesses: Rich: Hill, Lawrence Woodcock, Will Johnson and Anthony Sadler.—*Files.*]

Georg Corwin v. Rich: Endell. Debt. [Writ: goods in hands of Gen. Robert Sedgwick; dated 15: 7: 1654; by the court, Jonath: Negus. Served by Ri: Wayte.—*Files.*]

Mr. Symon Brodstreet v. Jerimiah Newland. Debt. Walter Merry appeared instead of the defendant.

Mr. John Appleton v. estate of Mr. Joss Glover in the hands of Rich: ffrench.

Robert Dutch v. Henry Walker. For detaining six acres of marsh.

ffrances Nurce v. Jonathan Porter and his wife Eunice. Slander. Judgment for the plaintiff, and Eunice also made acknowledgment, which the court accepted.

John Hathorne v. Lt. Tho: Moris. Bond.

Symon Tompson v. John Leigh. Replevin, for wrongfully impounding his calves. Judgment for plaintiff.

Mr. William Browne being attached by Richard Marierner. Not entered.

Mr. William Browne being attached by Henry Cowes and ffances Buers. Not entered.

Samuell ffoster of Wenam allowed to keep an ordinary at Wenam.

Will and inventory of Rich: Kent proved.

Administration on the estate of William ffiske of Wennam, who died intestate, was granted to the widow, Bridgett ffiske. Her house and land are bound to pay the

shares of the five children, viz: to the eldest son, £10, to Samuel, the next, £5, and to the other three £3, when they come of age. Inventory amounted to £141, 12s., 8d. [The inventory was taken 16: 7: 1654, by Austin Killam (his K mark) and Edward Kempe. Amount, £141, 12s., 6d.; real, £26; personal, £115, 12s., 6d. The house contained a parlor, parlor chamber, bed chamber, kitchen, kitchen chamber, lean-to, cellar. Houses, etc.—*Files*.]

Joseph Mussye fined for drunkenness and admonished for breach of the Sabbath.

Tho: Moore, being presented, was admonished, having been corrected by his master.

Sherborne Willson confessed that he spoke some ribaldry speech, and was admonished, and to sit half an hour in the stocks to-morrow after lecture.

Thomas Rowell fined for taking tobacco out of doors and near a house. His wife was admonished for cruelty.

Town of Newbury fined for defect in highway unless it is mended by next court.

Edward Bridges, jr., admonished for disorder in ye meeting house.

Inventory of William Mitchell of Newbury presented. Amount, £17, 5s., 4d. He died intestate. Administration on the estate granted to his widow Mary.

John Wooddam exempted from ordinary training, paying five shillings a year to the use of the company.

Robert Lord appointed clerk of the writs for Ipswich.

[Writ: John Leigh v. Simon Tompson; dated Aug. 9, 1650; signed by Daniel Denison. Served by Theophilus Wilson, constable, same day.

Writ: Nathaniell Putnam v. Capt. Francis Norton of Charlestown; dated 30: 8: 1654; Salem court. Served by Samuell Archerd, marshall at Salem.

Will of Abraham War, deceased, proved. Inventory of his goods amounted to £47, 4s., 4d.

Copy, made by Edward Rawson, secretary, of a petition of Inhabitants of Newbury to general court stating that our loving friend Lt. Robert Pike of Salisbury has let fall some words for which the general court has censured him, certifying that he hath been a peaceable man and a useful instrument, and praying that he be restored to his former liberty. Signed by Richard Kent, jr., Will Moody, Daniell Peirce, George Little, Sam Moody, Rich: Dole, John Poore, Dan: Thurston, Joseph Plumer, Rich: Thurlly, John Woolcut, John Hull, Robert Adams, Will Chandler, John Tilletson, John Baily, John Wheeler, Rob: Coker, Rich: Kent, jr., Will: Titcomb, John Bartlett, Tho: Browne, Rich Bartlett, Gyles Cromlome, Aquilla Chase, Edw: Richardson, Will Richardson, John Bishop, Sam Poore, John Hutchins, Will Sawyer, Rich: Fitts, John Bond, Christop^r Bartlet, James Ordway, Edw: Woodman, Steven Swett, William Ilsly, Tho: Smith, Ben: Swett, Joseph Swett, Steven Grenleaf, Anthony Morse, Rich— —, Jo— —, Rob— —, Hen: —, Sollom— —, Tristram —, Nath Wy—, Nath Wyer, Fran. Plumer, Sam Plumer, Dan: Thurston, Dan: Thurston, Will Cottell, John Roafe, John Muslewhite, John Emery, sr., John Emery, jr., Thomas Blomfield, Sam: Moore, Nich: Batt, John Cheny, Dan: Ch—.

The general court cannot but deeply resent that so many should present such an unjust and unreasonable request, without any petition from Robert Pike himself, and an acknowledgment of his great offence. Ordered that commissioners be ordered to call said petitioners together to obtain their reasons for doing this.

Capt. William Gerrish and Nicholas Noyes, commissioners for Newbury.

Will: Moulton, Nathanill Bachiler, Jon Redman, Samll Fogge and Joseph Mery (his 7 mark) state over their signatures that they signed the petition unadvisedly.

Steven Swett, Christopher Bartlett, John Tilletson, Joseph Plumer, Daniell Thirston, jr., John Cheany, jr., and Dan-

iell Cheany stated over their signatures that the reasons they signed it are stated in the petition, etc.

Rich. Bartlet and James Ordway stated that they signed for the reasons stated in the petition.

Tho: Bradbury adds to goodman Goldwyer's petition that he intended no offence to the court, and am sorry that he offended the court. He also states that Jn^o Eaton is heartily sorry that he offended the court. Addressed to ye worshipful Capt. Wiggin.

Report of Wm. Gerrish and Nicholas Noys, commissioners. Besides above answers, John Hull would not state his reasons. Robt Adams said that Lt. Jn^o Pike brought the petition to him. Some said that Jn^o Bartlet, Jn^o Hutchinson and Jn^o Cheany brought it. Abraham Tap-pine, Wm. Sayer, Tristram Coffine and Wm. Chandler said Robert Pike was a peaceable man, and were sorry that they had given the court offence. Tho: Smith, Ant^o Mors, sr., Daniel Pearce, Stephen Grenleife, Rob^t Coker, Nic^o Batt and Rob^t Adams said that they were ignorant of his sentence, and were sorry they did it. ffrancis Plumer and Rob^t Mors said that he was a useful man, could not see how they had done amiss. Jn^o Bishop, being desired to go to the meeting house about the petition, said he could not stay; the constable said he must; he said the reasons were in the petition, and so turned his hat and went away. Edw: Woodman said that he was ignorant what words he spake, etc. Jn^o Cheany said he was his friend, and out of love to him he signed voluntarily. Sam: Plumer said he intended no affront to the court. Jn^o Emery demanded our commission and a sight of the petition, and then he would answer. Etc., etc.

Agreement of Robertt Wallis (his R mark) and William Smith with William Goodhue of Ipswich, about a meadow below Gravelly brook, etc. William Goodhue is to build them a house thirty feet long with two chimneys, and a barn forty feet long with a leanto at one end; a

common right that he bought belonging to a house that he built in Hog lane now possessed by Jeferie Snelling. Witness: John R Johnsonn.

Copy: At a town meeting 6:2:1654, Ordered that William ffield and William Moulton view the land which John Redman demanded in satisfaction of his house lot, etc. p. Sa: Dalton.

Copy: To the account of John ffrances p coaling of 176 loads. Ipswich court records account of Mr. John Gifford's account, 27:9:1654.

Paid out of Robert Filbrike's estate to Robert Dutch, Jerimy Belchar, Mr. John Apleton, Robert Wallis, John Johnson and Thomas Miller.

William Paine of Ipswich appoints his friend Robert Lord of Ipswich his attorney, June 14, 1654. Witnesses: William Bartholmew and John Saford.

George Coalbin testified over his signature that Mr. B^b rsse and Mr. Cowes Hoocke sugar, etc., I had for the account of Mathew Harve and Edward Mills, 27:9:1654.

—Files.]

To be continued.

BOWLES NOTES.

William Bowles* married Prudence Morgan (published Nov. 17, 1715²); child: Lydia, born Feb. —, 1749; died July 11, 1766. The father died Feb. 9, 1774, and the mother Nov. 9, 1778, aged seventy-five.—*Beverly records.*

Mrs. Mary Bowles of Beverly married Phineas Carleton of Haverhill April 29, 1788.—*Haverhill town records.*

Hannah Bolls published to John Thompson Sept. 29, 1781.—*Danvers town records.*

Lemuel Bowles published to widow Rebecca Gardner, both of Salem, June 16, 1782. (Probably he did not marry her. See Salem publishments for 1783.)—*Salem town records.*

*William Bowles of Boston, shopkeeper, wife Prudence, 1746-7.—*Essex registry of deeds.*

BRADFORD GENEALOGY.

WILLIAM BRADFORD¹, born about 1639; was a husbandman and rope maker; and lived in Beverly, 1676-1717. He married Miss Rachel Rayment of Beverly Nov. 14, 1676; and she died before Feb. 1, 1696-7. In 1708, he conveyed his homestead to his eldest son William, reserving a life estate to himself. He died in Beverly June 15, 1717, at the age of seventy-eight.

Children, born in Beverly:—

- 2—I. ABIGAIL*,² b. Sept. 5, 1682; pub. to Philip Deland July 10, 1708.
- 3—II. RACHEL², b. July 13, 1684; probably m. Nathaniel Jones of Ipswich Jan. 3, 1704.
- 4—III. WILLIAM², bapt. Oct. 3, 1686. *See below (4).*
- 5—IV. JOHN², b. Feb. 26, 1689-90. *See below (5).*
- 6—V. BETHIAH², b. June 20, 1692; m. William Howard, jr., of Ipswich Dec. 29, 1720.
- 7—VI. REBECCA², bapt. March 11, 1693-4.

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WILLIAM BRADFORD³, baptized in Beverly Oct. 3, 1686. He was a cooper, husbandman, seaman, weaver and rope maker at various times; and lived in Beverly until 1721, when he removed to Boxford, where he lived until about 1747, when he removed to Middleton, where he subsequently lived. He married Grace Elliott of Beverly Dec. 23, 1707; and he died before March 9, 1761, when administration was granted upon his estate. She was his wife in 1744.

Children:—

- 8—I. ROBERT³, b. June 14, 1708, in Beverly; housewright and yeoman; lived in Middleton; m. Hepzibah Averill Dec. 13, 1733; d. in Middleton, childless, Nov. 20, 1790, aged eighty-two; she d. between 1776 and 1790; his estate was appraised at £291, 14s., 2d.; and he devised it in his will to his kinsman Abraham Gage of Middleton, housewright.
- 9—II. MARCY³, b. May 1, 1710, in Beverly; m. Abraham Gage of Bradford Aug. 7, 1734.

*Mary, illegitimate daughter of Abigail Bradford and William Woodbery, born May 21, 1704. —*Beverly town records.*

- 10—III. RACHEL³, b. Sept. 1, 1712, in Beverly; m. Jacob Dresser of Ipswich Feb. 4, 1741-2.
- 11—IV. WILLIAM³, b. April 25, 1715, in Beverly. *See below (11).*
- 12—V. ANDREW³, b. Nov. 1, 1717, in Beverly; "captain"; lived in Souhegan-west (Amherst) and Milford, N. H.; husbandman and housewright; m., first, Rebecca Cole of Boxford June 16, 1743; and, second, Hannah (Goffe), widow of Thomas Chandler of Bedford; he d. in Milford in 1798, aged eighty; and his wife Hannah d., his widow, in Milford Dec. 14, 1819. He had several children.
- 13—VI. SAMUEL³, bapt. May 8, 1720, in Beverly. *See below (13).*
- 14—VII. PATIENCE³, b. Nov. 3, 1723, in Boxford.
- 15—VIII. BETHIAH³, b. July 10, 1726, in Boxford; m. John Gould Feb. 18, 1747-8.
- 16—IX. LUCY³, b. Aug. 22, 1729, in Boxford; m. Daniel Wilkins Feb. 27, 1749.

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JOHN BRADFORD², born in Beverly Feb. 26, 1689-90. He was a mariner, and lived in Beverly. He married, first, Annis Lovett Dec. 26, 1717; and she was his wife in 1729. He married, second, Hannah Larcom March 31, 1741; and died in Beverly March 29, 1751. His wife Hannah survived him.

Children, born in Beverly:—

- 17—I. JOHN³, b. March 7, 1718-9. *See below (17).*
- 18—II. SIMON³, b. Aug. 3, 1721. *See below (18).*
- 19—III. ANNIS³, bapt. June 7, 1724; m. Nehemiah Presson of Beverly, mariner, Dec. 9, 1742; and they were living in Beverly in 1758.
- 20—IV. SARAH³, bapt. June 8, 1729.
- 21—V. ROBERT³, b. May 25, 1743. *See below (21).*

II

WILLIAM BRADFORD³, born in Beverly April 25, 1715. He lived in Boxford until about 1741, when he removed to Middleton, where he lived until about 1744, when he settled in Souhegan-west (Amherst, N. H.). He married, first, Mary Lambert of Middleton Jan. 18 1737-8; and she died Feb. 18, 1770, aged fifty-one. He married, second, Rachel Small, who died in 1802. He died in 1791.

Children :—

- 22—I. SAMUEL⁴, b. Dec. 22, 1738, in Boxford.
 23—II. PATIENCE⁴, b. Sept. 25, 1740, in Boxford; m. Jos. Lovejoy; and d. in Amherst, N.H., March 3, 1826, aged eighty-five.
 24—III. MARY⁴, bapt. in 1742, in Middleton.
 25—IV. ENOS⁴, b. Nov. 3, 1744.
 26—V. ———⁴.
 27—VI. ———⁴.
 28—VII. ———⁴.
 29—VIII. ———⁴.
 30—IX. ———⁴.
 31—X. ———⁴.
 32—XI. ———⁴.

13

SAMUEL BRADFORD³, baptized in Beverly May 8, 1720. He was a yeoman and housewright; and lived in Middleton. He married Mary Taylor Dec. 29, 1743; and they were living in Middleton in 1764.

Children, born in Middleton :—

- 33—I. TIMOTHY⁴, b. Sept. 17, 1744. *See below (33)*.
 34—II. WILLIAM⁴, b. June 13, 1747.
 35—III. SAMUEL⁴, b. about 1748; d. young.
 36—IV. SAMUEL⁴, b. June 21, 1752.
 37—V. MARY⁴, b. March 22, 1755.
 38—VI. ELIZABETH⁴, b. Feb. 5, 1758.
 39—VII. ANDREW⁴, bapt. Aug. 30, 1761.

17

JOHN BRADFORD³, born in Beverly March 7, 1718-9. He was a mariner, and lived in Beverly until about 1759, when he removed to Salem, N. H. He married Elizabeth Leech of Beverly May 4, 1742; and she was his wife in 1758.

Children, born in Beverly :—

- 40—I. WILLIAM⁴, b. March 7, 1742-3; d. young.
 41—II. ELIZABETH⁵, b. March 30, 1747.
 42—III. JOHN⁴, b. Nov. 16, 1748.
 43—IV. WILLIAM⁴, bapt. Sept. 30, 1750.
 44—V. ROBERT⁴, b. Aug. 28, 1755.

18

CAPT. SIMON BRADFORD³, born in Beverly Aug. 3, 1721. He was a yeoman and mariner, and lived in Beverly until about 1756, when he removed to Salem, N. H. He was master of the sloop *Greyhound* in 1745. He married Eunice Warren of Beverly Aug. —, 1745.

Children, born in Beverly :—

- 45—I. ANNIS⁴, b. Feb. 14, 1747.
 46—II. ABIGAIL⁴, b. July 1, 1751.
 47—III. ELIZABETH⁴, b. Sept. 6, 1754.

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ROBERT BRADFORD³, born in Beverly May 25, 1743. He lived in Beverly; and married, first, Martha Peart (published June 24, 1764); and, second, Miriam Patch March 30, 1772. He was drowned before March 10, 1775.

Children, born in Beverly :—

- 48—I. HANNAH⁴, bapt. July 31, 1768.
 49—II. MARTHA⁴, b. Jan. 1, 1773; d. Nov. 19, 1850.
 50—III. JOHN⁴, b. Aug. 7, 1774; d. Feb. 5, 1856.

33

TIMOTHY BRADFORD⁴, born in Middleton Sept. 17, 1744. He lived in Middleton, and married Edith How March 29 (21?), 1764.

Child, born in Middleton :—

- 51—I. EDAH⁵, bapt. Oct. 7, 1764.

WILL OF HENRY LUNT.

The will of Henry Lunt of Newbury was proved in the court at Ipswich Sept. 30, 1662. The following is a copy of the original instrument on file in the probate office at Salem.

Witneff by theefe p^rsents, that I Henry lunt of Newbery in the County of Effex in New england, being but weake in body, but of sound & pfect memory, for diuerse Causes & confiderations me therevnto moueing, doe make my laft will & testament, & doe dispose of my landes goods & Chattels as followeth; first I bequeath my foule whensoever it shall depart out of my body into the handes of my redeemer Jesus Christ, with an assured hope of a bleffed resurrection, & my body to be buried, wheare it fhall please the lord at death to cast me. Then next to Ann my wife I giue & bequeath dureing her naturall life my dwelling house barne Archard wth the pasture ground the houses stands in, with my ground ioyneing to the pasture as allso Eight Ackers be it more or

left in the litle feild, as allso my meddow in the masches on this side plum Iland riu^r, Allso I giue vnto my sonn Daniell all the Corne ground & pasture ground, w^{ch} was formerly Thomas Dowes as allso all my masch ground at plum Iland, And my will is that my son Daniell shall giue to my Daughter Prefilla Twenty poundes to be paide her at the age of Twenty one years, and if *she* marry before, then to pay her within halfe a yeare after her mariag, Allso I giue vnto my Daughters Sarah Mary & Ellezabeth to ech of them Twenty poundes, to be paide out of my goods & Chattells, when they attaine to the age of Twenty one yeares, Allso I giue vnto my son John Twenty poundes & to my son Henry ffue poundes, to be payde out of my goods & Chattells at the age of Twenty one years, & till then my will is that my son John & my son Henry shall be at my wifes disposeing, Allso my will is that after my wife decease I giue vnto my son John & to my son Henry my dwelling house barne Archard . . . the land it stands in wth my ground ioyneing to the pasture, as allso Eight Ackers be it moore or lesse in the litle feild as allso my meddow in the masches on this side plum Iland riu^r; ||except that at Jerreco as they call it|| to ech of them an equall portion And my will is that my son John & my son Henry after my wifes decease shall pay vnto my daughters Sarah prefilla Mary & Ellezabeth to ech of them Ten poundes to be payde by them equally that is to say to my two sones John & Henry within one whole yeare after my wifes decease Allso I giue unto my sonn Daniell after my wifes decease the meddow or masch ground at Jerreco as they Call it w^{ch}, execepted aboue from John & Henry & *interlined* And I appoynt Ann my wife the sole executrix of this last will and Testament And I Appoynt Anthony Mo—— senior & Abraham Toppan senior to be the ou^rseers of this my last will and Testament In witneff whereof I the saide Henry Lunt haue set my hand *and* seale this eight of July one Thousand Six hundred Sixty & Two

my will is that my debts & funarall rites be discharged & if my daghter p^rfilla dy before the age of Twenty one years or of marriage that then the Twenty poundes be deuided amongst her brothers & fifters equally, And my will is allso that my wife Ann shall haue liberty of Three Cowes pastureing in my son Daniells pasture as long as she liueth.

Signed sealed & delivered
as my act & deede after The mk of
the words interlineed Henry lunt
except that at Jerroco as (SEAL)
they Call it, in the p^rfence
of vs

Willam Mooudy
& Abraham Toppan

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS OF THE REVOLUTION.

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JOHN BOARDMAN of Ipswich; priv., Capt. Elisha Whitney's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, from Ipswich Hamlet to Mystic; service, 4 days; also marched to Cambridge May 1, 1775, on an alarm; service, 16 days; *also*, serg., Capt. Richard Dodge's co., Col. Loammi Baldwin's (late Gerrish's) reg.; return dated Chelsea, Sept. 1, 1775; *also*, co. return dated Chelsea, Oct. 2, 1775; *also*, list of men in Capt. Dodge's co. who voluntarily enl. into the Continental Army to serve the month of Jan., 1776.

JOHN BOARDMAN of Salem; priv., Capt. Joseph Hiller's co., Col. Jonathan Titcomb's reg.; arrived at camp May 6, 1777; dis. July 6, 1777; service, 2 mos., 6 days, at Rhode Island. Roll dated Providence, R. I.

JOHN HOW BOARDMAN of Ipswich; priv., Capt. Abraham Dodge's co., Col. Moses Little's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 3, 1775; service, 12 weeks, 6 days; *also*, co. return dated Oct. 9, 1775; age, 20 years.

JOSEPH BOARDMAN of Wenham; priv., Capt. Robert Perkins' co., Maj. Charles Smith's reg.; enl. Sept. 27, 1777; marched Sept. 30, 1777; dis. Nov. 7, 1777, at

Cambridge; service, 1 mo., 13 days, guarding Gen. Burgoyne's troops to Prospect Hill; co. made up of light horse volunteers from 3d Essex co. reg. raised to reinforce army at the Northward.

NATHANIEL BOARDMAN of Salisbury; priv., Capt. John Peabody's co., Col. Ebenezer Francis' reg.; pay abstract for 3 days travel allowance, etc., to and from camp, sworn to Nov. 29, 1776; co. drafted from various towns in Essex co.

THOMAS BOARDMAN of Newburyport (also given Newbury); priv., Capt. Moses Nowell's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 4 days; *also*, Capt. Benjamin Perkins' co., Col. Moses Little's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 9, 1775; service, 12 weeks; *also*, co. return [probably Oct., 1775]; age, 20 years; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Dec. 27, 1775; Capt. Perkins' co., Col. Gerrish's reg.; return of men in service in 1777.

ABIJAH BODEN; petition dated Salem, Nov. 13, 1776, signed by Joseph Sprague and others, asking that said Boden be commissioned as com. of the sloop "Rover" (lately com. by Capt. Simon Forrester); ordered in Council Nov. 14, 1776, that a commission be issued.

EDMUND BODEN of Marblehead; Capt. Francis Symonds' co., Col. John Glover's reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 27, 1775; *also*, priv.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. June 9, 1775; service, 1 mo., 25 days.

EDWARD BODEN of Gloucester; drummer, Capt. Joseph Roby's co., Col. Moses Little's reg.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. June 2, 1775; service, 2 mos., 4 days; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Dec. 11, 1775.

SAMUEL BODEN of Marblehead; Capt. Nicholson Broughton's (5th) co., Col. John Glover's (21st) reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 27, 1775; *also*, priv.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. May 24, 1775; service, 2 mos., 13 days; *also*, co. return [probably Oct., 1775]; *also*, order for bounty coat dated Marblehead, Jan. 6, 1776.

WILLIAM BODEN of Salem; drummer, Capt. Thomas Barnes' co., Col. Mansfield's reg.; order for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 27, 1775; *also*, drum major, Capt. Barnes' co., Col. Mansfield's reg.; co. return dated Winter Hill, Oct. 5, 1775; *also*, Capt. Barnes' co., Col. Israel Hutchinson's (19th) reg.; order for bounty coat dated Winter Hill, Oct. 27, 1775.

WILLIAM BODEN of Salem; mariner, brigantine "Cutter" (privateer), com. by Capt. Samuel Cowell; descriptive list of officers and crew dated Salem, Aug. 15, 1780; age, 24 years; stature, 5 ft., 4 in.; complexion, light; residence, Salem; *also*, descriptive list of officers and crew of the ship "Thorn," com. by Capt. Richard Cowell, dated Marblehead, Sept. 14, 1780; stature, 5 ft., 2 in.; complexion, light.

BENJAMIN BODGE of Amesbury; return of men enl. into Continental Army from Essex co., sworn to Feb. 11, 1778; residence, Amesbury; enl. for Amesbury; joined Capt. Carr's co., Col. Wesson's reg.; enlistment, 8 mos., to expire Jan. 10, 1778.

NATHANIEL BODGE of Haverhill; priv., Capt. Daniel Hills' co., com. by Lt. Samuel Clements, Col. Johnson's reg., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775, to Cambridge; service, 6 days.

EDMOND BODON of Marblehead; priv., Capt. Francis Symonds (9th) co., Col. John Glover's (21st) reg.; co. return [probably Oct., 1775].

DANIEL BODWELL of Methuen; priv., Maj. Samuel Bodwell's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 3½ days. [Name crossed out on roll.]

DANIEL BODWELL, 3d, of Methuen; priv., Capt. James Mallone's co., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 6½ days.

ELIPHALET BODWELL of Methuen; 2d lt., Capt. John Davis' co., Col. James Frye's (Essex co.) reg., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 7 days; reported appointed Feb. 14, 1775; *also*, return of men in camp at

Cambridge, May 17, 1775; *also*, co. return dated Cambridge, Oct. 5, 1775; *also*, 1st lt., Capt. Benjamin Farnum's co., Col. Isaac Smith's reg.; list of officers of Mass. militia; commissioned March 13, 1776; *also*, capt., Col. Edward Wigglesworth's reg.; pay abstract for mileage from Albany home dated Dec., 1776; co. reported to have been raised in Methuen and Amesbury to reinforce Continental Army in Canada and New York.

HENRY BODWELL of Methuen; priv., Capt. Jeremiah Putnam's co., Col. Nathan Tyler's reg.; enl. July 1, 1779; roll made up to Dec. 1, 1779; service, 5 mos., at Rhode Island; *also*, pay roll for Dec., 1779; service, 1 mo., 5 days, at Rhode Island; *also*, receipt for bounty paid him by Ebenezer Carlton and a class of Methuen to serve in the Continental Army for 3 years dated June 25, 1781.

JOHN BODWELL of Methuen; capt., 5th (Methuen) co., Col. Samuel Johnson's (4th Essex co.) reg.; list of officers of Mass. militia dated Andover, March 26, 1776; commissioned April 3, 1776; *also*, Col. Jacob Gerrish's reg.; pay roll for service from April 2, 1778, to July 12, 1778, 3 mos., 3 days, with guards at Winter Hill.

JOSHUA BODWELL of Methuen; priv., Capt. John Davis' co., Col. James Frye's reg. which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service 7 days; reported enl. Feb. 14, 1775; *also*, return of men in camp at Cambridge, May 17, 1775; *also*, co. return dated Cambridge, Oct. 5, 1775; reported enl. in the train June 7, 1775; *also*, matross, Capt. John Popkin's co., Col. Richard Gridley's reg.; co. return dated Sept. 27, 1775.

JOSHUA BODWELL of Newbury; return of men raised agreeable to resolve of Dec. 2, 1780; enl. July 2, 1781; enlistment, during war (also given 3 years); residence, Newbury; *also*, priv., Capt. Mason Wottle's co., Lt.-col. Calvin Smith's (late Nixon's) 6th reg.; return for wages, etc., for Jan.-Dec. 1782; reported on command in March, sick and absent in April and May, absent in Aug., dis. in Sept., 1782.

PARKER BODWELL of Methuen; priv., Capt. John Davis's co., Col. James Frye's reg., which marched on the alarm of April 19, 1775; service, 7 days; reported enl. Feb. 14, 1775; *also*, return of men in camp at Cambridge, May 17, 1775; *also*, receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 8, 1775; *also*, co. return dated Cambridge, Oct. 5, 1775.

WILLIAM BODWELL of Methuen (also given Andover); priv., Capt. John Peabody's co., Col. Ebenezer Francis' reg.; pay abstract for 2 days travel allowance, etc., to and from camp, sworn to Nov. 29, 1776; co. drafted from various towns in Essex co.; *also*, Capt. John Wiley's co.; Col. Michael Jackson's reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from April 1, 1777, to Dec. 31, 1779; residence, Methuen; credited to town of Methuen; *also*, descriptive list of enl. men; age, 18 years; stature, 5 ft., 4 in.; complexion, light; hair, light; birthplace, Methuen; residence, Methuen; enl. Sept. 28, 1779, by Capt. Peirce, at West Point; joined Capt. Abner Wade's co., Col. Michael Jackson's (8th) reg.; enlistment, during war; *also*, major's co., Col. Jackson's reg.; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Jan. 1, 1780, to Dec. 31, 1780.

BENJAMIN BOGE of Amesbury; priv., Capt. Samuel Carr's co., Col. James Wesson's reg.; return dated Jan. 25, 1778; reported dis. Jan. 10, 1778 [service not given].

WILLIAM BOHAN of Marblehead; Capt. Micajah Gleason's co., Col. John Nixon's reg.; receipt for advance pay dated Cambridge, June 10, 1775; *also*, priv.; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775; enl. April 23, 1775; service, 1 mo., 16 days; *also*, co. return dated Sept. 30, 1775.

JONATHAN BOILS of Beverly; list of men enl. into Continental Army from Essex co. [year not given]; residence, Beverly; enl. for town of Beverly.

JAMES BOINTON; Capt. William Perley's co., Col. James Frye's reg.; return of men in camp at Cambridge May 17, 1775.

JOHN BOLCH of Ipswich Hamlet; seaman, snow "Diana," com. by Capt. Wil-

liam Herrick ; descriptive list of officers and crew dated Sept. 29, 1780 ; age, 22 years ; complexion, light ; residence, Ipswich Hamlet.

JOHN BOLDREE of Salem ; priv., Capt. Cranson's co., Col. Whitcomb's reg. ; co. return dated Prospect Hill, Oct., 1775 ; reported on command with Col. Arnold.

FREDERICK BOLLARD of Andover ; list of men enl. from Essex co. for 9 mos. from the time of their arrival at Fishkill, June 19, 1778 ; returned as received of Jonathan Warner, commissioner, by Col. Rufus Putnam, July 20, 1778.

THOMAS BOLTER of Newburyport (also given Newbury) ; priv., Capt. Ezra Lunt's co., Col. Moses Little's reg. ; muster roll dated Aug. 1, 1775 ; enl. May 2, 1775 ; service, 13 weeks ; *also*, co. return [probably Oct., 1775] ; age, 18 years ; reported went to Quebec ; *also*, Capt. Joshua French's co., Col. Edward Wigglesworth's reg. ; pay abstract for mileage from Albany home dated Jan. 30, 1777.

ABIEL BOLTON of Cape Ann ; priv. ; descriptive list of officers and crew of the privateer "America," com. by Capt. William Coffin, dated Oct. 11, 1780 ; age, 25 years ; stature, 5 ft., 6 in. ; complexion, dark ; residence, Cape Ann.

ABRAHAM BOLTON of Salem* (also given Hampshire co.) ; priv., Capt. Hasting's co., Col. Henry Jackson's reg. ; Continental Army pay accounts for service from Aug. 8, 1777, to June 6, 1779 ; enl. Aug. 8, 1777 ; enlistment, 3 years ; reported deserted June 6, 1779. [Also given William Bolton.]

GILBERT BOND of Haverhill ; descriptive list of men enl. from Essex co. for the term of 9 mos. from the time of their arrival at Fishkill, June 19, 1778 ; Capt. Marsh's co., Col. Johnson's (4th) reg. ; age, 22 years ; stature, 5 ft., 9 in. ; complexion, light ; residence, Haverhill ; *also*, list of men returned as received of Jonathan Warner, commissioner, by Col. Rufus Putnam, July 20, 1778.

To be continued.

*Probably this is a mistake for New Salem.

THE OLD FIREPLACE.

THE blessed old fireplace ! how bright it appears
As back to my boyhood I gaze
O'er the desolate waste of the vanishing years,
From the gloom of these lone latter days.
Its lips are as ruddy, its heart is as warm,
To my fancy, to-night, as of yore,
When we cuddled around it, and smiled at the storm
As it showed its white teeth at the door.

I remember the apple that wooed the red flame
Till the blood bubbled out of its cheek,
And the passionate popcorn that smothered its shame
Till its heart split apart with a shriek ;
I remember the Greeks and the Trojans who fought
In their shadowy shapes on the wall,
And the yarn, in thick tangles, my fingers held taut
While my mother was winding the ball.

I remember the cat that lay cozy and curled
By the jamb, where the flames flickered high,
And the sparkles—the fireflies of winter—that whirled
Up the flue as the wind whistled by ;
I remember the bald-headed, bandy-legged tongs,
That frowned like a fiend in my face,
In a fury of passion, repeating the wrongs
They had borne in the old fireplace.

NOTES.

WHEREAS Information has been made to the Merchants and Traders of this Town, that fundry Persons belonging to Boston, have sent Quantities of English Goods into this Town for Sale, which were imported since the general Agreement of the Merchants (not to import such Goods) took Place :—We therefore, the Merchants and Traders of the Town of Salem, at a Meeting at the King's Arms this 30th Day of June, Anno Domini 1769, do publicly *declare* our Disapprobation thereof, and resolve, that we will do all in our Power to discourage the Sale of such Goods, by not purchasing any of them ourselves, or suffering any Person for or under us to purchase them. We think (in Justice to those Merchants and Traders who have strictly adhered to their Agreement) we ought to inform all Persons, that the Shop lately kept by Mr. John Gool, now tended by John Norris in

this Town, is now owned and supplied by Merchants in Boston, who have taken the Advantage of others not sending for Goods, to import double the Quantity of Goods which they did at other Seasons, *expecting to make their Fortunes*, while others were sinking *theirs* for the Benefit of their Country. We hereby caution all Persons, who have the Interest of their Country at Heart, against purchasing Goods of any Persons who come from Boston and offer Goods to sale, such as Tea, Loaf-Sugar, Crates of Earthen Ware, etc., as we have great Reason to suspect, that those Goods are sent out of that Town, because of the Discouragements the Owners meet with in the Sale of them by the Friends of Liberty there. We also request the Town of Marblehead to join with their Neighbours (for the general Good) not to send for any more Goods, contrary to the Interest and Meaning of the Agreements entered into by the Inhabitants of the Town of Boston and other neighbouring Towns, which Request, if still refused, we must desire all who are real Friends to their Country, properly to take Notice of. We also request those Traders in this Town, who (it is well known) have deviated from their Contract, that they would (for the future) strictly adhere thereto; for it is determined at this Meeting, that we will make publick the Names of all those who shall hereafter break through their Engagements by purchasing Goods of those who have not subscribed the Agreements, or by any other Way.

All GENTLEMEN of NOTE, in their respective Towns, are desired to caution their Families and Neighbours from purchasing at the abovementioned Shop, or of any *traveling* Traders who are sent out to sell Goods imported since the Agreements aforementioned.

—*Essex Gazette*, June 27–July 4, 1769.

William Bowles of Salem, merchant, 1738.

Jonathan Bowles of Ipswich, husbandman, 1743, 1758, 1762; wife Mary, 1758, 1762.

Joseph Bolles of Ipswich, turner, 1732-3.

Christopher Bowls, laborer, of Ipswich, 1733.

Joseph Bolles of Ipswich, shopkeeper, 1727-8, 1742.

—*Registry of deeds*.

Ruth, daughter of Christopher and Elizabeth Bolles, born in Ipswich April 18, 1687.—*Court records*.

Mary, daughter of John and Mary Bowls (or Cowls), died June 24, 1739.

Sarah Bowls (or Cowls), singlewoman, died May 14, 1743.

—*Andover town records*.

William Bowles published to Mrs. Sarah Weed, both of Newburyport, March 19, 1781.—*Newburyport town records*.

Joseph Bowles of Ipswich, laborer, 1722; married Phebe Smith Feb. 1 (published — 13), 1719-20; wife Phebe, 1722.—*Records*.

Reuben Bowles of Ipswich, joiner, 1778; of New Salem, N. H., carpenter, 1789, 1793; married Miss Lucy Brown of Ipswich Aug. 12, 1773; wife Lucy, 1778, 1789, 1793.—*Records*.

John Bowles, jr., published to Lydia Wallis Sept. 20, 1788.

Christopher Bowles died May 4, 1753.

Christopher Bowles, an "antient man," died March 28, 1731.

Abigail Bowles died Feb. 13, 1754.

Wife of Charles Bowles died April 18, 1790.

Charles Bolles died Dec. 6, 1794, aged eighty-two.

Mary, wife of Jonathan Bowles, died Feb. 20, 1773, aged forty.

Jonathan Bowles died April 20, 1773, aged fifty years.

Jonathan Bowles published to Mary Hossum Dec. 22, 1753.

Lydia Boles published to Benjamin Dike Nov. 9, 1754.

Deborah Bowls published to Ebenezer Johnson, jr., of Woburn Jan. 9, 1756.

Widow Ruth Bowles published to Thomas Lampson March 25, 1758.

Mary Bowles married Amos Whipple, both of the Hamlet, May 8, 1770.

Abigail Bowles married John Patch Nov. 23, 1720.

Mary, wife of Samuel Bowls, died Oct. 19, 1747.

Joseph Bolles died Feb. 21, 1749.

Hannah Bowles died March 10, 1753.

Samuel Bowles published to Mary Lomas May 7, 1709.

Francis, son of Samuel Bowles, baptized April 30, 1727.

Sarah and Elizabeth, daughters of John Bowles, baptized Jan. 10, 1772.

John Booles married Mary Martin of Andover (published 16: 9: 1706); child: Mary, born March 1, 1707.

John Bools married Martha —; child: Martha, baptized 10: 7: 1710.

John Bools married Sarah —; child: Sarah, baptized 23: 8: 1714.

Hannah, daughter of John Bowles, baptized March 30, 1718.

Joseph, son of John Bowles, baptized July 15, 1770.

Joseph, son of John Bowles, baptized Jan. 24, 1773.

Amos, son of John Bowles, baptized Oct. 4, 1778.

Nabby, daughter of John Bowles, baptized Aug. 3, 1783.

Ruth Bowles married Anthony Dike Nov. 21, 1729.

—*Ipswich town records.*

Charles Bolles of Ipswich, trader, 1741; of Ipswich, yeoman, 1744-1768, 1786; married Lucy Kimball (published May 2, 1741); wife Lucy, 1766, 1768; daughter Lucy married Dr. John Manning Nov. 25, 1760.

Joseph Bolles, 3d, of Ipswich, married Abigail Adams (published June 23, 1744; and was of Ipswich, yeoman, 1769, 1777, 1782; wife Abigail, 1781; he acknowledged a deed in Pelham, N. H., in 1777.

—*Records.*

John Bolang died Aug. 14, 1797, aged twenty-eight.—*Hamilton town records.*

David Boller, a stranger, married Abigail Fuller of Lynn (published April 14, 1750). Children: David, born April 27, 1750; James, born Jan. 6, 1752; Helen, born July 10, 1754; John, born

May 22, 1757; Thomas, born Nov. 29, 1759; and William, born Oct. 17, 1763.—*Lynn town records.*

Mary Boalter married Lemuel Fowler May 10, 1758, in Newbury.—*Court records.*

James Bogia (also Bogey and Bogie) married Deborah Hammond Dec. 23, 1781. Children: Hannah, baptized Sept. 15, 1782; Peggy, baptized April 21, 1786; and Katy, baptized Sept. 28, 1788.—*Marblehead records.*

James, son of James and Lydia Boler, baptized Oct. 7, 1781.—*Marblehead church records.*

Joseph Bollet of Ipswich, shopkeeper, 1722.—*Registry of deeds.*

John Bolton* of Wenham married Mary Andrews of Gloucester Oct. 2, 1744; and lived in Gloucester subsequently; laborer, 1747-8; wife Mary, 1746. Children, born in Gloucester: Mary, born Feb. 15, 1745 (baptized March 23, 1746); John, baptized April 9, 1749.—*Gloucester town records.*

Elizabeth Bolton of Andover married Timothy Dorman of Boxford Jan. 15, 1738-9.—*Boxford town records.*

John Bolman married Elizabeth Pritsh Aug. 25, 1795.

William Boulten married Elizabeth White Jan. 5, 1726.

—*Andover town records.*

John Bolton married Sarah Sims, both of Salem, March 16, 1788.—*Salem town records.*

Joseph Boobyer of Marblehead, 1668.

Robert Bodfish of Lynn, freeman, May 6, 1635; removed to Sandwich, 1637.

—*Savage.*

William Bolton was an early planter in Newbury, living there as early as 1654; married, first, Jane Bartlet Jan. 16, 1654-5; she died Sept. 6, 1659; he married, second, Mary Denison Nov. 22, 1659; she survived him; he died in Newbury March 27, 1697; he deeded his dwelling house to his son Stephen, reserv-

*John Bolton of Murrayfield, in Hampshire county, sold land in Gloucester in 1768.—*Registry of deeds.*

ing a life interest; children: 1. Mary, born Sept. 25, 1655; died Dec. 6, 1656; 2. Mary, born Oct. 4, 1660; married Samuel Wood of Ipswich May 27, 1684; 3. Jane, living in 1695; 4. William, born May 27, 1665; served in the Canada expedition at the eastward under Sir Edmond Andros; and died unmarried, administration being granted upon his estate Feb. 11, 1701; 5. Ruth, born Aug. 1, 1667; married ———— Hewes of Boston before 1715; 6. Stephen, born Jan. 3, 1669-70; turner; had house in Salisbury in 1697-8; lived in Newbury in 1696-7; and was alive in 1709; 7. Elizabeth, born May 23, 1672; died June 17, 1674; 8. Elizabeth, born Nov. 8, 1674; died in Newbury, unmarried, administration being granted upon his estate July 16, 1733; 9. Sarah, born April 15, 1677; died March 30, 1694; 10. Hannah, born July 18, 1679; died in Newbury, unmarried, spinster, in the autumn of 1742, her will, dated Oct. 13, 1742, being proved Nov. 8, 1742; 11. Joseph, born July 8, 1682; and was living in 1695.—*Records.*

John Bond¹, husbandman, lived in Beverly, 1681-1694. He called Henry and Dorothy Bayley of Beverly my father and mother in 1687; and Mr. Bayley called him his son-in-law. Mr. Bond married Emma (Amy) Graves Nov. 23, 1681; and he died before April 16, 1694, when administration was granted upon his estate. She survived him, and married, secondly, Benjamin Haskell of Gloucester June 10, 1698. Children, born in Beverly: 1. *Elizabeth*², born Feb. 28, 1683-4; married Joseph Pride of Gloucester before 1710. 2. *Martha*², born Aug. 25, 1686; married Isaac Sawyer of Gloucester March 19, 1706. 3. *Edward*², born March 4, 1688-9; husbandman; lived in Beverly; married Elizabeth Coy of Wenham Jan. 26, 1709-10; they were living in Beverly in 1739; children, born in Beverly: 1. John³, born Nov. 7, 1710; died May 15, 1711; 2. Edward³, born April 2, 1714; lived in Beverly; married Experience Stone March 13, 1734-5; children, born in Beverly: Edward⁴,

born Jan. 10, 1735-6; 3. John³, born Jan. 9, 1716-7; 4. Bayley³, born March 14, 1718-9; 5. Benjamin³, born Aug. 28, 1720; 6. Elizabeth³, born July 31, 1722; 7. Mark³, born Dec. 17, 1728; 8. Mark³, born May 2, 1732; 9. Joshua³, born May 11, 1734; died May 12, 1734.—*Records.*

Edward Bond died an accidental death Feb. 16, 1676.—*Beverly town records.*

Lucie Bond married Aholiab Dimond Aug. 14, 1701.

John Bond published to Mrs. Sarah Potter Sept. 4, 1790; she died Sept. 23, 1803; children: Nally (also, Sarah), born Oct. 7, 1791; John, born Sept. 19, 1793; died Sept. 17, 1794; Joanna, born Feb. 7, 1799.

—*Marblehead town records.*

Widow Mary Bond of Lynn, daughter of John Riddan, 1740, 1745; she removed to Southborough in 1745.

Robert Bond of Marblehead, fisherman or mariner, 1719.

James Bound of Salem, tailor, 1715-1726; wife Ruth, 1725-6; of Boston, tailer, wife Ruth, 1747.

William Bound of Marblehead, fisherman, 1678.

Mary Bond, jr., and Elizabeth Bond of Lynn, spinsters, 1741.

Sarah Bond of Marblehead, widow, deceased, 1786.

Samuel Bond of Gloucester, mariner, 1791.

John Bond of Marblehead, 1795.

Elias Bond of Salem, hatter, 1797.

—*Registry of deeds.*

Mrs Levina Bond married Joseph Reed of Cambridge March 26, 1778.

—*Manchester town records.*

William Bond published to Miss Mary Read, both of Newburyport, May 28, 1796.—*Newburyport town records.*

Samuel Bond published to Margaret Crowel, both of Salem, May 30, 1752.

Samuel Bond married widow Abigail Frye, both of Salem, July 5, 1757.

Abigail Bond married Simon Lamb, both of Salem, Oct. 10, 1790.

Elias Bond married Elizabeth Pappoon, both of Salem, March 27, 1798.

James Bond published to widow Lydia Lander, both of Salem, March 1, 1760.

—*Salem town records.*

Joseph Bond of Gloucester, weaver, 1733.

Joseph Bond of Haverhill, son of Joseph Bond, 1663, 1673, 1679, 1681.

—*Registry of deeds.*

Nicholas Bond lived in Salisbury, cooper, 1684-1703; married Sarah Rowlandson Dea. 5, 1684, in Salisbury; he was killed by Indians at Hampton Aug. 17, 1703; she survived him, and married, secondly, Dea. Abraham Merrill of Newbury (published Aug. 15, 1713); she was the latter's widow in 1725; children, born in Salisbury: Nicholas, lived in Salisbury until he removed to Guilford, Conn., between 1704 and 1712; planter, 1712; Thomas, born Oct. 10, 1688; of Salisbury, laborer, wife Patience, 1728; William, born June 13, 1695; living in 1698; and Joseph, born April 1, 1700; lived in Arundell, Me., and returned to Salisbury, where he was living in 1725.—*Records.*

John Bond published to Rachel Fuller of Hampton July 29, 1719; children: John, born June 29, 1722; Rachel, born April 4, 1725.

Charlotte, daughter of Rolerson and Mary Bond, born Dec. 24, 1761.

—*Salisbury town records.*

Joseph Bond married Mary Kent Dec. 31, 1722.

Lawrence Bond married Abigail Mains July 23, 1733.

Joseph Bond married Elizabeth Brown Dec. 17, 1765.

Samuel Bond married Mary Joselyne March 9, 1771.

Aaron Bond married Hannah Samson April 30, 1792.

John Bond married Mrs. Esther Haskell Dec. 8, 1782.

Lydia Bond married John Sadler Dec. 2, 1792.

Mrs. Mary Bond married Jonathan Hilliard (recorded Oct. 19, 1797).

Widow Sarah Bond died May 3, 1789, aged about seventy-six years.

—*Gloucester records.*

Samuel Bond, jr., married Polly Mann Oct. 21, 1795.

Samuel Bond married Mrs. Lydia Millett (recorded May 1, 1790).

Children of Aaron Bond: Aaron, baptized Nov. 8, 1795; Hannah, baptized Nov. 8, 1795; William, baptized May 15, 1796; —, baptized April 23, 1798.

Children of Samuel Bond; Constantine Joslen, baptized May 1, 1785; David, baptized July 10, 1774; Moses, baptized Aug. 5, 1787; Rachel Parsons, baptized July 17, 1784; Thomas, baptized Jan. 6, 1782.

John, son of John Bond, baptized Nov. 5, 1786.

Polly, son of Samuel Bond, jr., baptized May 15, 1796.

Thomas Bond married Deborah Tarbox Dec. 1, 1782.

—*Gloucester records.*

Guardian of James Bond of Salem, eighteen years of age, appointed Feb. 23, 1756.

Amos Bond of Watertown, tanner, appointed administrator of the estate of Dr. Nathaniel Bond of Marblehead, physician, Aug. 5, 1777. The deceased had land in Newton. The estate was insolvent.

William Sinclair of Marblehead, mariner, and wife Elizabeth, were appointed administrators of the estate of widow Sarah Bond of Marblehead Sept. 2, 1777.

—*Probate records.*

Mr. Bond of Marblehead, 1663.

William Bound of Marblehead, 1666.

Joseph Bond (Boud?) of Marblehead, distiller of liquor, 1664, 1665.

—*Court records.*

George Bonfield lived in Marblehead, 1665-17—; fisherman, 1671-1682; husbandman, 1695; planter, 1711; married, first, Rebecca — before 1667; she died April 30, 1687; married, second, Ann (Anne) Froed of Salem Sept. 28, 1690; and he and his wife Anne were living in 1711. Children: 1. Rebecca, married Humphrey Finch Oct. 16, 1684; and died in 1691(?); 2. Mary, married, first, Peter Fickett Dec. 9, 1681; and, second, Pentecost Blackington Jan. 1, 1701-2; and

was living in 1711; 3. Jemima, baptized in Marblehead Sept. 21, 1684; married, first, Oliver Luckeis (also, Lake, Luke) Oct. 7, 1686; and, second, George Felt Feb. 27, 1695-6; and was living in 1711; 4. Martha, baptized in Marblehead Sept. 21, 1684; married — Cross before 1711; 5. George, born in 1671; died Jan. 3, 1690-1, aged nineteen; 6. Sarah, baptized in Marblehead Sept. 21, 1684; married Benjamin Girdler of Marblehead, mariner, Nov. 1, 1692; and was living in 1711.—*Records*.

John Lewis Bonfield married Polly Longeway July 10, 1797.—*Salem town records*.

John Boniface of Marblehead alias John Bourne, 1666.—*Court records*.

Sarah Laws Bonn, daughter of Samuel and Sarah, baptized Jan. 17, 1762.—*St. Michael's church (Marblehead) records*.

John Bonnemaison married Elizabeth Johnson, both of Salem, Aug. 26, 1794.—*Salem town records*.

Sarah Bonnet married Thomas Noyes, 4th, both of Newbury, Jan. 20, 1784, in Newbury.—*Court records*.

Martha Booth of Middleton married William Eills (also, Iles) of Boxford Aug. 23, 1744.

Elizabeth Booth married Daniel Stiles May 22, 1742.

George Booth died, of apoplexy and old age, Aug. —, 1767.

—*Middleton records*.

Alice Booth of Danvers married Samuel Stevens of Boxford March 28, 1758.—*Danvers town records*.

George Booth married Elizabeth Rapier Nov. 8, 1748, in Middleton; children: 1. Mary, born July 3, 1749, in Middleton; 2. Sarah, born May 23, 1751, in Middleton; 3. Betty, born Dec. 20, 1752, in Middleton; 4. William, born Nov. 17, 1754, in Andover; 5. Hannah, born March 21, 1756, in Middleton; 6. Eunice, born Aug. 5, 1759, in Middleton; 7. Susannah, born June 28, 1761, in Middleton; and, 8. Andrew, baptized Sept. 22, 1765, in Middleton.—*Records*.

Mary Booth of Boxford married Daniel Gould of Topsfield Dec. 24, 1782.—*Topsfield town records*.

John Booth married Mary Beckester, at Salem, Jan 10, 1727-8.—*St. Michael's church (Marblehead) records*.

George Booth of Lynn published to Martha Williams of Reading Aug. 27, 1715.—*Lynn town records*.

Eliz^a Booth married Israel Shaw, both of Salem, Dec. 26, 1695, in Salem.

Alice Booth married Eben Mash, Nov. —, 1699, in Salem.

Children of George and Alce Booth, born in Salem: Benjamin, born March 10, 1675; Alce, born July 6, 1678; and Susanna, born Sept. 21, 1680.

Elizabeth, daughter of George Booth, born 15: —: 1673-4, in Salem.

George Booth married — — last June, 1692, in Lynn.

George Booth died Jan. 20, 1694, in Lynn, aged twenty-three years.

George, son of George Booth, born Nov. 7, 1694, in Lynn.

—*Court records*.

Elice Booth of Salem married Ebenezer Mash Nov. 25, 1700.

Eliz: Booth of Salem married Edward Carrill March 13, 1700-1.

John Booth married Mary Silsbee, both of Salem, Feb. 28, 1749.

Hannah Booth of Salem published to Reuben Cummings of Middleton Sept. 1, 1747.

—*Salem town records*.

Administration on the estate of George Booth was granted to his widow Alce Booth 30:4: 1682. They had children to bring up.—*Probate records*.

George Booth of Lynn, by his wife Alice, had a daughter Elizabeth, born March 15, 1674; removed to Salem, and there had Benjamin, born March 10, 1676; Alice, born July 6, 1678; and Susanna, born Sept. 21, 1680.—*Savage*.

George Booth of Salem, joiner, 1677-1679; wife Alice, 1679.

George Booth of Salem, cordwinder, 1716.

John Booth of Salem, laborer, and wife Mary,* daughter of Jacob and Sarah Manning of Salem, deceased, 1757.

Hannah Bowland of Salem (?), daughter of Nathaniel Archer, mariner, deceased, 1798.

—*Registry of deeds.*

Elizabeth Boothby married Nathaniel Denning of Great Britain Jan. 30, 1744-5.

John Boothby married Elizabeth Procter June 24, 1740. Child: Sarah, baptized Oct. 11, 1741.

Sarah Boothby married Samuel Bond of Great Britain Oct. 19, 1761.

—*Marblehead records.*

QUERIES.

Queries are inserted for one cent a word.
Answers are solicited.

464. Solomon Colman died at Ipswich July 10, 1836, leaving an unmarried daughter Elizabeth, whose residence was Hillsborough, N. H. Wanted, list of his children with place and date of birth.

A. C. E.

Belmont.

465. Elizabeth Waite and Solomon Colman married Nov. 16, 1775. Wanted, the ancestry of her parents, Aaron and Elizabeth Waite.

A. C. E.

ANSWERS.

452. Relative to the "telegraph" along the coast of Massachusetts a century ago, is the following advertisement in the *Salem Gazette* of Sept. 14, 1802:—

Telegraphe.

MERCHANTS and others concerned in Navigation are respectfully informed, That the subscriber will re-commence the operation of his *Telegraphe* by the first of October next.

All persons who may wish to obtain by the *Telegraphe*, or by the *Telegraphe* and by the Mail, first intelligence of arrivals at the Vineyard—or of arrivals at foreign ports—or who may wish to pass orders directing a vessel at the Vineyard to sail

*Widow Mary Booth of Boston sold pew in East church in Salem, 1764.—*Registry of deeds.*

from thence to any particular port—or to wait there for further orders—or who may wish to learn the contents of a cargo—or whether a friend is on board of a particular vessel here, &c &c. may be accommodated.

The terms are lodged (for the convenience of all concerned) at the Post Offices in Boston, Salem, Newburyport, Portsmouth and Portland, and will be lodged at the Post Office of any other port, if desired. Agents are appointed in all the ports above-named, to accommodate such as may wish for immediate intelligence from the Vineyard.

The terms contain different rates of fees.—If a man applies for first intelligence of an arrival at the Vineyard, by the 20th of September inst. or three weeks before the day of such arrival, HE shall have such intelligence at the lowest rate.

An applicant has nothing to pay until the Proprietor or his Agents shall announce first intelligence of an arrival or other first intelligence desired.

Masters of Vessels will enter their arrivals at the Vineyard free of any expense, that the Proprietor (and the owners, if they please) may have immediate knowledge of such arrivals.

JONATHAN GROUT, *Patentee.*

Boston, Sept. 14, 1802.

There are hills in Plymouth, Marshfield, and perhaps other places, that are marked on current maps "Telegraph" hills, which seem to indicate a flag system.

Concerning the introduction of the modern telegraph, the following news item is copied from the *Salem Register* of Oct. 28, 1847:—

TELEGRAPH TO SALEM. The Mercantile Journal learns that Mr. James Eddy, of N. York, the proprietor of the contemplated line of magnetic telegraph between Boston and Salem, has concluded a contract with Mr. Green Howe, to procure the poles and set them, and to oversee the building of the line. Mr. Howe has had much experience in building lines of telegraph, and was called from his duties on the New York line, to commence on this new work. He commenced operations on Monday morning, and, under his supervision, it is expected that the work will be completed in a most thorough manner.

The following item, from the *Salem Observer* for July 22, 1826, shows how early the telephone was proposed:—

In the last number of the *Revue Encyclopedique*, there is an account of a very extraordinary proposal, viz. to communicate verbal intelligence in a

few moments to vast distances, and this not by symbols as in the telegraph, but by the human voice. The plan originated with Mr Dick, an Englishman, who states that the human voice may be made intelligible at the distance of 25 or 30 miles.

—*Ed.*

461. Ruth Brown, who married Phillips White of South Hampton, N. H., May 11, 1749, was daughter of Thomas, jr., and Anne Brown, and was born in Newbury, Mass., March 4, 1729.—*Ed.*

EDITORIAL.

This number completes volume ten of *The Essex Antiquarian*. There have been published during the year the wills proved in Essex county in 1661 and 1662; the gravestone inscriptions in the town of Groveland (formerly the parish of East Bradford) before 1800; the genealogies of Essex county families from Bowden to Bradford inclusive; the record of the Essex county Revolutionary soldiers and sailors from Boardman to Bond; abstracts of the old Norfolk county records, 1671 and 1672; Ipswich quarterly court records and files, 1652-1654; and miscellaneous genealogical notes from the records from Blackmore to Boothby.

To this number, as it completes ten volumes, is added a subject index covering the entire ten years that *The Antiquarian* has been published.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

A BRANCH OF THE CALDWELL FAMILY TREE. By Charles T. Caldwell, M. D. Washington, D. C., 1906. This is a record of Thompson Baxter Caldwell and his wife, Mary Ann (Ames) Caldwell, of West Bridgewater, Mass., and is issued in a pamphlet of eighteen pages. This Caldwell family was of the Rhode Island branch.

HISTORY AND GENEALOGY OF THE PERLEY FAMILY. By M. V. B. Perley. Salem, Mass., 1906. This is the title of the

latest addition to the larger works of its kind. The labor of several persons, covering a long period of time, has been the cost of this, as it is of all worthy books of the sort. A complete and accurate history and genealogy of a large and scattered family cannot be searched out and arranged easily or quickly. The following of clues and digestion of evidence involves months and years of time. The first attempt at the collection and arrangement of such information of the Perley family was made in the year 1785.

The Perley History is not only complete in its general features, but much biographical matter ordinarily esteemed of secondary importance is included; and the descendants of the daughters are extensively given. The writer knows how careful and thorough the compiler and his assistant* have been all through the difficult task; and the result in every way must be a great satisfaction not only to themselves but to all interested in this extensive family.

A more interesting family history has not been published.

The volume contains 770 octavo pages, 78 pages being a comprehensive index in small type. There are, also, 65 portraits on inserted plates. In all, there are 281 engravings, portraits,—autographs, views of homesteads, coats-of-arms, gravestones, maps, monuments, and miscellaneous subjects. The frontispiece is a portrait of Hon. Ira Perley, chief-justice of the supreme court of New Hampshire, a native of Boxford, in this county, and probably the ablest and most distinguished of the name.

Bound in half sheep and half cloth, the price of the volume is five dollars. If sent by mail, forty cents must be added to pay packing and postage. It can be sent by express at the expense of the purchaser. Address M. V. B. Perley, 22 Cabot street, Salem, Mass.

*The compiler's daughter, Miss Edith F. Perley, whom justice will not permit us to pass in silence, though her modesty has caused the elimination from the book of the credit for her part in the work.

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